

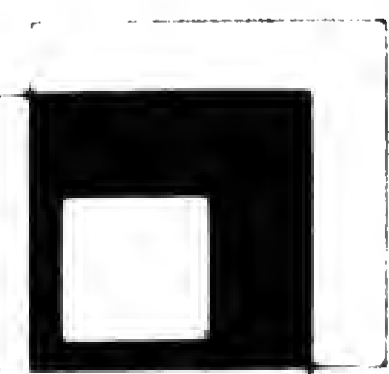
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Primary Election Cancelled Due to Lack of Interest

The Primary Election for Charlevoix city offices has been cancelled due to lack of interest.

As the deadline for filing nominating petitions passed at 4 p.m. Monday, only incumbents had filed for the three city offices and the same number of ward offices making it unnecessary to hold a primary election.

Filing nominating petitions on Monday were incumbents, Edward P. Hansen, mayor; Annabelle Cunningham, treasurer; Judy Przybylski whose name will appear on the ballot for the first time after

being appointed city clerk to fill a vacancy last fall; Raymond V. Wood, first ward; Ivan Whitley, second ward; and George Plumm, third ward aldermen.

Up until a few days before the deadline for petitions, the three aldermen were undecided about running for office again.

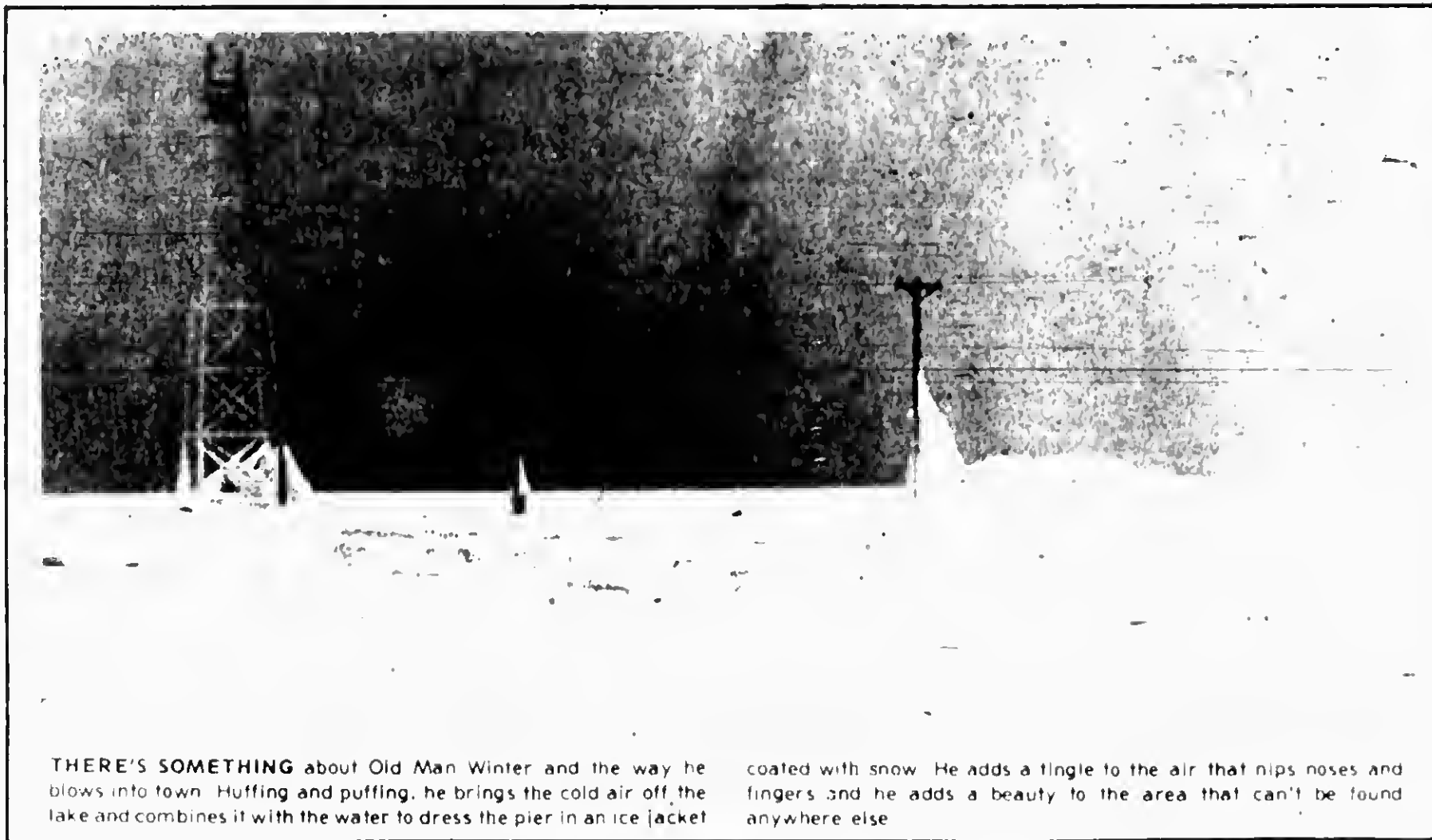
"I don't know," one of them said recently. "If someone else would step up and run, I think I might just let them."

However, this year no one decided to challenge the incumbents. And it's not the first year that has happened.

This will mark the second time in the recent history of city government that lack of interest and candidates has made it possible to cancel an election and thus save the costs of an election.

The General Election is scheduled for Monday, April 4.

Other important dates to remember in connection with the city elections include March 4, which is the last day to register to vote in the Spring Election, April 2, the last day to pick up absentee ballots, and April 4, which is the date of the Spring Election.



THERE'S SOMETHING about Old Man Winter and the way he blows into town. Huffing and puffing, he brings the cold air off the lake and combines it with the water to dress the pier in an ice jacket

coated with snow. He adds a tingle to the air that nips noses and fingers and he adds a beauty to the area that can't be found anywhere else.

Council to Consider Development Plan

Hearing Set on Zoning Change

By PAULA HOLMES

The City of Charlevoix may not get a completely new zoning ordinance for quite some time, but attempts are being made to at least update the current ordinance and make it more workable.

Next Monday, the Charlevoix Common Council will hold a public hearing on a proposed development plan review amendment to the current ordinance during its regular meeting.

The amendment would require developers to present council with plans outlining proposed construction, the type of landscaping involved and the effects the construction would have on surrounding property, among other things.

"Development plan review

gives council a chance to look at the plans ahead of time," Susan Erber, city alderman and chairman of the Ecology, Development and Land Use Committee, explained.

"It also gives us a chance to get to know the builders and the architects and we can work with them in getting something that we can all enjoy," Mrs. Erber continued.

The alderman said that in the past plans had been made for the construction of various buildings and the city didn't have any knowledge of what type of building would finally appear on a parcel of land once the building permit had been issued.

"Our present zoning ordinance is so old that it doesn't have a development plan review," she said. "And a lot of buildings have been allowed

to be built that we knew nothing about."

Mrs. Erber said this could have happened with the construction of the new Charlevoix Federal Credit Union building, but the credit union officials agreed to bring their plans in and discuss them with council. She pointed out that the condominiums were built without the city's knowledge of exactly what type of buildings were being constructed.

"We're hoping that the development plan review will help us control our growth and help us control the type of construction going on in the city," the alderman said. We want to make sure that the buildings constructed will be ones that fit in with the character of the community

and that they also will be well used.

"We want to know that once a building has been put up that it will be used and that we needed it," Mrs. Erber continued.

"The development plan review helps both parties," she added. "It organizes the builders and developers and it helps keep the council on the up and up and aware of what's going on."

Mrs. Erber said it was important to add the development plan review to the city's zoning ordinance to afford the city protection.

There are properties being sold in the city that we want to know about and the development plan review can help us," she said.

Social Security Limit Raised on Earnings

People receiving social security checks will be able to earn more money without being penalized next year.

Social security recipients will be able to earn up to \$3,000 without any reduction in their checks starting Jan. 1, according to Gordon Sattelmeyer, manager of the Petoskey Social Security Office. The 1976 earnings limit was \$2,760.

People who earn more than \$3,000 in 1977 stand to lose \$1 from their social security checks for every \$2 over the \$3,000. However, when people only work part of the year, full benefits are payable for many months in which earnings are

\$250 or less. The limit this year was \$230.

Only wages and income from operating a business are considered earnings under the rules of the earnings limitation. People can have unlimited income in the form of dividends, interest, rentals, other pensions, etc., without any reduction in their checks.

When people are age 72 or older, the full social security checks are payable regardless of how much the recipients earn. There are special rules and a final report must be filed for people the year they reach age 72, but after that no further reporting on income is necessary.

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New Mini-Bus to Help Make Handicapped, Elderly Mobile

By FRAN MARTIN

After months of waiting, the Charlevoix County Commission on Aging has received a mini-bus equipped with a hydraulic lift to be utilized in the transportation of the elderly and the handicapped in the county Art Saworski, Director of the Commission on Aging and Transportation coordinator for the E and H bus.

The Dodge mini-bus which can transport two conventional wheelchairs and six other passengers has been assigned to the county under the Elderly and Handicapped program and is financed under the E and H program Saworski said. It replaces one of the two mini-buses that have been in use in the county for the past two years.

The transportation program is financed through the state with revenue coming from one-half cent gasoline tax earmarked for public transportation. The state provides the vehicle and \$10,000 to operate the program.

Saworski said the transportation service operates on a demand-response basis. The new mini-bus with its lift transports wheelchair clients to Bergmann Center in Charlevoix, county residents to Senior Citizens nutritional dining centers in the three major communities and in

Boyne Falls and elsewhere. He said they may also be used to transport Senior Citizens or the handicapped to areas out of the county for various reasons such as doctor's appointments and for other appointments.

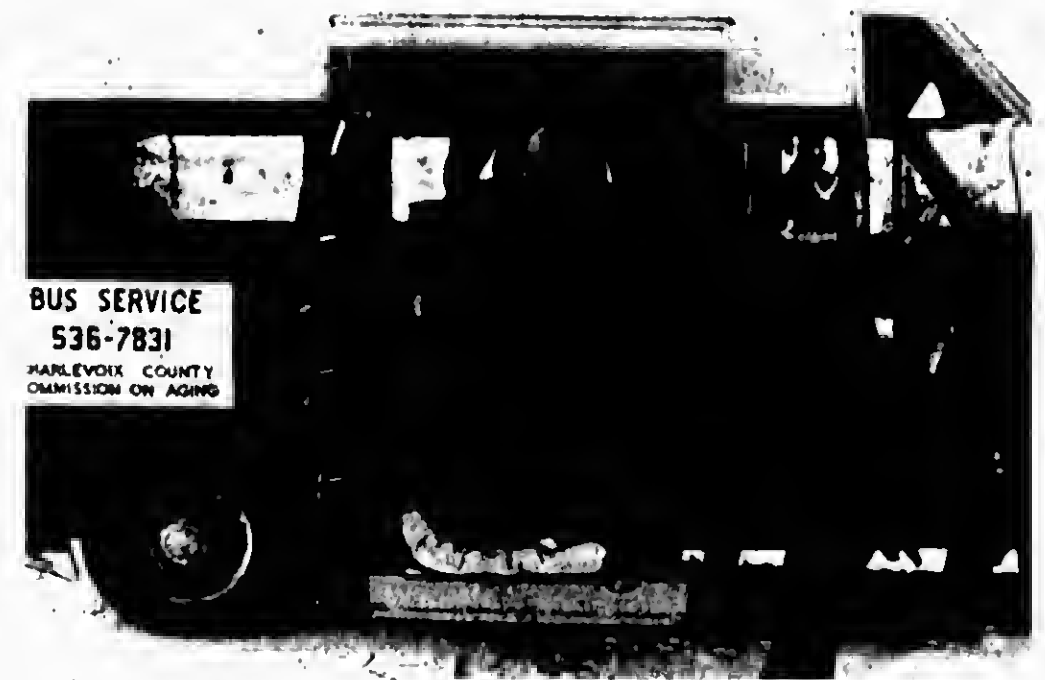
Saworski, in announcing the addition to the county's transportation fleet, urged the handicapped as well as others to utilize the service. "We have worked hard to obtain

the vehicles for your use. We hope you will use them. This applies especially to the handicapped who are so often house-bound during the winter". He went on to say that one need only call 536-7831 to make an appointment for the service.

Non-ambulatory residents of Charlevoix County will benefit from the new mini-bus equipped with a hydraulic lift which has been assigned to the

Charlevoix County Commission on Aging. It will operate under the Elderly and Handicapped program financed by the state. He said Fran Martin of Charlevoix tries out the lift to assure its capabilities.

Bus service is available from 8:30 a.m. until 5:30 p.m. daily Monday through Friday and evenings and weekends by special request.



ART SAWORSKI and Gene Beer help Reporter, Fran Martin onto the lift in the new mini-bus that will transport handicapped and elderly in Charlevoix County. Miss Martin said the bus had passed the test: "If it can hold me, it can take anyone," she said.

First Baby of Year from East Jordan

East Jordan's newest resident has captured the title of First Baby of the New Year in the Charlevoix Courier's annual contest.

Robert Ernest Johnston was born at 12:30 p.m. Sunday at the Charlevoix Area Hospital—36 hours after the start of the New Year.

Weighing in at 9 pounds, 12½ ounces, Robbie is the second son of Mr. and Mrs. Shyrle Johnston Jr. Eagerly awaiting his arrival at home is his 20-month-old brother Jeffrey Allen.

Also waiting for Robbie is a stack of gifts furnished by local merchants. Among the gifts will be a silverware set from Reusch Jewelry, a record of Baby's Basic Lullaby from WVOY, a "Good Eating Check" from Mr. Steak, and a pair of Buster

Brown Shoes from Russell's Shoe Store.

There will be money in the form of two \$25 Savings Bonds, one from Thomas Real Estate and one from the Charlevoix Area Hospital, and a \$25 Savings Account from the Charlevoix County State Bank.

There will also be a \$10 Gift Certificate from the Circus Shop in Petoskey, a Johnson & Johnson Baby Kit from the Central Drug Store, two boxes of disposable diapers from both Williams Dockside Pharmacy and Edwards IGA, and a \$10 Gift Certificate from Charlevoix, a \$5 Gift Certificate from Fay's Dress Shop, \$10 worth of Buster

Brown clothes from Oleson's Variety and an infant seat comforter from the Calico Hen.

To complete the list, there

will be a trip to the Head Shop Beauty Salon, a decorative planter for the nursery from Frank's Florist, and a one-year subscription from the Charlevoix Courier.

Trial for Policeman To Start Jan. 11 Here

The dates for the trial of Irving W. Bulmann, 39, Detroit police sergeant charged with assault with intent to do great bodily harm less than the crime of murder, have been set for Jan. 11, 12 and 13 according to Roy C. Hays, Charlevoix County Prosecutor.

Circuit Judge Martin Breighner will hear the case in the court here.

Bulmann, who was in the area on a deer hunting expedition at the time of the shooting, is being charged with the shooting of a Berkley hunter, William Teller, Jr., 20, following an altercation during a Hunter's Ball at the Country House in South Arm township at approximately 2:15 a.m. Nov. 18. A preliminary hearing was held Dec. 22.

HOTLINE Dial 547-6559

Hotline lets others know what you think. Tell us your opinion on anything by calling 547-6559 anytime after 6 p.m. No need to give your name. Selected opinions will appear each week.

What's a Good Taxpayer?

The Hotline section of the Charlevoix Courier for Dec. 29th contained a Hotline item about the Charlevoix School Board and having to vote on a Saturday. It was signed by a "Good Taxpayer". What the heck is a good taxpayer? I pay taxes but I guess I am not a good taxpayer because I don't pay them happily, only constantly. The reason that I pay them is that there are severe penalties for not paying them.

A not so good taxpayer.

P.S.



Mike Beebe betcha' thought you'd never make the front page!

WEATHER

The following weather information was received from the U.S. Coast Guard and the Water Treatment Plant:

	High	Low
Dec. 24	30	17
Dec. 25	37	23
Dec. 26	22	15
Dec. 27	18	8
Dec. 28	17	0
Dec. 29	12	-17
Dec. 30	6	-10
Dec. 31	20	-3
Jan. 1	27	19
Jan. 2	30	23
Jan. 3	27	18



LOIS JOHNSTON holds her new son Robert as her husband Shyrle looks on. Robert is this year's First Baby of the New Year.

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Community Calendar

Fran Martin
547-4433

Tuesday, Jan. 4
Charlevoix Historical Society will meet at the Community Room, First State Bank, 8 p.m. "Show and Tell" program with residents being asked to bring a picture or item of historical interest for discussion.
American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m.
Women of the Church of God will meet at Fellowship Hall, 7:30 p.m. Hostess: Delora Richardson.
Men's Prayer meeting, 7 a.m., Community Church of God.
Basketball: Petoskey here

8:30 and 8:00 p.m.
Wednesday, Jan. 5
Norwood United Methodist Women will meet with Mrs. George Sevastian, 7:30 p.m. Little Flower Guild will meet at St. Mary's school 6 p.m.
Coast Guard Vets Club will meet with Mrs. Peter Cuaremas, 310 Mason St. 7:30 p.m.
Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational Church will meet with Mrs. Darrell Dinwiddie, 807 E. Dixon ave. 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Franklin Curtis, co-hostess. Program: Oreo Schroeder of Chip Counseling Center.
Charlevoix Soaring Club will meet at the tch room of the new hangar 6 p.m.
TOPS, Mrs. Harold

Tuesday, Jan. 4
Towsley, Loeb Rd., 6 p.m. Thursday, Jan. 6
Northern Michigan, Community Mental Health Services Board will meet at 325 E. Lake St. Petoskey 8 p.m. The public is invited to attend the meeting.
Charlevoix County Planning Commission will meet at the county building annex 7:30 p.m.
Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club pancake supper 8:30 p.m. at clubhouse. Business meeting at 6 p.m.
V.F.W. Auxiliary will meet at post home 8 p.m.
Wrestling: St. Ignace here 6:30 p.m.
Annual Masons-Odd Fellows Cribbage tournament at American Legion post home 8 p.m. All cribbage players invited to play.
Friday, Jan. 7
Basketball: Charlevoix at Gaylord 6:30 and 8 p.m.
Maple Grove Grange will meet at hall 8:30 p.m.
Alonans Family Group will meet at undercroft of Christ

Episcopal church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.
Sunday, Jan. 8
Christing Brotherhood Hour 6 a.m. Station WVOV sponsored by Community Church of God.
Monday, Jan. 10
St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society will meet with Mrs. Madeline Slatery, Vermilion ave., Pleasant Acres a short distance south of Stover Creek on Ellsworth Rd. 6 p.m.
Women's Guild of Charlevoix Area Hospital will meet at hospital 6 p.m.
Pearl Divers will meet at Community Church of God, Fellowship Hall, 3:45-5 p.m. Freshman Basketball. Gaylord here 7 p.m.

Tuesday, Jan. 11
Basketball: Charlevoix at Kalkaska 6:30 p.m. and 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will meet at Grey Gables Inn 6 p.m.
Charlevoix Rebekah Lodge will meet at American Legion post home 6 p.m.
Men's Prayer meeting, 7 a.m. at Community Church of God.
Wednesday, Jan. 12
Skiing meet: Charlevoix vs Petoskey at Nub's Noh 1 p.m.

Volleyball: Charlevoix at Cheboygan 8 p.m.
Margaret Parker Circle will meet at First Congregational Church 1:30 p.m. Hostesses: Mrs. Harold Withers and Mrs. Clarence Helge.
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Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at airport tch room 8 p.m.
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With New Touch to Club House

Yacht Club Celebrates New Year



MEMBERS OF the Charlevoix Yacht Club and other area residents rang in the New Year at the newly carpeted club house on Depot Beach. On the left (from left to right) Judy Cockfield, Bill Cockfield, Lois Hodgson and Eric Hodgson prepare balloons for the big evening while trying out the carpet. Above, Barb Berlage, social chairman for the club adjusts some streamers.

Disco Dancing's A Snap--Shake or Wiggle

By PAULA HOLMES
His feet glide gracefully across the floor carrying his body as if he was walking on an air cushion.
A smile crosses his face as his hands begin to catch the beat of the music and soon his head is moving rhythmically, too. He begins to move his entire body in time with the pulse of the disco sound.

For Michael Karr it's another night doing what he likes best—dancing—and teaching others to dance.
Karr, a resident of the Detroit area, was in Charlevoix recently giving dance lessons at the "Weatheravale" He also took time out to explain a little about disco dancing to the Courier.

"All disco dancing is, is learning a few of the moves from the various forms of line dances and then developing your own rhythms and moves from practice," Karr explained, resting on the table in between dance lessons, his sleeves rolled up. "It's easy to do."
Karr contends that anyone can learn to dance disco steps. "Everyone wants to dance," he said as his hands and upper body swayed in time to the music. "And everybody is born with a desire to dance."
"And disco is the easiest form of dance there is," he continued enthusiastically. "Anyone can learn to disco dance. Anyone can walk out of here knowing a few basic steps and be on their way to becoming a disco dancer."

According to Karr, dancing does more than answer a basic desire in people, it adds excitement to their lives, too. "Everyone should try dancing," he said. "Everyone should take just one lesson. You're coming down on a roller coaster."
Both men and women can be dancers, Karr said. "Women are more accustomed to dancing and will find that they are more likely to take a dance lesson," he said. "But men can do it, too, and they should try it."

Karr said part of the problem with men and dancing was cultural and he added that the problem could be easily overcome. "And you can always use dancing," he added smiling. "Karr left the table to mingle with the guests at the Weatheravale. He stopped briefly to talk with some young women who were on their way out the door."
"Thanks for the lesson," one girl oozed. "It was great."
"Why don't you stick around," Karr returned. "I'm going to teach a really hot one next."

He gave a brief demonstration of the dance he intended to teach as the girls watched admiringly. "That's really a hot one," the girl said.
Karr went next to the dance floor, had the lights turned up and took over the microphone. He explained the dance he was going to teach and invited people to come down and join him.
Several young women and a few older ones, too, immediately joined him. But no men came until after more cajoling from Karr and the appearance of his partner Al Sparks on the dance floor.

"No one likes to be the first one on the floor," Karr explained. "Sparks makes it easier for them to get out there, and he helps teach the steps, too."
Karr and Sparks travel across the country studying the different dances.

"I had a desire to learn the various dances and set it did," Karr said explaining how he got started. "The more you learn, the more you want to learn."
Karr said he came by teaching disco dancing just as naturally as he learned it. "After I learned a few of the dances and practiced them, my friends would see me dancing and ask me to help them," he said.
"So I would teach them and pretty soon they were recommending me to their friends," he continued. "It wasn't long before I was teaching, and I hadn't even thought about it professionally."



MICHAEL KARR shows some of the steps he enjoys during a demonstration of disco dancing at the Weatheravale.

Now Karr is one of four or five dancers in the Detroit area that gives lessons at the various night clubs and discos. "You have to be serious about it, if you're going to do it," he explained. "It takes a lot of practice and you have to be continually learning new dances."
"I have gone from Florida to New York learning new dances," he said.
The dancer said the steps and dances did not vary much from state to state, although once in a while he did see an original addition to an old dance.
"The dances aren't really that different from place to place," he said. "And sometimes you will see exactly the same dance with a different name."
Karr said he travels to a different part of the country during every vacation—and he goes on vacation as often as he can.
When he's not on vacation he works teaching dance lessons at Ralphi's, a Detroit area night club and he works as a disc jockey in a night club for Paul Christy and Company. He has also worked at the Syndrome.
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He has been offered a job teaching disco dancing for Arthur Murray Dance Studios, but Karr said that was too much like work.
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THIS YOUNG WOMAN watches intently as Michael Karr demonstrates a disco dance step for her.

At Last County Commission Meeting of Year

Fund Transfer Occupies Officials

In a scramble to make ends meet, the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners spent its Wednesday session transferring funds to those accounts general fund to those accounts that had come up short.
The transfers included \$27,000 to the Children's Care Fund administered by the Probate Court, \$4,000 to the Probate Court budget and \$11,000 to the Ironton Ferry Fund.
It was explained to the commissioners that the child care fund had exceeded its budget because expected revenues from the state which would reimburse the fund had not yet been received by the Probate Court.
The court overran its budget due to the cost of court-appointed attorneys for a child abuse case and the trial of a juvenile for murder.
Additional funds were needed for the Ironton Ferry due to unexpected repair costs.
The remainder of the general fund monies, created by budget surpluses and unanticipated revenues was then transferred to the revolving Tax Fund for the purchase of the delinquent taxes from all the other governmental units in the county.

The board of commissioners has been purchasing the delinquent taxes for three years to help facilitate the operation of the county treasurer's office.
"This way she only has to settle once with each unit," Lee Moorland explained. "And it assures all of the units that they will receive nearly 100 percent of their tax monies."
In other action, the commissioners awarded a bid for advertising minutes and other county activities to the Charlevoix County Press. The County Press had the low bid of the two submitted at 73.9 cents per column inch.

The Charlevoix Courier, which won the bid for county advertising last year, bid 75 cents per column inch.
The commission also agreed to purchase bonds for the county officers and sheriff's deputies and it agreed to plaster, paint and refinish work quarters in the sheriff's living quarters at the county jail.
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County Employees Get 5 Percent Raise In Yearly Wages Across the Board

County employees were given a nine-year-end present last week as the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners approved a salary increase during its December meeting.
Upon recommendation of the Ways and Means Committee, the commissioners approved a salary schedule representing a 5 percent increase in wages for all employees.
The new salary schedule follows:

Grade	Level A	Level B	Level C	Level D
01	\$6,525	\$6,760	\$7,050	\$7,315
02	6,735	7,025	7,315	7,600
03	7,000	7,285	7,580	7,865
04	7,265	7,575	7,890	8,205
05	7,550	7,890	8,230	8,570
06	7,890	8,250	8,625	9,020
07	8,250	8,650	9,045	9,440

Think Carefully Before Buying New CB Radio Set

Citizen's Band radios—CB's—are millions of them across the country. And sales are increasing every day. The channels are getting crowded. So, the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) announced that starting Jan. 1, 1977, the number of channels available for CB use would be increased from 23 to 40. But you won't be able to buy the 40 channel sets until after January 1. In the meantime, some manufacturers—but not all—say they will convert 23 channel sets bought now to 40 channel sets after January 1. The Federal Trade Commission (FTC) warns that some 23 channel sets can't be easily remade to carry 40 channels. They can still be used after January 1 on the 23 channels sets. And it's illegal, according to FCC rules, for you to change them yourself.
If you do decide to have the set changed, can you take it back to the store where you bought it, or must you mail it to the factory yourself? How long will it take? Will you get the same set back, or a different set?
"How much extra will you have to pay the manufacturer for the conversion? How much more would a brand new 40 channel set cost than a 23 channel set? Is the price of the 23 channel set too good a buy for you to pass up?"
A 23 channel set may be a good buy, right now. It may be all you need. Just get all the facts before you buy.
For further information, check with the closest FTC regional office.
And, if you do buy a CB radio, you can get a copy of Citizen's Band Rules and Regulations by sending \$1.50 to Consumer Information Center, Dept. 097E, Pueblo, Colorado 81009. The free catalog, "Consumer Information," a listing of over 200 federal consumer publications, is also available by sending a postcard to the same address.

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Economy Making Gains in County

A look at the record books shows that the Charlevoix County economy made surprising gains in the last few years.
Despite inflation, unemployment, high taxes and the various other problems that are common to all sections of the country, there was progress locally.
A principal indicator of this progress is the volume of business that was done by local retail establishments.

The reports show that it increased considerably during the five years ending January 1, 1976.
It reflects the fact that area families, most of whom had their pay envelopes fattened each year, remain active in the marketplace, spending as much as was necessary to maintain the standard of living to which they had become accustomed.
The growth in the period is brought out in data compiled by the Standard Rate and Data Service.
It shows that retail sales in Charlevoix County stores, as of the beginning of this year, reached an annual rate of more than \$44,649,000. Five years earlier they totaled \$21,422,000.
It was a bigger increase than was recorded in many parts of the country. Much of it was due of course, to inflation.
It was equivalent to consumer spending last year at the rate of \$7,555 per local household, as compared with the 1970 rate of \$4,152 per household.
The rise, 61 percent, topped the United States rise of 47 percent and the 48 percent in the East North Central States.
Fundamental to the growth in retail activity in the local area during the five-year span was the marked increase in income accounted for by the average family.
During most of the period it more than kept pace with the rising curve of inflation, compensating for the mounting taxes, the bigger grocery and housing bills and the zoning medical costs.
The figures for Charlevoix County show that personal income, after deduction of taxes, climbed to \$7,311,000. Five years before it was \$4,619,000.

COMMON COUNCIL

COUNCIL MINUTES DECEMBER 27, 1976
The Common Council of the City of Charlevoix met on the above date and time with Mayor Hansen presiding. Aldermen present: Whitley, Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, and Wood. Absent: None.
The Minutes of the December 13, 1976 regular meeting were approved as presented in writing and as recorded in the Council Minutes Book.
Dawson Way and James McKinney appeared before the Council and submitted new information regarding the Airport Hanger Lease. Therefore, the proposed vote, on Resolution 76-152, amending paragraph six (6) of the lease was delayed for two weeks. Council will discuss the additional information in committee on Monday, January 3, 1977, at 8:00 p.m.
Motion was offered by Alderman Wallace and supported by Alderman Whitley to approve an application submitted by Oscar and Dorothy Ward to operate a taxi-cab service within the corporate limits of the City of Charlevoix. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yeas: Aldermen Whitley, Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, and Wood. Nays: None. Absent: None.
Motion was offered by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Erber that Greg Shadko be appointed for a five year term to the Building Code Administration Board of Appeals. Said term to run from October 6, 1978 until October 6, 1981. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yeas: Aldermen Whitley, Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, and Wood. Nays: None. Absent: None.
Motion was offered by Alderman Wallace and supported by Alderman Harris and Deanne Balch as Deputy City Clerk. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yeas: Aldermen Whitley, Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, and Wood. Nays: None. Absent: None.
The Finance Committee having examined bills totaling \$162,312.13 find them correct and recommend the bills be allowed. Moved by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Wood that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for their amount. The Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yeas: Aldermen Whitley, Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, and Wood. Nays: None. Absent: None. Council adjourned.
Judy D. Przybylski, City Clerk

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Editorials/Opinions

Courier Joins Many In Expressing Thanks To Dr. Saltonstall

Saying farewell is never an easy task, especially when it has to be said to a person that has done so much for Charlevoix over the years.

So rather than saying farewell, the Courier would like to join the hundreds of others who have extended their well wishes to one of Charlevoix's favorite citizens, Dr. G.B. Saltonstall.

Last week, the Charlevoix physician ended a career that began over 42 years ago. Most of his career was devoted to caring for the health of Charlevoixians.

It would be impossible in this short editorial space to list all the accomplishments the Charlevoix resident has achieved in his career serving the local public.

Equally impossible would be to express all the warm feelings shared by the many who have come in contact with him during his medical practice.

However, it is not impossible to pay tribute to a man who has done so much for us over the years.

"Gib" Saltonstall devoted his entire life to our community. He started a medical career in Northern Michigan, when it was not a popular place to live. In fact, there were only 30 physicians in a four-county area, when he began his career in Charlevoix.

The Charlevoix physician recently remarked that office calls were only 50 cents when he used to be located above the drug store on the corner of Bridge and Park streets.

While doctors in major metropolitan areas were drawing salaries for their services, "Gib" often got paid with wood, chickens and vegetables. And he says, he was mighty grateful to receive that kind of compensation.

Publicly, "Gib" tells everyone that he has delivered more than 3,000 babies in the area. But what isn't revealed, is the thousands of other lives he has touched over the years.

Being a country doctor has never been an easy task, when you consider that it has only been in recent years that the fine modern technology now available at Charlevoix Area Hospital has been here for

physicians to use in treating their patients.

Even though "Gib" was located in Northern Michigan, he never failed to take an active role in his state professional organizations.

In addition to being active in the Northern Michigan Medical Society, he served on several committees of the Michigan State Medical Society and acted as counselor for the northern district from 1950-57.

He was elected to the presidency of the medical society for a one-year term in 1958.

He also served on the Michigan Association of Professors Board from 1967-68 and on the board of directors of Michigan Medical Services (Blue Shield) from 1958-61. And he was on the State Board of Registration of Medicine for eight years from 1962 to 1970.

However to Charlevoix residents, "Gib" is probably more known for his active involvement in the Congregational Church, where he has been active for 40 years.

The prominent local physician is also well-known by local yachtsmen for his many years of sailing "The Rogue" with one of his closest friends, E.D. "Pat" Hawley.

Also during his career, he has served as county corner and city health officer, which involved putting quarantine signs on homes where there were communicable diseases.

In addition to his public contributions, he has given to the business community by serving on the board of directors of Charlevoix County State Bank.

Fortunately for Charlevoix, "Gib" and his wife, Charlotte, plan to remain in Charlevoix to enjoy their retirement and all the friends they have made during the years.

It is always difficult to find the right words to either write or say to a person who has done so much to serve the people in Charlevoix as "Gib" has over the years.

May we simply say "thank you" for giving us so much and may you enjoy the wonderful retirement you have so richly earned.



First Class or Else!



Clockwise
by Bob Clock

Puerto Rico, the tropical jewel that hangs like a millstone around the neck of New York City, may soon become the 51st state. If President Ford has his way, the President proposed over the weekend that Congress take action this year to admit Puerto Ricans into the fold as full-fledged citizens.

Although I'm not sure what exactly the President has in mind, I suspect that he feels statehood will tend to keep Puerto Ricans home tending to their own vineyards rather than padding the jobless rolls in Brooklyn. After all, you can have just as much fun collecting unemployment in San Juan as you can in New York, and the climate's better.

So far as I can tell, there hasn't been any great groundswell of sentiment among Puerto Ricans toward statehood, at least not like there was in Alaska and Hawaii before those two colonies linked arms with the mother country.

I think if I were a Puerto Rican, I would lean more strongly toward total independence. Then, as a foreign nation, Puerto Rico would thrive on direct aid from the United States. And if Uncle Sam didn't open his purse strings wide enough, a few courtly overtures toward Cuba would bring him around in a hurry.

How typical of Ford to be worried about statehood for Puerto Rico when he would be worried about statehood for the Arab countries. Now there's a proposal that makes a lot of sense.

With one stroke, Congress could admit Saudi Arabia, Iraq, Iran, Kuwait and every sheikhdom on the Red Sea. Members of the commonwealth, thereby solving all our energy problems until the last drop of oil is gone.

Think about it. That dastardly cartel of oil exporting nations called OPEC would be dissolved on the spot because such out-and-out price fixing would be in

violation of our anti-trust laws. Each of our Middle Eastern states would find itself in competition with its neighbors to supply the rest of the country (meaning us) with fuel at competitive prices.

The cost of gasoline at the pump would drop so dramatically it would make your carbuator choke.

As the price of oil dropped, the price of natural gas would follow suit just to stay in the running. Even the big coal producers would have to shape up if they wanted to remain competitive. Why I can see the price of coal dropping below \$75 a ton in West Virginia and southern Illinois.

Furthermore, as gasoline becomes more plentiful at a more reasonable price, you could look for an upsurge in the sale of the small, economical automobiles that have been a drag on the market during the days of scarcity and high prices. Don't ask me why, but that's the way we do things in these United States.

However, the situation won't be an unmitigated blessing. The market for the big gas-guzzlers, which appears insatiable in these days of high prices, will probably taper off when the prestige connected with conspicuous waste begins to lose some of its glitter.

Would the Arabs really like to become citizens of the United States? Of course they would. Union with Uncle Sam would mean they could cancel all of their contracts with American arms manufacturers and let Washington worry about the defense of its far-flung outposts in the Middle East.

There are so many advantages to bringing the Arab states into the Union that you wonder why we have waited so long.

I would like to say the same about Puerto Rico, but I can't. Either can Jimmy Carter.

Letters to the editor

Probert Says Thanks

Dear Editor:

The two Charlevoix High School Wrestling tournaments held this month have come from the co-operation of many people in our community of Charlevoix. The first and third Saturday in December found over 400 young men here at Charlevoix to compete in the Invitational Wrestling Tournaments. Many of the parents and interesting spectators attended as you may have seen Saturday if you were at a local restaurant, willing for the overflow on service. These two Wrestling Tournaments have developed into the largest meets in the State of Michigan.

The Charlevoix Wrestling Club wishes to thank the many parents and alumni for their help because without volunteers there would be no way to have a tournament of this size. Although there are many people involved a few individuals deserve a special thank you. Dr. Harry Custer, John Golovich, Ivan Whitley, plus two former wrestlers and assistance coaches Ron Bindi and John Oza. We also would not have been able to have a

match without Ralph Hess and HESS FURNITURE Truck loan of their vehicle.

As the coach of the Charlevoix Wrestling Team may I say Thank you to all, and remind many people that this tournament was run at no cost to the school except heat and lights and the use of the building. The Wrestling Club even paid the custodian time and one-half pay for their help. Added to this, the fact that 400 young men had a chance to do something for themselves on a Saturday, a day when there are no school activities. Many new friends were found. Charlevoix will be hosting one more tournament this year on February 5th when the Rayders will be the host to the Michigan-Huron Shores Conference Championship. Why don't you come out to see the fastest growing high school sport amateur wrestling.

Charlevoix will be hosting it next to last dual meet here January 5, 1977 with St. Ignace coming to the mats at 6:30 p.m.

Norm Probert,
Wrestling Coach

Care Facility Thankful

Dear Ken:

Thank you so much for your cooperation in printing news of Grandview in your paper this past year. I do appreciate this news coverage of events concerning both Grandview and its auxiliary.

A special thank you too for the extra copies of the Courier you send each week. We have several Charlevoix

residents living here and they look forward each week to the hometown paper, and the extra copies make it possible for those without subscriptions to keep up on local news.

Thanks again for being so kind. Best wishes for a joyous Holiday season.

Sincerely,
Hilda Watkins, R.N.
Administrator



Erma Bombeck

We got a call the other day from our tax man, who said he was having problems with some of the figures on our return.

"It's your expenditures," he said. "They're way out of line. For example, you spend \$13.36 on entertainment last year."

"That much?" I observed, peering over his shoulder.

"Taxes on purchases only ran \$48.12."

"That sounds right," nodded my husband.

"Your bank shows they paid \$3.16 interest on your savings. So, where did all the money go?"

My husband took a deep breath and said, "We're the sole support of a 16-year-old driver who is insured."

"Oh, I am sorry," said our accountant, removing his glasses. "I didn't know."

"It's all right. We don't tell a lot of people. It's awkward when they press money into your hand and offer to help."

"A church group even offered to send us a basket."

"How much coverage do you carry?" asked the accountant.

"Liability, uninsured motorist, medical payments, collision, \$50 deductible, and comprehensive."

"Good Lord, man, why didn't you say something? Poverty is one thing, but comprehensive..."

"At first, when we applied for the insurance, I didn't think it was going to be this bad. Then the agent said, 'Does your son make good grades?' The kid only passed one test all year. His eye examination. Then he said, 'Does he smoke?' Is he kind to his mother? Does he belong to a book club? I thought two out of three wasn't bad, but he tacked on another fee."

"Does he live at home? That helps."

"Yes, but he drives a 2-28 Camaro."

"Don't say that," said the tax man. "I've known presidents of corporations who can't afford the tab on 2-28 Camaros."

"We tried to get him to marry just to lower the rates," I interrupted, "but there was only one girl he was interested in and he ran over her foot in the school parking lot."

"The premium on the tape deck was extra," said my husband sadly. "So was the CB radio."

"I'm going to give you the same advice I've given every other parent," said the accountant. "Get yourself an old, retired teenager who lives at home, has had driver's education, who is happily married, gets good grades, doesn't smoke, drives a station wagon, and hums. That'll be \$50."

"Could we work something out," asked my husband.

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Meet Charlevoix

Allen Sandberg is Charlevoix's new city administrator. He is the first person to be permanently appointed to that position in more than three years.

This week he agreed to talk with the Courier about some of his observations of the city and about some of the new things that have been started since he came here and about plans for the future as well as about himself.

COURIER: How do you like Charlevoix?

SANDBERG: It is without a doubt one of the nicest cities I have ever been in.

COURIER: Do you like working in this area, in a small community?

SANDBERG: As you know, most of my government work was in Chicago in the suburbs where I spent nine years as a village manager and assistant manager. I find it much more exciting to be in a city like Charlevoix that's by itself and where people identify with their city. In the suburbs, most of the communities are bedroom communities and people identify first with the place where they work and then with the city where they

work and finally with the place where they live.

COURIER: Are there any other advantages to being a city administrator in a small community?

SANDBERG: I prefer a smaller community because you can have a more personal touch as a city administrator in helping to solve some of the community's problems. You're not removed from the problems three or four times by levels of bureaucracy. In a bigger city there just gets to be too much bureaucracy and you don't really get a chance to get out and see the community and to find out what needs to be done.

COURIER: In your opinion, how does Charlevoix compare with other small communities?

SANDBERG: One of the best things about Charlevoix is its readiness and activities. Communities ten times our size don't have near as many resources and activities as we have. We've got a golf course, a harbor, ski slope and our own utilities. We also have a more solid tax base and we are the county seat so there are many people readily available to help solve our problems. In

addition, we have a fine business community and several service clubs that are generally very cooperative in helping the city. And just from observation, I would say that we do a good job on snow removal and that we have a fine police department.

COURIER: Is there still room for improvement?

SANDBERG: Everything in life needs improvement—some things a little improvement and some things a lot. I will be working closely with the mayor and common council in thinking what needs to be worked on.

COURIER: What are some of the areas that you think need to be improved?

SANDBERG: Well, there doesn't seem to be anything major that needs to be worked on, and what we do this year basically hinges on where common council decides the city should be 10 years from now. Together we will look at what the trends are and hopefully meet them.

More specifically, I think the physical plant could use a little more attention in improving its operation for the

public. Also I would like to study city hall to see how it could be put to better use for the council and citizens' groups.

COURIER: Are there any other areas that you feel could be improved?

SANDBERG: I would like to improve the city's relationship with the newspapers and radios and I would like to explore establishing a channel on cable television that could be used by the school system, the city and even the county.

We could use the channel for certain programs such as fire prevention, or a program on building inspection practices, or we could have a program

explaining why certain things are being done in the city or presenting future plans. I have even seen cities use the cable TV channel for announcements of city activities. This could be a specific source of information about the city for the public.

COURIER: Have you started anything new since you arrived here?

SANDBERG: I've been working on establishing a better organizational pattern for the city employees. We need to have lines of communication and authority developed. There are too many positions that report directly to the city administrator and that the city administrator hires, who are really working for someone else. Also we are trying out a newsletter for city officials and employees. The newsletter will be an easy source of information about all of the city's activities and problems. Council should be kept informed of what's happening in the city and little pieces of information like how many customers have been served and how much salt and sand were used during the month help. We already do some of this reporting for the state and various other agencies, but we don't report it to our own city officials.



Allen Sandberg

Lasater Assumes Duties As New County Sheriff

"We're not losing a probation officer, we're gaining a sheriff," was the sentiment expressed by the 9th District Court staff as they prepared for the retirement of Probation Officer George Lasater last week.

Lasater was sworn in as Charlevoix County Sheriff by District Judge David Fershee last week during special ceremonies in the county courthouse.

Byron Stockwell, the assistant chief of the Charlevoix City Police Department, was sworn in as the undersheriff during the ceremony.

Lasater has also served as a sheriff's clerk.

During the ceremony attended by county employees, friends and relatives, several warm wishes were made by county officials to Lasater and Stockwell.

Judge Fershee observed, "George Lasater has served since the inception of the District Court probation department, which was one of the first in Northern Michigan."

"And he has served under three judges, which in itself is a major accomplishment," Fershee smiled. "And he has done so in a loyal and honest manner, never compromising his principles."

Fershee said Lasater should be proud of his accomplishments during his six years as probation officer which included the implementation of many new ideas such as the work program in lieu of a jail sentence, which has benefited

the area with extra manpower and saved taxpayers dollars, and the implementation of the alcohol driver education program, which has helped clear the district court docket.

He also instituted the inmate education program at the county jail, which has been beneficial to adult defendants who could not read and write, Fershee said.

"Unfortunately, not all district courts can have probation officers," Fershee concluded. "We were one of the first to have one and we had one of the best."

Charlevoix Police Chief Jack Mol welcomed Lasater to the area.

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Residents Honor Saltonstall

CHARLOTTE AND GIB Saltonstall greet a friend during a reception held in their honor by the Charlevoix Area Hospital Women's Guild last week. It was a sad-happy day for the Saltonstalls. Dr. Saltonstall is retiring after more than 42 years as a physician in the Charlevoix area. The Saltonstalls plan to spend their retirement in Charlevoix, however, and now they will have plenty of time to spend with friends and relatives.

Richard Farmer Weds Doris Larsen in Petoskey

Richard J. Farmer and Doris Larsen of Petoskey were married at 9 a.m. Dec. 31 in the sanctuary of the United Methodist Church in Petoskey. Rev. Donald Merrill officiated at the single ring ceremony before 32 relatives of the couple.

The bride chose a open blue suit for her wedding and she wore a corsage of carnations surrounded with dark red roses. Mrs. Robert (Diane) Tucker of Onaway assisted her mother as matron of honor. She wore an olive green print dress and a yellow carnation corsage.

Dan Farmer of Charlevoix attended his father as best man.

Following the ceremony, a reception and brunch was held at the bride's home, hosted by her daughters, Mrs. Tucker and Mrs. Bruce (Patricia) Holmes.

The bride is currently employed at the Petoskey News-Review and will be retiring Jan. 12. The groom is a retired employee of the Michigan Department of State Highways and Transportation.

The couple plans to live in Charlevoix.

Community Concert Offers Ragtime Pianist

Ragtime music and comedy will greet members of the Northern Michigan Community Concert Association Saturday.

Max Morath will entertain area residents with his view of America during the turn of the century in his one-man show, "The Ragtime Years," at 8 p.m. in the Petoskey Middle School auditorium.

The pianist, singer and comedian will blend music, humor, satire and history into a bright and affectionate look at another era. The show not only explores ragtime piano music, but offers songs by Bert Williams, Irving Berlin and other ragtime lyrics.

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Benefits Change

The federally-funded program covering supplemental unemployment insurance benefits has been modified under the Michigan Employment Security Commission.

Under the new regulations, set by federal law, when the insured unemployment rate is at or above 6 percent, unemployed people may collect up to a total of 65 weeks of benefits through existing unemployment programs.

However, when the rate is between 5 and 5.9 percent, Nancy Neff Stanley graduates from Western Michigan.

Mrs. Richard Stanley of Hastings, the former Nancy Neff, was among the recent graduates honored at the winter commencement at Western Michigan University.

Mrs. Stanley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Neff, was graduated with honors with a Master's Degree in Communication Arts and Sciences. She received her B.S. degree from Western Michigan and has been teaching for the past four years.

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Twelfth Night Marks End of Holiday

On the twelfth day of Christmas, some celebrate, throw firecrackers. Others dive underwater to retrieve a golden crucifix.

Twelfth Night, or Epiphany January 6—marks the end of the Christmas holiday season. It is celebrated with a variety of customs and ceremonies throughout the Christian world.

In the United States, Christmas greens are burned on Epiphany.

An unusual Epiphany ritual is the blessing of the Greek sponge cake at Tarpon Springs, Florida. The bishop throws his gold crucifix into the water to signify the baptism of Christ. Young men dive after the cross; whoever retrieves it is specially blessed.

Latin Americans consider Epiphany both a solemn religious festival and the beginning of the pre-Lenten carnival season.

Mexicans salute Twelfth Night with firecrackers, masked revelry, feasting, and candlelight processions.

In Christian tradition, whatever the form of observance, Epiphany, or "appearance," commemorates the three proofs of Christ's divinity which occurred on that date: the visit of the Three Wise Men to the infant Jesus; his baptism; and the first miracle, changing water to wine for wedding guests at Cana.

Even early Christmas apparently celebrated Epiphany on the twelfth day of Christmas. During the Middle Ages, the occasion prompted plays staged in churches. But solemn observances largely disappeared in the bawdy atmosphere of Elizabethan England.

Shakespeare's Twelfth Night reflects the merry mood. The play probably was first presented in a command performance at Whitehall Palace on January 6, 1601.

When Queen Elizabeth entertained a distinguished Italian guest, the Duke of Bracciano.

A popular tradition was to bake a Twelfth Night cake, a bean, coin, or china figure was baked inside the rich "cake of kings." Whoever found the prize was king for the day. Sometimes the king picked a queen and ordered everyone to drink and dance all night.

Few, however, could rival the wild court fetes of France's King Francis I. In 1521, the high-spirited king learned about a nearby Twelfth Night party where a courtier had been made head king. King Francis jokingly decided to challenge his royal rival and with his court followers besieged the house.

Revelers inside counter-attacked by throwing "a prodigious quantity of snowballs, eggs, and apples." In the melee, a burning log thrown out the window hit the king in the face.

Though seriously wounded, King Francis refused to punish the offender because he blamed himself for leading the hijinks.

One historian reports that the king grew a beard to cover his scar, thus popularizing beards at court.



Fire Safety

This well may be the year of fireplaces and wood burning stoves as we try to keep the thermostat down and the temperature up.

Fire alarms should be standard equipment in all homes but many of us are becoming more aware of their importance as we turn to wood burning fuel to help heat our homes.

Most deaths from fire occur in the home and a high percentage happen between midnight and 6:00 a.m. Early warning fire alarms can improve fire safety during the hours when people are asleep.

Fire in the home often smolder for some time before heat and flame are present. Smoke is one of the first products to form, therefore, a smoke activated alarm generally provides earlier warning than a heat sensitive alarm.

There are two basic types of home smoke detectors for common use - ionization and Photo-Electric. The ionization type uses an alpha radiation source to provide small electric flow. When smoke reduces the current flow, the alarm is activated.

The photo-electric smoke detector uses a light beam which is activated when smoke reflects the light beam to a photo cell on the side of the chamber.

Both types of smoke detectors can be wired into home electrical systems, but only the ionization type will operate on batteries. The batteries should be checked regularly and replaced every year.

If buying a smoke detector is on your list of things to do, get at least two price estimates before buying. Be sure you get an instruction booklet on operation, testing and maintenance and read it and keep it with your records.

Test the units you install or request that the installer test units in your presence to see if they work.

Be sure the unit you purchase carries the UL or FM label.

Following are eleven suggestions that can lessen the incidence of burn injuries.

If you do smoke, don't use matches; use a butane lighter with a trigger that extinguishes the flame when you remove your finger.

If an accident occurs, don't panic. Roll on the ground or floor. Never run.

Don't smoke in bed. Install smoke detectors. Know the local emergency number.

Don't spend the day in night clothes. If possible, get dressed.

Buy flame-resistant sleepwear.

Gasoline is not a cleaning fluid. Vapors can ignite from sparks or pilots of water heaters.

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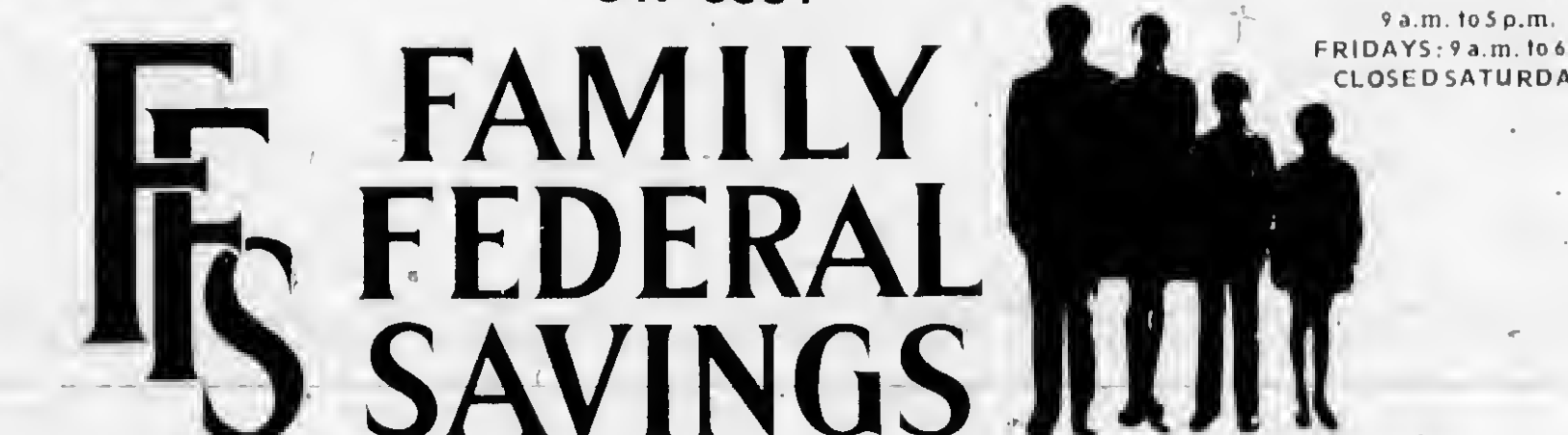
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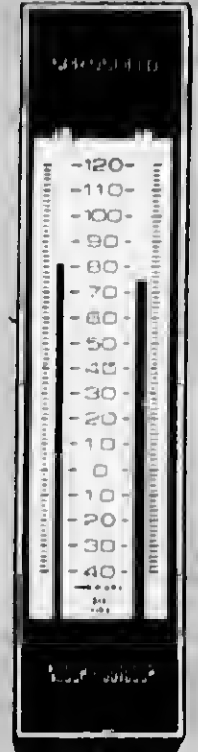
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SINCE THE FIRST snowfall in mid-November the Charlevoix Rayder Ski team, coached by Mike Bonello, has been preparing to defend its Michigan-Huron Shores Conference title. Among those representing Charlevoix on the slopes this season will be: front row (l to r) John Kantola, Karen Schroeder, Liz Morris, Beth Begrow, Dave Taylor, Erik Lundteigen, Dan Engstrom, John Northrup,

Brad Wood, Dave Morgridge. Second Row: Pat Stanges, Richard Hodgson, Lee Begrow, Mark Cockfield, Bob Tiller, Jeff Cockfield, Bob Renner, Greg Krueber, Debby Fochman, Marc Malpeli, Dennis Martin, Paul Berg, Rob Stebe, Coach Bo-Hosmer, Sue Winchester, Pam Boss, Ginny Eby, Camille Malpeli, Karen Snizik, Jennie Trlmpier.

Defending Ski Champs Take to Hills

By FRANK MARTIN
The Charlevoix Rayder Ski team, defending champions in the Michigan-Huron Shores league, will take to the slopes to defend its title on Wednesday, Jan. 12, when the two squads will meet Potoskey at Nub's Nob.

With 33 skiers vying for starting assignments, competition is running high among the candidates who have been on the practice slopes for several weeks during the best skiing conditions in recent years. The skiers themselves are confident of a good season as they prepare to open a five-meet season with Potoskey. The team, coached by Mike Bonello, will compete at 1 p.m. each Wednesday concluding

with the regional meet at Mancelona on Feb. 17 or 18; the conference meet at Sylvan Knoll at Gaylord Feb. 23 and the state meet at Boyne Country on Feb. 26 or 28.

The Charlevoix team captured the Michigan-Huron Shores league title in 1976. The boys team finished third and the girls team fourth in conference competition.

Other regulars from the '76 squad who will be candidates for this year's teams will be Begrow, Erik Lundteigen, Marc Malpeli, Paul Berg and Mark Lundell of the boys team and Camille Malpeli, Lisa Wiener, Sue Winchester, Pam Boss and Ginny Eby of the girls team.

Six skiers compose each team with the best times earned by the top four competitors of each team establishing the team scores.

Coach Bonello was not



THE SKI TEAM was out practicing at Mt. McSaubia during vacation. Here two team members race toward the tow.



WEATHER CONDITIONS were perfect for ski practice during the Christmas holiday and these three team members found the hill all to themselves.

1977 Ski Team Schedule

Charlevoix Rayder Ski Schedule
Jan. 12 Potoskey (Nub's Nob)
Jan. 19 Boyne City there
Jan. 26 Grayling there
Feb. 2 Cheboygan here
Feb. 9 Gaylord there
Feb. 17 or 18 Regional meet at Schuss Mt. Mancelona
Feb. 23 MISC meet at Sylvan Knoll Gaylord
Feb. 26 or 28 State Meet at Boyne Country

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Girls Volleyball Begins Jan. 12

By FRANK MARTIN
The Charlevoix High School Girls Volleyball team, coached by Mrs. Pat Carland, will take to the court Wednesday, Jan. 12, when the team travels to Cheboygan. The match will be the first of seven to be played against Michigan Huron Shore Conference teams.

In announcing the team candidates and schedule for the season, Coach Carland said that only dual matches will be played this season. In the past, triangular meets were scheduled. For the first time, there will be a Junior Varsity volleyball team. Both the Varsity and the JV will play three games during each dual match Mrs. Carland explained.

Forming the nucleus for this year's squad will be four letter winners from last season, Kay Curry, Rita Wasoski, Julie Wimmer and Terri Hafford, all of whom were regulars on the 1976 team. They will be backed up by three experienced players who did not receive letters but who will play major roles in the 1977 team. The trio is Carole Osterberg, Bobbie Klooster and Sue Hodge.

Other candidates for the squad are Tina Klama, Karen Lamereaux, Tammi Mann, Chris Lehman, Kathy Sladek, Donna Jones and Sally Dishong. A 15-member JV team, composed mostly of freshmen and sophomores, will be playing for the first time and will serve as a training group for future Varsity squads.

1977 Charlevoix Volleyball Schedule +

Jan. 12 Cheboygan there
Jan. 19 Grayling here
Jan. 26 Rogers City there
Feb. 2 St. Ignace here
Feb. 9 Boyne City there
Feb. 16 Potoskey here
Feb. 23 Gaylord there
Mar. 2 1st round conference playoff
Mar. 9 Final conference playoff
Mar. 12 Class C regionals
Mar. 19 Class C finals

+All conference games are played at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday

Ski Association Slates Races

Ski races for youth of all ages will be held by the Central Division of the United States Ski Association (USSA) at Wallon Hills Ski Resort for the next two weekends in February.

The Central Division of the USSA has a structured program designed to develop the racing skills of students between the ages of 8 and 18 who have a competitive spirit and who have developed to an advanced ability level in

skiing. The Central Division with three of its graduates on the U.S. National Ski Team and who were also members of the 1976 Olympic squad.

Skiers participating in the races Jan. 8, 9, 15 and 16 and Feb. 5, 6, 12, and 13 at Wallon Hills will compete by age and ability in order to insure fairness, quality and meaningful competition. Junior racing is divided into

five age and three ability classes. The program relied on a point system that standardizes race results to assess racer progress and ability. Races are administered by certified officials and experienced adults supervise the races, from hill preparation to reporting results. For more information contact: Dale Crites, P.O. Box 18, Okemos, 48864 or call 517-899-0897.

Toll Free Line Tells About Snow

For people wondering what the snow is like in any part of the state, the Travel Bureau of the Michigan Department of Commerce has just the thing. A toll free telephone "snow line" will be manned from 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. Monday through Friday and from 8 a.m. to 1 p.m. Saturday until March 26. Snow line callers can obtain the latest ski and snowmobile conditions, recreational activities taking place around the state, general weather and

winter fishing information. The travel bureau toll free number for Michigan residents outside the Lansing area is 800-292-2520. For residents of Connecticut, Delaware, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kentucky, Maryland, Missouri, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Vermont, Virginia, West Virginia, Wisconsin and Washington D.C. the number is 800-248-5456.

Ski School Starts For Beginners at Mt. McSaubia

Ski lessons will be offered at Mt. McSaubia beginning Saturday. Dwight Boss, Charlevoix Recreation Department director, has announced. Lessons which will begin Saturday will be for beginners only. The hours of the lessons will be set after registration are completed. Anyone wishing to register for the classes which will be given in groups of five students is asked to call Tim Meier at 547-4128 or register at the ski shack at the slope. Meier will be giving the lessons. Lessons will be \$1.50 per lesson. Further information may be obtained by calling Meier at the slope.

Tiller Otis Returns To K-C Cager Team

Mildred "Tiller" Otis was among the 14 students reporting for practice for Kalamazoo College's 1977 women's basketball squad. The junior was among seven veterans with the least one year of college competition behind them that will be on the team this year.

The Hornets will take to the floor Jan. 12 for a pre-season scrimmage against Western Michigan University's second squad. They will meet Spring Arbor Jan. 19 for their regular season opener.

Miss Otis is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Otis of Charlevoix.

21 Million Visit State Park System

A record number of visitors crowded Michigan's state parks this year. The Department of Natural Resources said the number of visitors at the 79 state parks and recreation areas passed more than 21 million this year—an increase of 8 percent. Young State Park visitor attendance increased by about 18,000 from 134,000 in 1975 to 152,000 visitors in 1976.

Other area parks included Potoskey State Park which had about 130,000 visitors this year up from 161,000 and Wilderness State Park had 172,000 visitors up from 163,000 visitors last year.

DNR Improves Trails

Snowmobiling along Department of Natural Resources trails should be better than ever this year, according to the Region II Recreational and Environmental Forester.

Bill Mahalak said the emphasis this year is on quality. Last summer and fall, the DNR Forestry Division worked on most of the snowmobile trails to prepare them for a safer more enjoyable season. Trails were leveled, widened where needed, corners were made safer and bridges built for stream crossings. In several cases,

short sections of trail were rerouted to avoid unsafe areas or areas where snowmobiling conflicted with another use. Grooming operations on the trails began Dec. 27 and all trails are reported as having over 10 inches of snow. The trails are also clearly marked this year following an extensive signing program.

Most of the DNR trails in Charlevoix County are located in the Northeastern area in Chandler and Melrose townships. The trails connect the Chandler Hill area with Wolverine in Cheboygan County.

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JAMES MCCALLUM, outgoing Charlevoix County Undersheriff, presents a plaque to outgoing Sheriff Phil Sumner. The plaque bears Sumner's badge and the engraved names of all of the sheriff's deputies and other departmental personnel.

Sumner Honored By Staff Members

A theft was reported to the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department last week. That, by itself was not unusual, however, the fact that the missing article was outgoing Sheriff Phil Sumner's badge, and the fact that the badge apparently was taken while it was in the sheriff's office, was.

"As soon as I noticed it was missing, I reported it," Sumner explained of one of his final investigations as sheriff. "I wasn't going to fool around."

After a thorough investigation by the sheriff's deputies, the badge turned up in a special plaque commemorating Sumner's more than 10 years with the department. The plaque was also engraved with the names of all the deputies and other sheriff's department employees.

The plaque and badge was presented to Sumner at a special dinner honoring him last week at the sheriff's office.

"I have enjoyed my years as sheriff," Sumner said at the

dinner. "And if it wasn't for the personnel in the department I couldn't have done it. I would like to thank all of the employees of the department for their help."

"I would especially like to thank the county board of commissioners," he continued. "I have worked with them and they have worked with me. I didn't always get what I wanted and they didn't always get what they wanted, but together we got a lot done."

Sumner, 56, said he plans to find another job, but didn't say what he would be doing.

"Jan. 1, my law enforcement badge is going on the wall," he said. "My career in law enforcement has ended."

Sumner has been in law enforcement for 27 years. He served with the Boyne City Police Department from 1949-55 and for one year in 1964. From 1956-66 he served as a Charlevoix County Sheriff's deputy and was appointed to the position of sheriff in 1966, where he served until defeated for re-election by George Iwasz last November.

Magistrate's Court

The following cases were heard before the Magistrates in Charlevoix County:

Joey F. Marlet, 22, of Gaylord, nolo prosequi, \$20 fine.

Patrick A. Martin, 20, of Charlevoix, improper plates, \$20 fine.

James B. Keller of Petoskey, improper plates, \$20 fine.

Robert L. Terno, 43, of Belle Isle, speeding, \$25 fine.

Charles L. Gierke, 35, of Harbor Springs, speeding, \$25 fine.

Paul C. Berg, 34, of Charlevoix, failure to stop when leaving a private drive, \$20 fine.

Joseph T. Schmidt Jr., 17, of Charlevoix, speeding, \$25 fine.

Earl A. Holborn, 54, of Charlevoix, failure to yield, \$20 fine.

Ranaldi Poposki, of Muskegon, driving too fast for conditions, \$20 fine.

Steven A. Frye, 22, of Petoskey, speeding, \$25 fine.

Thomas J. Martin, 39, of Charlevoix, speeding, \$25 fine.

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Sundew Smooths Way for Challenger

Comes Home to Help

The U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Sundew, which had been dispatched to the Straits of Mackinac Dec. 28 for ice breaking duties, was recalled to Charlevoix Sunday to assist the cement carrier M. duSa. Challenger as it returned to the South Point plant for its last load of the season.

The Challenger, which was due at the plant early Sunday, became caught in the ice and asked for assistance with the Sundew arriving at 2:30 p.m.

It wasn't until 8:46 p.m. Sunday that the cement carrier tied up at its slip to take on its final load of the 1976-77 season. The carrier departed South Point at 3 a.m.

Meanwhile, the Sundew tied up in Charlevoix for a brief respite from icebreaking but was scheduled to return at midnight Monday to the Straits area. A spokesman said the ship would continue to work the area where the ice is especially heavy for this time of the year as the result of the exceptionally cold weather.



THE SUNDEW was busy again during the past week making way for ice bound ships. Here a barge travels through the ice free path made by the Coast Guard Cutter.

Council Moves Forward On Recreation Grant Plans

By PAULA HOLMES

The go-ahead has been given to the Charlevoix Recreation Department to seek funds for the development of the Mt. McSaubu Recreation Park.

Following a public hearing Monday night, common council approved a resolution instructing the recreation department to proceed with a final application for Land and Water Conservation Funds

\$12,800 for materials and \$5,000 for labor. Pease said the city would not be using donated labor or materials to match the federal funds, as had been originally proposed, because of the complications that caused when applying for federal funds.

Dwight Boss, recreation director, said most of the funds for the project would be spent on the construction of the multipurpose building.

Boss said he wasn't sure what type of building would be constructed at the foot of the old toboggan hill at the park, but he said it would include showers, restrooms and a large area heated by a fireplace for skaters to use to warm up.

A small kitchen area would also be included in the 60 foot by 30 foot building.

"The building will also be used for other organizations

beside the ice and hockey skaters and the summer day camp program," Boss said. "Hopefully the building will be used 12 months a year."

Boss said the building could be rented out to such groups as the Boy Scouts and Big Brothers and Big Sisters.

The recreation director said the ice skating and hockey rinks would not have asphalt or cement surfaces, but would be built on hard ground.

"The additional expense the city will incur having these rinks may be able to use revenue sharing funds or anti-recession funds to match the federal funds for the project.

If the grant is approved, construction on the project will begin in the spring.

Pease said there were no assurance the city would receive the funds. However, following examination of a pre-application, the BOR told the city it had been placed on a high priority list for receiving funds under the final application.

Boss said he intended to seek BOR and other grant monies every year to continue fixing up Mt. McSaubu and to improve other recreation areas in the city.

County Board To Meet Today

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will hold its Organizational Meeting today (Wednesday) beginning at 9:30 a.m. in the Courthouse Annex.



Winter Visitor

CHARLEVOIX has had a lot of winter visitors this year including this Snowy Owl, who found a good dinner waiting for him off the end of the pier.

Site Plan Review Added to Ordinance

Council Approves Zoning Amendment

By PAULA HOLMES

Charlevoix Common Council and prospective builders in the community should eye to eye from now on.

The aldermen approved an amendment to the city zoning ordinance providing for a site plan review following a public hearing Monday night.

The site plan development amendment, which provides for a site plan review of each proposed development in all zoning districts except single family residential, will give the city some checks and balances on what's being constructed in the city, according to Mayor Edward Hansen.

"We've had situations where people have come in for a rezoning request with fancy plans and lots of promises and then we never see that structure again," Hansen said during the public hearing.

"The site plan review pins people down and we can say

okay, you're going to build this structure and that's it," the mayor said.

Adrian Susan Erber, chairman of the Ecology, Development and Land Use Committee and sponsor of the amendment, pointed out that the site plan review could act to help developers, too.

"It may help you when you're building, if people know the site plan review is okay by the city," Mrs. Erber said.

One woman at the public hearing said the site plan review was not practical for residential dwellings like duplexes.

"You would have to have a planner or an architect draw up the site plan for you in order to show all of the things you are requiring," she said.

Council members countered that it was important to see a site plan for anything greater than a single family residence to make sure that proper amount of parking had been allowed for in the plan among

other things.

The council pointed out that there were several places in the city where parking was not adequate for duplexes and other multiple residential dwellings.

William Fichtman asked if the rezoning of the same things as a site review with the issuance of a building permit, but the current zoning ordinance does not have specific language to require developers to produce site plans.

"Our current ordinance doesn't have the regulations in it that this amendment does," Hansen said. "And it wouldn't have the teeth in it for the assurance that the person is going to build like this amendment does."

Fichtman warned the council not to get too restrictive with its zoning ordinances.

"If you get overly restrictive or control away you may be involved in an unworkable situation as you could under the current ordinance," he said.

No zoning ordinance is any more effective than the enforcement of it," he added.

Fichtman suggested the council set up a planning commission to aid them in carrying out the site plan review. Mrs. Erber said a planning commission would be set up under the proposed zoning ordinance which she hoped would be approved in the next few months.

Oscar Ward said he supported the amendment, but not the idea of a planning commission.

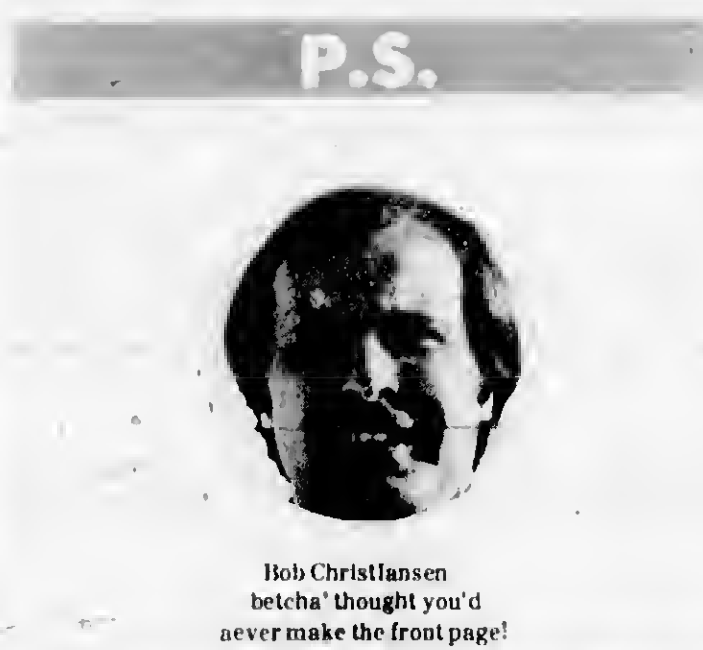
"I think this amendment is a good move as long as it is kept within the confines of the council," Ward said.

The ordinance was unanimously approved with due Morris absent. It will take effect immediately.



Why Wasn't Mt. McSaubu Open? I want to know why Mt. McSaubu was not open on New Year's Day? My family had new skis, drove through bad weather and roads to find the place closed. Why???

Will Beaches Be Closed, Too? Are we to assume that the beaches will be closed the 4th of July? The ski hill was closed January 1st. Now really! Who ever heard of the hill being closed when we have mounds of snow. Is this the kind of service we get when the city takes over?



Kelli McNair and her dog Quincy. The dream of an 11 year-old East Jordan resident about attending Jimmy Carter's inauguration has been turned into a reality. Kelli McNair was given national attention recently when she received an invitation from Carter to the inauguration in appreciation for a poem she had sent him following the election. When local residents learned that the McNairs might not be able to attend the inauguration because of finances, they rallied behind the family and started raising funds. But the Detroit News has discovered, through tips from many country-western musicians, that Kelli's poem is actually the slightly revised lyrics of the Buddy Alan song, "Love Sure Feels Good in My Heart." The song was copyrighted by Blue Bank Music in Bakersfield, Calif., in 1972. It was recorded on Capitol Records by Susan Ray. When Kelli was confronted with this information by a local writer Monday night, she said she had seen the song

WEATHER

The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant:

Date	High	Low	Snowfall
January 1	27	19	1 inch
January 2	30	24	none
January 3	27	20	one inch
January 4	30	18	4 inches
January 5	30	14	none
January 6	24	16	trace
January 7	19	18	3.8 inches

There have been 80.6 inches of snow so far this year, 19.55 inches in November, 31.25 inches in December and 9.8 inches so far in January.

In City Clerk's Office

Auditors Find Irregularities

Charlevoix city auditors have found some \$300 missing through irregular transactions from the city clerk's office, according to a report sent to the Michigan Department of Treasury.

In their report, Petoskey certified public accounts Hill, Woodcock & Dietel allege that former City Clerk Lyle King made false claims for expense account reimbursement and overtime payment when he was in office.

King resigned suddenly November 5, saying that his reasons were personal. King had been appointed to the

clerk's position in October, 1975, and then was elected to the office in the April city election.

However, according to the auditor's report, the city clerk was presented with the auditor's findings and offered his resignation. The auditors say the city then accepted his resignation.

"Immediately following the clerk's resignation, we reviewed several potential problem areas which covered the period from October, 1975, through November, 1976, the City Clerk's entire term in office," the auditor's report

continued. "The amount of unsubstantiated expense reimbursements and other irregularities as determined at the time of our review is approximately \$300, which agrees with a written statement made by the former City Clerk."

When contacted about the irregularities, King said he had no comment.

Mayor Edward Hansen said common council has decided not to prosecute King in the matter.

"On the advice of our attorney, we withheld the last

pay check due him after he resigned," Mayor Hansen explained. "It turned out to be for approximately the same amount of money as the auditors determined was missing."

"We feel we have recovered all of the money we could possibly recover," Hansen said. "We don't think we would benefit by going to court."

Hansen said the false claims were first discovered by Chuck Pease, then acting city administrator, who brought the matter to the mayor's attention.

Road Commission Discusses Budget

By PAULA HOLMES

The proposed 1977 Charlevoix County Road Commission budget reflects a 20 percent increase over last year's budget.

The road commission briefly discussed the proposed \$15.3 million budget during a public hearing at its monthly meeting Monday.

Irv Sturm, county engineer-director, explained that the large increase over last year's \$12.5 million budget was due to the road commission's decision to make use of federal road funds available for construction and maintenance of county roads.

Sturm said the road commission would be receiving additional federal funds this year as are other road commissions. And he explained that in the past the road

commission had endeavored on a program where it did not use all of the federal funds available to it and that this year the commission would be using these funds.

The increase in federal funds amounts to about \$120,000 in this year's budget.

The road commission budget has not been finalized because the commission is still consulting with various townships about road construction projects they are planning for the year. Also the budget is revised quarterly as the road commission receives its Michigan Motor Vehicle Highway Fund checks.

The checks, which are based on a percentage of the license plate fees and gasoline sales tax collection, vary each quarter and the road commission adjusts its budget to reflect the change in the motor

vehicle fund checks.

However, according to the proposed budget, the road commission estimates it will spend \$133,000 in primary road construction contracts and \$41,000 in primary road maintenance contracts.

Another \$42,000 will be spent on local construction contracts and \$11,000 on local maintenance contracts.

The commission is also anticipating paying \$550,000 on labor and fringe benefits, \$200,000 on equipment expense, another \$200,000 on road materials and \$150,000 on capital outlay.

Administrative expenses are expected to amount to \$36,000 and cash on hand and accounts payable at the end of 1977 are expected to be about \$60,000.

The road commission is expecting to receive approximately \$100,000 for engineering costs through Act 51 highway funds and another \$35,000 for snow removal from the state. The commission also expects to receive \$500,000 for primary roads from the motor vehicle fund and \$270,000 for local roads from the fund.

Federal aid funds are expected to amount to \$109,000 and CETA funds for commission employees are expected to amount to \$29,000. Truckline maintenance funds are expected to total \$183,000 and interest earned will reach \$1,000.

The commission is also expecting to receive contributions from the townships for road construction amounting to \$125,000 this year minus its revenues.

Planning Department to Study County Numbering

A county-wide numbering system is one of the projects the Charlevoix County Planning Commission is considering undertaking during 1977.

Barbara Fels, of the planning department, briefly discussed the project with the planning commissioners last week. Mrs. Fels said she had been in contact with Consumers Power Company and that the company has agreed to send her the numbering grid it uses to locate homes in the county.

She also talked with the Post

Office and they have agreed to help the county with the numbering project.

Mrs. Fels told the commission that county-wide

numbering system had many advantages to county residents. A complete numbering system will make homes easier to locate for fire

and police protection. The system will also help mail carriers deliver the mail and in general will make people easier to locate.

City Skating Rinks Open

The skating rink located on Carpenter Avenue at May Street at the south end of Charlevoix High school parking lot is open for use, according to Dwight Boss, city recreational director.

Hours at the rink are from 3 p.m. to 6 p.m. and 6 until 9:30 p.m. daily Monday through

Friday and from 1 until 5 and 6 until 9:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday. The latter schedule will also be in effect when school is not in session.

The rink, located at Carpenter and May sts. for first time, is 250 ft. by 250 ft. in size.

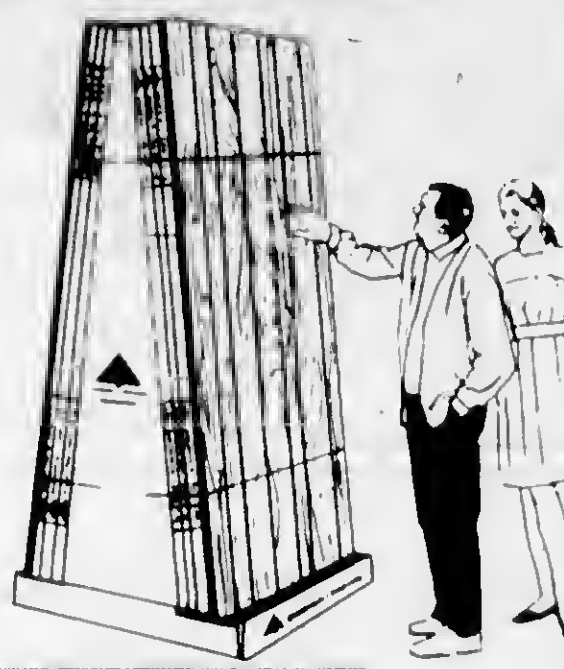
Figure skating will be taught at the rink every Thursday afternoon. Those who have not registered for the classes may do so by signing up at the rink at 3 p.m. Thursday. The classes will be given for one-half hour every Thursday for 12 weeks. Nancy Cumberland is the instructor.

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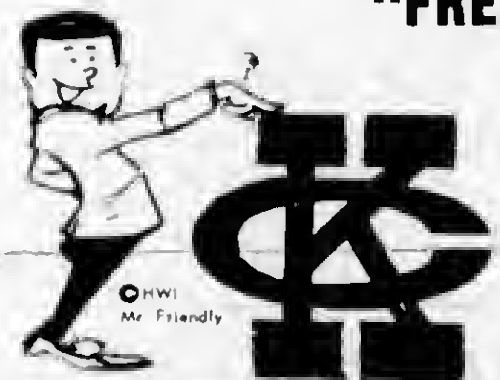


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Community Calendar

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Tuesday, Jan. 11
Basketball: Charlevoix at Kalkaska 8:30 and 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will meet at Grey Gables Inn 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Rebekah Lodge will meet at American Legion Post home 8 p.m.

Men's Prayer meeting, 7 a.m., at Community Church of Gosport.

U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary will sponsor Boating Safety and Seamanship courses at Charlevoix High School 7:30 p.m. For further information call Gerry Left 547-9785.

Wednesday, Jan. 12
Ski meet: Charlevoix vs. Petoskey at Nub's Nob 1 p.m.

Girls' Volleyball: Charlevoix at Cheboygan 8 p.m.

Margaret Parker Circle will meet at First Congregational church Fellowship Hall 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Harold Withers and Mrs. Clarence Heise, hostesses.

Mary Burns Circle will meet with Mrs. Robert Miles, Park ave., 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Chapter of the Michigan Association for the Blind will meet at the Community Room, First State Bank, 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at hangar tach room 8 p.m.

Round Lake Lodge No. 293 will meet at American Legion Post Home 8 p.m.

Northwestern REACT No. 3433 will meet at Greg Seese Home 8 p.m.

TOPS: Mrs. Harold Towles, Leeb Rd., 8 p.m.

World Missionary Society of Church of the Nazarene will meet at the church, 8 p.m.

Emmett County League of Women Voters will meet at 10 a.m. at Westminster Room of Petoskey Presbyterian church. Mrs. Susan Schaub

Thursday, Jan. 13
Wrestling: Charlevoix at Cheboygan 6:30 and 8 p.m.

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Friday, Jan. 14
Basketball: Charlevoix at Cheboygan 6:30 and 8 p.m.

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Saturday, Jan. 15
Wrestling: Charlevoix at Cheboygan 6:30 and 8 p.m.

Kalkaska Invitational tournament 11 a.m. District Debate: Charlevoix at Roscommon.

Sunday, Jan. 16
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hostess: Mrs. Paul Stephan; Program: Fine Arts: Communicating with Music, Mrs. Edward Corradi.

Charlevoix Band Boosters will meet at High School Band Room 7:30 p.m.

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Wrestling: Charlevoix at Cheboygan 6:30 and 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Board of Education will meet at High School study Hall 7:30 p.m.

Pearl Divers will meet at Fellowship Hall, Community Church of God, 3:45 until 5 p.m.

Freshmen Basketball: at Kalkaska 6:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Resident Active In Civil Service Study

By PAULA HOLMES

As scores of people across the nation read Jack Anderson's column last week on a study of the Civil Service Commission and its misuse by the Nixon administration, little did they know of the part a Charlevoix resident played in the investigation.

Gordon Freedman, Jr., a staff member of the House Subcommittee on Manpower and Civil Service, worked as the primary investigator on the study and co-authored the report.

"I had been a staff member of the Senate Watergate Committee," Freedman, 25, explained during a recent telephone interview. "And it was while I was working with that committee that I uncovered some documents relating to the civil service investigation."

The documents, called the Malek White House manual, contained the blueprint for politicizing the federal merit system during the Nixon administration.

"Following the completion of the Watergate investigation, I returned to the Michigan State University," Freedman said. "People involved with the civil service study called me and asked if I would help put the investigation together."

"That was January 1975," he continued. "I spent a lot of time flying back and forth coordinating things then I was hired fulltime to work on the investigation in August."

During the investigation Freedman and other staff

members interviewed more than 100 government employees, read and studied the documents of many agencies, and held nine sets of hearings on Capitol Hill.

Freedman said the report had already created some changes in the way the civil service commission is being operated.

"The chairman of the commission (Robert Hampton), who has held that position for 14 years, has said that he will not seek reappointment," the young investigator said.

Also, the investigation has spurred the commission to investigate itself, he said. Freedman thinks studies like the one on the civil service commission are good, too, because they make the people aware of the waste that's going on in government.

The investigator thinks the study will be used by the new administration and that more changes will come about.

Editorials/Opinions

No Room for Gripping After This Election

It was a sad moment for the City of Charlevoix last week when election officials announced there would be no primary election.

Was it because the city could not afford to hold an election? Or was it because of a long extended weather forecast that predicted that everyone would be snowed in so much, there would be only emergency transportation available?

No, it simply was because there was no interest.

We wish we could say that this was the first time that Charlevoix has experienced a no-contest election, but unfortunately it is not.

This editorial is not to criticize the candidates who did file their petitions because we feel that they should be commended for being willing again to serve our local government.

Our unhappiness is with the hundreds of other local residents who have again decided not to become involved in city government.

Government can only be as good as the people that are running it and we are sorry to see that Charlevoix residents

will not have competition in the primary.

Even though it is easier to say that the present city officials are doing the job to our satisfaction, there is nothing that makes an elected official more accountable to his constituency than competition for his office.

Races in local elections also help a candidate evaluate himself because an election is a time when a politician has to get out and hear what his voters are looking for and wanting.

Charlevoix residents will not have the opportunity in this primary election to re-evaluate their elected officials. Nor will elected officials have a chance to get out and sell themselves to their public.

Similarly, Charlevoix residents will have no right to complain about city government because they have not been willing to take an active role in determining that government this year.

We hope this is the last time that the Charlevoix Courier will have to report that Charlevoix city elections have been cancelled due to lack of interest.

Give Your Lungs the Break They Deserve. Celebrate Nonsmokers Week

This is National Smoking Education Week. The seven days have been dedicated to the theme "Help yourself—help a friend," according to the Michigan Lung Association.

The association is trying to insure that awareness and enforcement of the new Michigan laws protecting the rights of the nonsmoker do not go up in a puff of smoke. Nonsmokers are being asked to help their friends by letting them know what the new laws mean. Smokers can cooperate by complying with signs asking for no smoking in certain public places.

It has been 13 years since the first Surgeon General's report linked cigarette smoking with major health problems such as cancer, heart and lung disease. It has only been in the last four years that the effects of smoking on the nonsmoker have been studied.

It has been found that smoke from the burning end of a cigarette contains higher concentrations of harmful substances than the smoke inhaled by the smoker, twice as much tar and nicotine, five times as much carbon monoxide and forty-six times as much ammonia.

Carbon monoxide levels in some poorly ventilated smoke-filled rooms have been found to exceed levels considered safe in industry and above the levels permitted by regulation of the

Environmental Protection Agency.

During this week all people, smokers and nonsmokers alike, should learn about the four new Michigan laws which regulate smoking in hospitals, nursing homes, restaurants and grocery stores. The hospital and nursing home bills took effect immediately when they were passed last year. The other two bills become effective April 1.

The new law affecting grocery stores and supermarkets restricts smoking to designated areas that are isolated from the retail food area for staff and the public. The new law regulating restaurants provides that a restaurant with a seating capacity of 50 or more has to designate a nonsmoking section at the request of a patron.

None of us would wish friends to live in an area of the country that is filled with air pollution, yet many of us, through smoking, create an environment that is just as unhealthy.

In order to protect the rights and the health of us all—we must cooperate with the new laws since the burden of their enforcement is largely with the private citizen.

We can all live in a better environment and breathe easier if we follow the laws and think of our neighbors.

LISTEN TO THE TAXPAYER



Clockwise

by Bob Clock

Turn back the clock to the darkened bedrooms of your childhood and feel the cold fingers on your spine as you and your siblings exchange "ghost stories" before going to sleep. "I'm coming up one step, I'm coming up two steps, I'm walking down the hall."

The stories varied according to the architecture of the house, but in the end some wretched, disoriented child was always snatched up by a specter from the other world.

Of course, we knew our bedtime tales were make-believe. In fact we made most of them up ourselves. But I think that deep down inside many of us nourished secret little doubts about the phantoms we conjured from the grave. Were they really figments of our imagination, or is it possible that spirits of the dead actually do roam this earth?

When we were older, we read about hoodlums and his seances and his promise to send a message from the great beyond. We laughed, because when you are a teen it is smart to be cynical.

Still later when we began to lose those who were close to us, the cynicism was tempered by lingering doubts. One has only to view the remains of a loved one at a funeral home to realize that the body and the spirit are totally separate entities, neither one less real than the other. It is the realization that the spirit is not in the casket too that makes grief bearable.

Up until recently, there were things that one didn't discuss in public for fear of being regarded as a lunatic. But those days are fast drawing to a close, thanks to a growing cadre of highly respected medical doctors, nurses, and others who attend the dying who report that there does indeed seem to be a separation of the spirit from the body at the time of death.

And their best testimony comes from the "dead" themselves—those victims of disease and accident who are clinically dead, but who through a fluke of nature return to this mortal coil for another fling at life. Still other reports have come from the lips of persons who

were only minutes or seconds away from death.

What has startled the medical profession into a serious study of the phenomena are the striking similarities between the "hallucinations" of their dying patients. The victim often hears himself pronounced dead and hears a loud ringing or buzzing noise, accompanied by movement through a long, dark tunnel. Then suddenly he is outside his body, looking on as a spectator at frantic efforts to revive him. Suddenly, he is surrounded by the spirits of dead relatives and friends. Often he is confronted by a bright light and asked non-verbally to evaluate his life, while watching an instant replay of his highlights.

All in all it's a rather pleasant experience, and many report a feeling of disappointment when they must return to the land of the living because their time has not yet come.

Will the medical profession ever be able to come up with scientific data to substantiate its new suspicions about the nature of death? I doubt it. The evidence must remain circumstantial, although it apparently is growing in volume and impressiveness every day. If it is safe to assume that the world's great religions will assess the new evidence very carefully, since the idea of life-after-death is basic to many of them, including Christianity, I would not be surprised if many Bible stories grew out of experiences such as those encountered by Dr. Raymond A. Moody Jr. in his new book, "Life After Life."

Spiritualism, which has been treated with raised eyebrows for generations, certainly will gain new stature in light of the recent disclosures. The theory of reincarnation also is supported by the new evidence, since it holds that spirits can and do move from one plane to another and back again—throughout history.

And what about ghost stories? Could they be true? Golly, I'm sorry you asked.

Letters to the editor

Injustice Should be Exposed

Dear Editor:

Re: Lack of Legal Democracy in Charlevoix Area

It was with sorrow and joy that I read your exposure of legal problems in Charlevoix-legal and moral. I am sorry for the parties involved in the episode. But joyous that the lack of legal justice in Charlevoix has finally been exposed. The Nixon Type of Cover-up must be stopped everywhere. I am sure that I am only one of many that feel certain that the attitude of a few people in national, state and local levels is that Justice is only for those who have prestige, political clout, proper profit sharing, legal or illegal or have some emotional ties with a member of the legal fraternity, moral or immoral. The common people receive the crumbs, if any, of justice and notoriety without mercy.

I'm sure many people, of various groups, will condemn you for this exposure. Even though I do not always agree with your Editorials—as such as increasing the salaries of judges—nor do I believe that the public has the right to know "all," nevertheless, I must stand up and be counted in defending your right and duty to expose injustice to the public. This is different from just writing a gossip column.

I congratulate you for your courage in exposing what appears to be a politically entrenched judge. He may well cite you for contempt of court and force you to spend time in jail. Newsman have been so punished recently.

If the facts are correct, as you report them to the public, the judge appears to have joined in collusion with two attorneys to protect a key person in one

of his own corporate interests. The facts, as you present them, speak loud and clear.

I would remind your readers that any judge that will misuse authority, as exposed in your paper, might well join in collusion with other attorneys to deny real justice to people who might sue a person involved with him financially, such as a Title Ins. Co., a law and order fraternal brother or a political friend and financial supporter. Fair judgement in moral cases and complaints might also be suspect.

Having served as a township supervisor after retiring I am aware of many of the legal bureaucratic changes that have been made that have destroyed every justice and voting power of the common citizen. I could make many suggestions for equality but I will remind your readers of one that I have been making for years. Return the cornerstone of democracy to the local township precinct—especially by electing a non-politically affiliated judge and jury in each local area with complete authority to judge all local cases with common sense, common law, common decency (local accepted standards of conduct) and compassion. Real justice would be handed by the right of appeal to a higher court with attorneys and a political judge.

This court would preserve the right of the public to know—perhaps too much. In closing may I remind all concerned that our Heavenly Father is also the Judge of all of us. May He give His mercy to our community.

Happy New Year,
Rev. Robert H. Moore



Erma Bombeck

Do you ever get the feeling that life is a parade and you're standing behind Bill Russell?

While I was watching television the other night, a commercial came on about a shower nozzle that massaged your entire body with four different sprays. The bathes twisted and squealed with such delight that I sat forward in my chair to see what was turning her on.

Finally, she flipped her head and whispered huskily, "Have a GOOD time with your water spray."

I shrugged and figured there was a woman who could make a party out of a tax audit and forgot it.

During the next break, a commercial came on of a man so beat I thought he was going to expire before my eyes. All he had tried was a shower, jet travel, and baking from scratch. Maybe all I needed to create some excitement was a shower spray to sweep me off my feet.

I took 45 minutes for my son to relinquish the bath room to me. The steam opened up pores that had been closed for repairs. Turning on the spigot caused the shower to drench my head in water as he had forgotten to push down the plunger. The soap was in a liquid form in the soap dish. A bottle of shampoo without a lid spilled onto my feet. The spray was at eye level and knocked me into the wall.

I don't think showers will ever replace volleyball.

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I love my wife

suddenly. The only way I could dull the pain was to turn my head as far right as possible, and press my chin firmly into the palm of my right hand. I had to forget that my mother taught me never to put my elbow on the table, or die. Unfortunately, my wife was sitting on my left. And there were several people who knew us in the restaurant.

"You haven't looked at me even once since we sat down," my wife said. "People will think you hate me."

"I don't care what people think, I love you," I said.

My wife didn't hear me, but a waitress walking by on my right did. "I am not your waitress," she said. She obviously wondered why I was making love to her, a stranger, while chewing egg foo yung and holding my chin in my hand.

The clincher came two days later, when no one would believe I wasn't holding a grudge because of wet socks. My wife was suddenly sicker than my back was sore. By phone, a doctor we'd never seen told us to speed to a hospital we'd never seen—Providence, in Southfield.

Her treatment was completed in about 5 hours, so a nurse phoned for me at home. I wasn't there. She phoned my

office, and I wasn't there, either.

The nurse explained to the switchboard girl that my poor wife was prone and weak in the hospital, unable to fend for herself, and needed her husband. My co-workers agreed they had no idea where I was. Probably some bar.

What manner of rat-husband is it who would leave his wife to languish inside a coffin-sized cubicle, shrouded by curtains and surrounded by the terrible screams of unfortunate people who have just learned their illness is not covered by Blue Cross?

It is bad enough that he would threaten to kill her, and would refuse to look at her when they dined together in a restaurant. How can socks get so wet that wet. The nurse finally found me by looking in the waiting room where I had been sitting for 5 hours, reading a five-month-old Reader's Digest and watching people blow smoke at the "We-Thank-You-For-Not-Smoking signs."

I would never abandon my wife in a hospital. I don't hate her, even if I do squish when I walk. I want the world to know I love her, and only her.

That thing with the waitress on my right is mere infatuation.

Meet Charlevoix

...Joan Blanchard

This time of year, when personal property such as boats or furniture were included in the sale.

COURIER: You do some assessing, don't you?

BLANCHARD: Only for five units that don't have certified assessors—Norwood, Pease, St. James, and South Arm Townships, and the City of East Jordan.

COURIER: What is a certified assessor?

BLANCHARD: One who has passed a state examination on assessing property.

COURIER: What else does your department do?

BLANCHARD: As mentioned above, we gather historical information and analyze it. People create values by buying and selling. We only measure them. Our department also works with assessors, helping them with difficult situations. We get a lot of taxpayers in our office. We explain to them how assessing works. Usually they want to know if their neigh-

bors are assessed at the same level they are. We are also completing a complete appraisal, started in 1962, of all property in the county for a card system. We have completed 14 townships and are now working on the last township and Boyne City. Once this work is completed, each unit can have a copy just for the cost of recording, so they will get the zeros at a very small fraction of actual cost. Of course, it will be up to the assessors to maintain the card system. The two girls in the front office keep busy with people-traffic and making name and address changes and updating maps showing splits of property. We have drawn up complete maps for the entire county. The office is open to the public and we wish they would use it.

COURIER: There are rumors that property taxes will increase as much as 25 percent next year. Is this true?

BLANCHARD: No. These rumors make me unhappy.

There will probably be an increase of about 7 1/2 percent, from what I can see from my equalization studies, based on appraisals of individual pieces of property compared with assessments. I don't like misinformation getting around to people. I believe in the philosophy that people should know, but they should get the correct information. An individual's taxes could possibly go up 25 percent but if they do, that individual hasn't been carrying his fair share and has been assessed too low. However, any increase is not my job. It is up to the Board of Commissioners and I have no idea what they will do this spring.

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County Spends \$32,241 on Court Appointed Attorneys

The cost of justice these days includes not only the costs of paying judges and prosecutors and the costs of maintaining the courts, but the cost of court-appointed attorneys.

Last year, \$32,241.28 was paid to attorneys appointed by Charlevoix County courts, \$19,357.77 for Circuit Court, \$14,883.51 for District Court, and \$7,999.63 for Probate (including Juvenile) Court. District Judge David W. Ferber explains that everyone brought to court who needs an attorney, but who is financially indigent must, by law, be furnished one at the expense of the county. Also, some who are not financially indigent but who do not have

enough ready cash are furnished attorneys but ordered to repay the court on an "installment" basis.

Many people represent themselves in the misdemeanor cases in District Court, but in the felony cases in Circuit Court, it is more important that defendants have legal representation because of the nature of the cases, which are more complicated and more serious.

The installment paybacks amounted to \$5,011 last year, bringing the total cost of court-appointed attorneys down to \$27,230.28. Of this amount, \$2,602 was repaid to Circuit Court and \$2,400 to District Court.

Even A Scot

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FRI.: Country fried steak, mashed potatoes w. gravy. Fruit cocktail.

MON.: Tomato soup w. crackers. Peanut butter sandwich. Chilled peaches.

TUES.: Hamburgers w. catsup. A mushroom. Tossed salad. Chilled peaches.

WED.: Pizza. Buttered peas. Fruit cocktail. Bread, butter & milk. SERVED WITH ALL MEALS.

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State Tourist Officials Kid Counterparts

Western Noses Get Rubbed in Michigan Snow

By TOM DAMMANN

Readers of the Denver (Colorado) POST were somewhat disgruntled on the first Sunday of 1977 to find an advertisement placed in the paper by the West Michigan Tourist Association.

"Our squirrels were right," the ad read, "We're up to our ears in snow."

The snow, which has been falling pretty regularly since the first of the year, has been a real boon to the ski resorts in the state.

The result has Michigan winter resort areas chortling with glee.

"The boom we're in right now is unbelievable," says West Michigan Tourist Association, which placed the ad in the POST. "We've more

and better snow than ever before for the first seven weeks of the season. It's been a great shot in the arm for the snowmobilers too."

"Ski resorts are running as much as 42 percent ahead of last year and last year was a record year," Tebeau said in a telephone interview.

"Boone County slopes had the best Christmas-New Years Week in the 30-year history of the county," Howard Erickson, company spokesperson, said. "And we're still going great guns. We've had an overall business increase of 15 percent since we opened on Thanksgiving."

Erickson said people came in campers and motor homes and stayed in the resort parking lots because there were no rooms to be had.

Doris Sarns, owner-operator of Nub's Nub at Harbor Springs, said that the week after the holidays is holding up better than ever before and the rest of the season looks real good.

Here in Charlevoix there wasn't a motel room to be had during the holidays.

Tom Hollow, President of the First State Bank of Charlevoix, tells of one client who rented his three-bedroom home for \$80 a day.

"And the renters agreed to take care of the dog," Hollow said.

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Ann Peterson Marries Max Davis at St. Marys

Ann Peterson and Max Davis, U.S. Coast Guard, exchanged their wedding vows at a ceremony solemnized at St. Mary's church Saturday afternoon.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Peterson of Charlevoix and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Davis of Bald Knob, Arkansas.

The Rev. R. Dale Magoon officiated at the double ring service in the presence of 80 guests. Arrangements of white rums and pink carnations graced the altar for the ceremony. Mrs. Brenda LaBlanc, of the organ, played a program of traditional music including "We've Only Just Begun" and "Love Story" and the wedding march and recessional.

The bride, escorted to the altar by her father, chose a gown of white polyester knit

for her wedding. Fashioned with the empire waist, the V-neckline and long sleeves of the gown were accented with Victorian lace, seed pearls and sequins. The full skirt fell to a ruffle at the hemline. A headpiece of the Victorian lace secured her lace-trimmed nuptial veil. She carried a bridal bouquet of white carnations and pink roses.

Mrs. Fred Sommerfeld served as her mother of honor and her sister, Sue Peterson, as bridesmaid. They wore identical empire gowns of beige print styled with long sleeves and matching head-dresses made by Mary Russell. Each carried two long-stemmed pink carnations tied with matching streamers.

Thomas Koerner assisted the bridegroom as best man. Ronald Signs was groom

man. Both are stationed of the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station. Jon and Matt Peterson, brothers of the bride, seated the guests.

Mrs. Peterson selected a full-length print skirt, forest green blazer and matching green blouse for her daughter's wedding. Mrs. Davis, mother of the bridegroom, wore an aqua skirt with matching sweater and blazer.

A reception, hosted by the bride's parents, followed at the Weatheravene Inn. Jackie Russell cut the wedding cake. Debbie Peterson tended the guest book.

After a wedding trip to

southern Michigan, the couple will be at home at 1014 Alameda st.

Wedding guests were present from Michigan, Arkansas and Hawaii. The bride-elect is a graduate of Charlevoix High School and attended Central Michigan University and Northwestern Michigan College. She is presently employed at the Charlevoix Agency, Inc.

Her fiancé graduated from Boyne City High School and is stationed with the United States Navy in Orlando, Florida.

The bridegroom's parents hosted a rehearsal dinner at the Weatheravene Inn on Friday evening.

First State Bank Contributes to Radio

The proposed public broadcasting FM radio station got a boost from Charlevoix recently.

Louis Hollow, president of the First State Bank of Charlevoix, announced that the bank had contributed to the radio fund.

As part of the bank's continued involvement in community affairs, we are pleased to join others who through their contributions are helping Central Michigan University in the development of expanded FM broadcasting for northern Michigan.

Gaylord Petoskey, Charlevoix, Cheboygan

January Birthstone

Garnet, a gemstone that comes from nature in several colors including orange, red, purple, and green, the dark red garnet is the most popular and commonly used color for the January birthstone.

In early times this color of garnet was referred to as a carbuncle, from the blood red color. Some Alaskan tribes have even used garnets as bullets, believing that this blood-colored stone would inflict a more deadly wound than lead.

Such bullets were used by the Kavalonians in 1872, during their hostilities with the British troops on the Kavalon Peninsula. Many of these precious missiles have been preserved to this day as curiosities.

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4 Locations: Gaylord Petoskey, Charlevoix, Cheboygan

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. Jack C. Grubaugh of Charlevoix announce the engagement of their daughter, Diane Elaine, to SN David J. Knapp. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John N. Knapp of Boyne City.



Diane Grubaugh

The bride-elect is a graduate of Charlevoix High School and attended Central Michigan University and Northwestern Michigan College. She is presently employed at the Charlevoix Agency, Inc.

Her fiancé graduated from Boyne City High School and is stationed with the United States Navy in Orlando, Florida.

The bridegroom's parents hosted a rehearsal dinner at the Weatheravene Inn on Friday evening.

Luella Kitson Selected for More Training

Airman Luella L. Kitson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis W. Kitson of R.R. 2, East Jordan, Mich., has been selected for technical training at Chute AFB, Ill., in the Air Force metalworking field.

The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex., and studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

Airman Kitson is a 1974 graduate of East Jordan High School.

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Citizens Group Sponsors Tours at Middle, High Schools

Residents of the Charlevoix School District are invited to tour the Charlevoix Middle and High Schools later this month.

The Committee of Interested Citizens have issued the invitation for the tours at the Middle School scheduled for Jan. 26 and 27. Members of the Charlevoix High School student council will serve as tour guides at the tours of the Middle School scheduled for 9:30 and 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. both days and at the high school at 10:30 and 11:15 a.m. and 12 noon on the same days.

The tours are being conducted at these hours to acquaint the residents of the district with the conditions that exist during school hours.

Masons Take Lead In Cribbage Tourney

Eight tables were in play Thursday as the annual Oddfellows masonic cribbage tournament got underway, according to Sims Baker, tournament secretary.

The Masons played a 117-point lead on opening night with Harland Speer tallying 960 points to lead the Masons. Lawrence Bergmann had a

high score of 950 for the Oddfellows.

The Oddfellows are the defending champions in the tournament which runs for 12 weeks at the American Legion post home. All cribbage players in the community are invited to participate in the tourney. The tournament is played at 8 p.m. every Thursday.

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Home Grown Orchids Bring Beauty in Winter

By PAULA HOLMES

In the midst of one of the snowiest winters in Charlevoix in recent history, Elsa Harkonen is enjoying some of the advantages of the more tropical states like Florida and the Hawaiian Islands.

Mrs. Harkonen has succeeded in getting an orchid plant to bloom in her living room. And while the snow and ice lick at her apartment window, she is safe inside enjoying the beauty of the fragile flower.

The plant, which she received from some local residents in late October, has produced five lavender-colored, ruffled-petaled blossoms. And it appears the plant will be flowering from another stem, which promises to produce as many blossoms within the month.

"I've been interested in plants for the last couple of years," Mrs. Harkonen said. "I haven't had much luck until lately."

"I like a challenge and the orchids have been one," she said. "People ask me why I don't go to Florida and see the orchids growing there, but that isn't any challenge."

The grandmothers said she gave the plant tender loving care to make it grow. That included watering the plant every four days to one week, misting the plants every day to keep the humidity up, running a grow light for 12 to 15 hours a day, and feeding it fish emulsion fertilizer every so often.

She also watches the temperature of her apartment, keeping it at 70 degrees during the day and at 65 at night, and she makes sure the humidity is high enough for the plants. She keeps two bowls of water near the plants under the grow light to keep the humidity high.

Mrs. Harkonen also waters her plants in an unusual way. She completely immerses the

plant in water.

"I wait until the plant is completely dry and then I make sure it is watered completely," she said explaining her method. "It may take up to one-half hour to water the bigger plants."

She cautioned people against over watering their plants and she suggested that they wait to water the plants until they are completely dry.

Mrs. Harkonen also takes time to talk to her plants each day.

"It's important to talk to them," she said. "It helps them grow."

And she says that if you listen and watch closely, the plants might talk back to you. In addition to the flowering orchid plant, Mrs. Harkonen has two other orchids, a Leaf of Life plant, ivy, Hoya, Egyptian Beauty, Hawaiian Tye, lemon tree and a tomato and strawberry plant.

She is also plant sitting four plants for a neighbor, while she is on vacation.

"The plants certainly brighten up the room don't they," a visitor remarked to Mrs. Harkonen.

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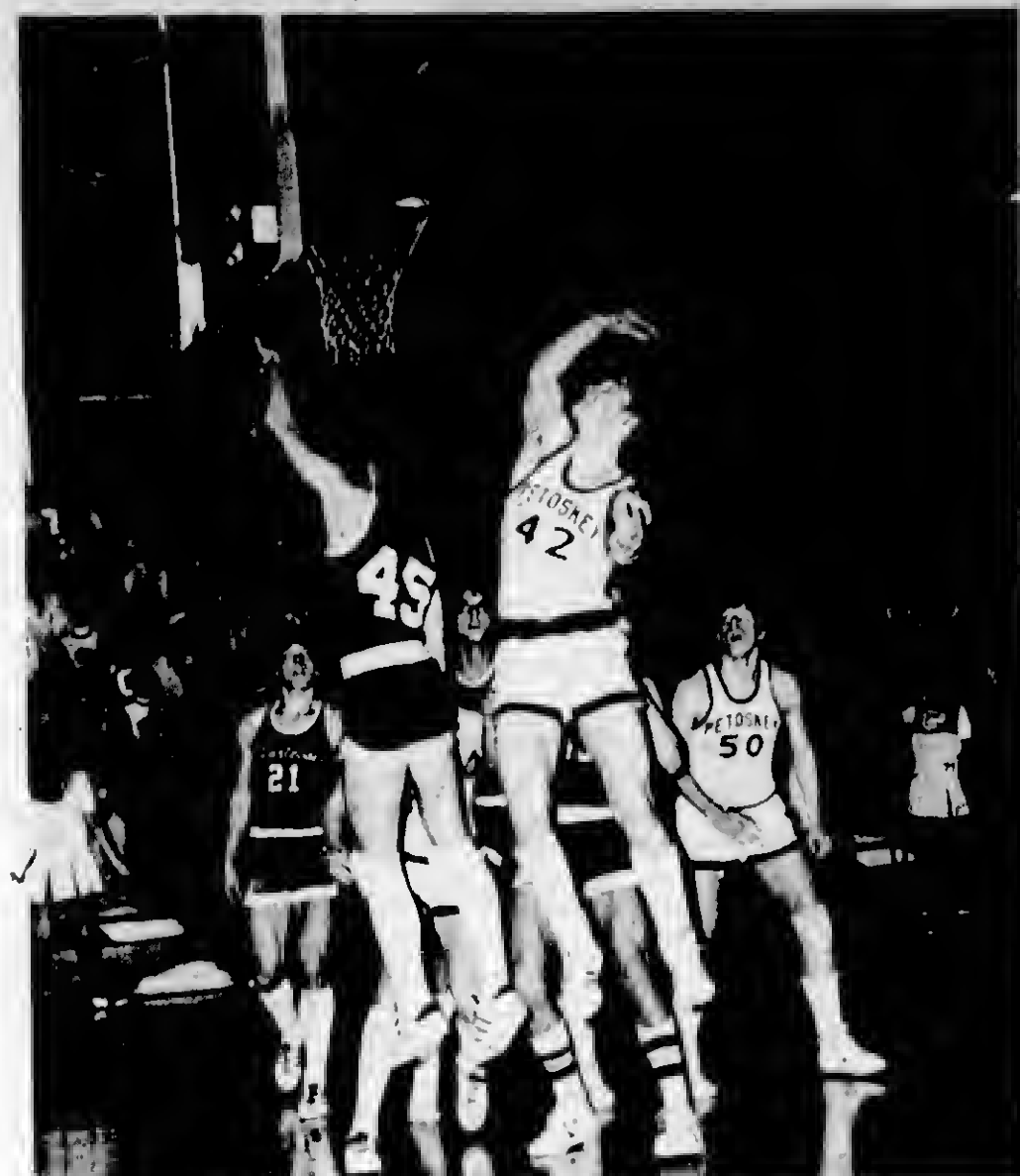
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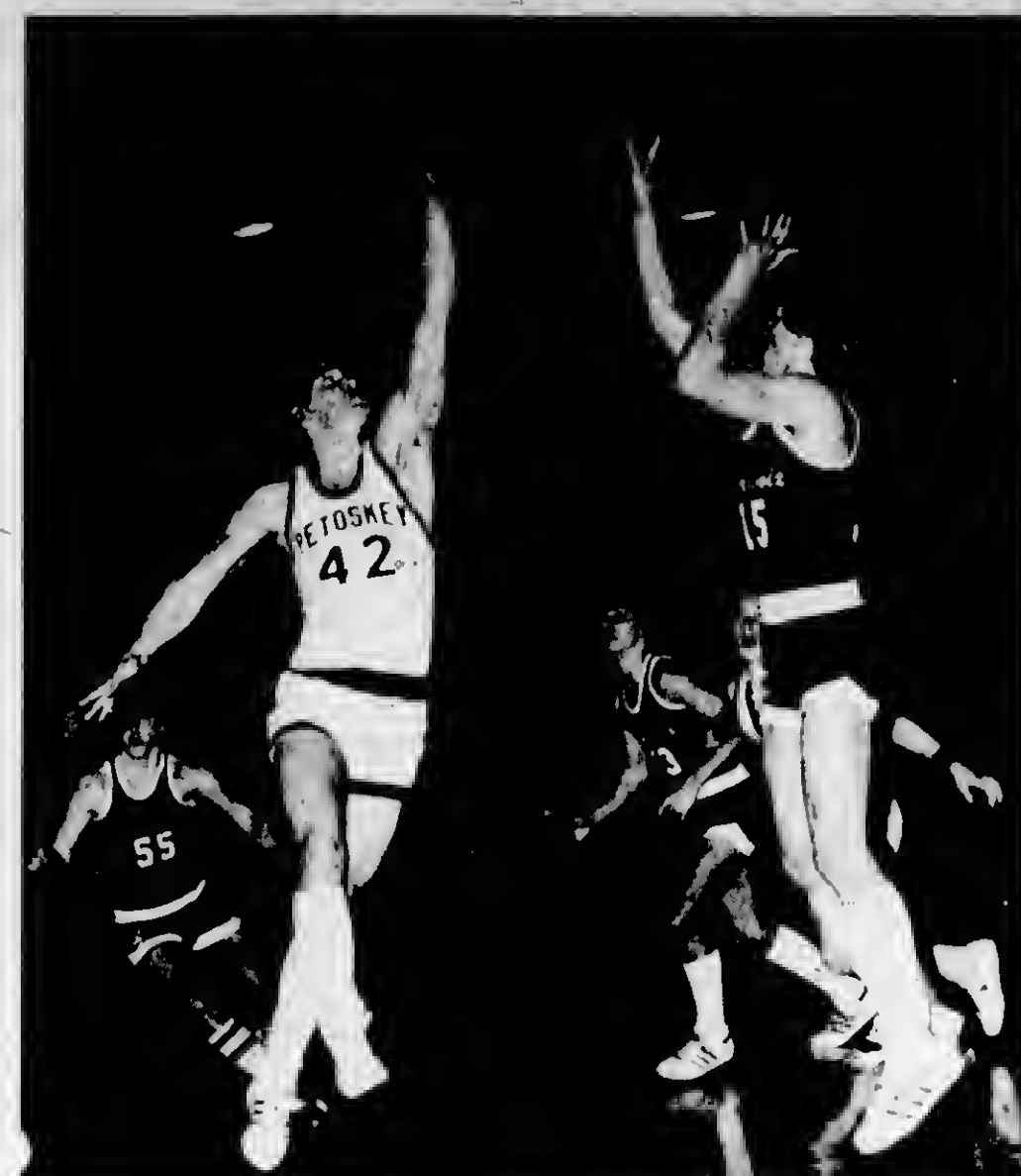
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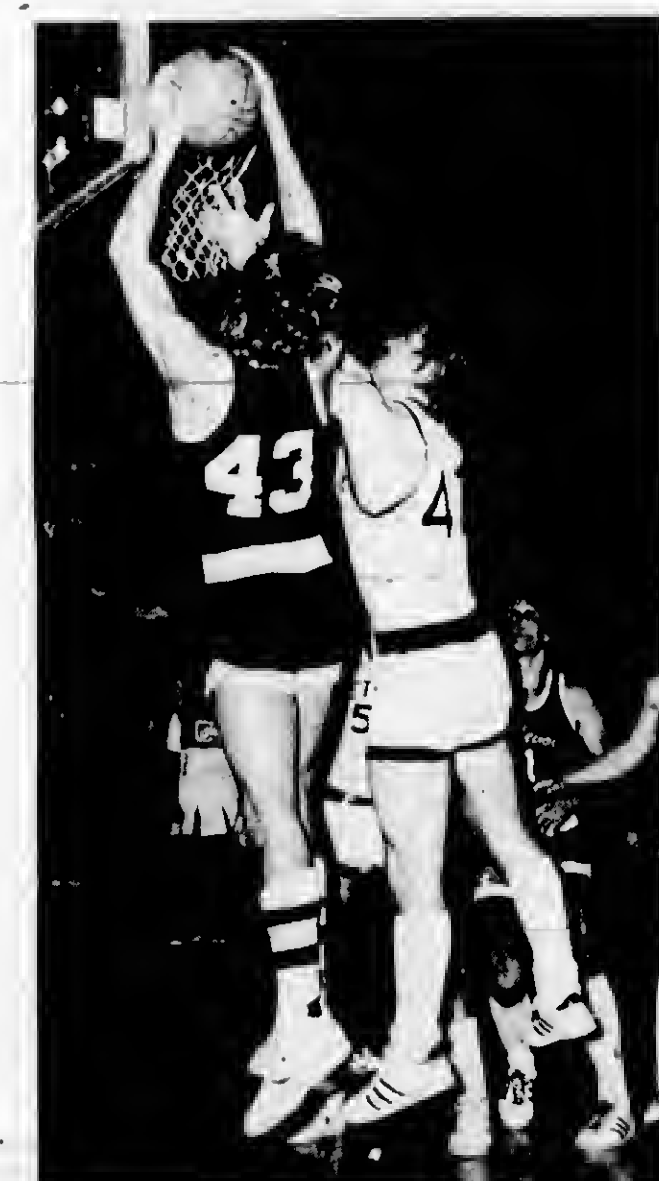


IT WAS Bud Klooster with the shot in this case. But Mike Doctor (42) of Petoskey was ready and waiting for the rebound.

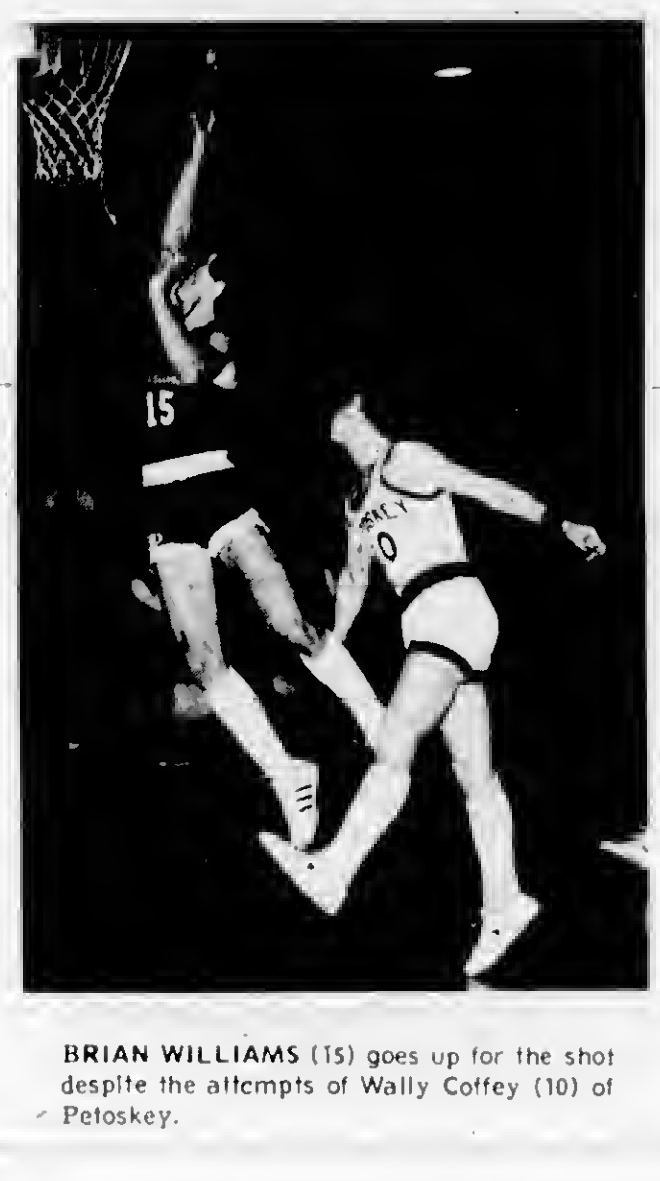


MIKE DOCTOR (42) of Petoskey and Brian Williams (15) were high in the air for this point.

Rayders Pick Off Two More Games



MATT DOAN (43) takes to the air with Petoskey's Mike Doctor (42) right behind him.



BRIAN WILLIAMS (15) goes up for the shot despite the attempts of Wally Coffey (10) of Petoskey.



CHARLEVOIX'S Matt Doan (42) goes up for the shot and Gaylord's Scott Rich (52) and Jerry Sorenson (53) can only watch as the ball slips through the hoop.



SCOTT BOSS (21) pumps the ball down court into the face of a Petoskey defensive man.



KIP CINNAMON (52) makes it tough for Gaylord player Scott Rich (52) to get a pass off as Cinnamon ties up the ball.

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Tie for First in League

Varsity Defeats Gaylord

By FRANK MARTIN

The Charlevoix Rayders posted a 87-80 win over Gaylord on the latter's floor Friday night to retain a share of first place in the Michigan-Huron Shores league.

The lead is shared with Boyne City after the Ramblers beat Rogers City 51-47 in an overtime game and Petoskey lost to St. Ignace 58-52.

The Rayders had to come from behind to win after trailing 19-8 at the quarter and 35-25 at halftime. However, as the second half got underway, Pat Schaefer made a mid-court steal early in the period to break a 37-37 tie and the Rayders were on their way as

they poured in 28 points to eight for the Blue Devils to take a 53-43 third period advantage.

Gaylord came back strong in the final period and with 4:50 remaining, trimmed the Rayders lead to one point. Personal fouls by Gaylord sent the Rayders to the free throw line where they connected on 8 of 11 attempts plus three buckets for the win.

Scott Boss paced the game with 26 points. Matt Doan added 12 points, Bud Klooster and Schaefer 10 each, Dave Tollas four, Brian Williams three and Kip Cinnamon two to account for the Rayders' 27

field goals and 13 of 18 free throws. They had 18 personal fouls.

Scott Rich led the attack for Gaylord with 20 points followed by Jerry Sorenson with 17 as their team scored 26 field goals and eight of 19 free throws attempts while collecting 14 personal fouls.

MHS Standings

	W	L
Boyne City	6	1
Charlevoix	5	1
Petoskey	5	2
Gaylord	4	3
St. Ignace	3	3
Rogers City	2	4
Grayling	1	8
Cheboygan	0	7

Boards Made Difference In Rayder-Petoskey Game

The Charlevoix Rayders defeated the Petoskey Northmen by a decisive 80-43 score Tuesday night and, by virtue of the win, moved into a first place tie with the Northmen and the Boyne City Ramblers with a record of five wins and one loss in Michigan Huron Shores league play.

"It was the boards that made the difference," Coach Dave Moyer said of the victory over his alma mater, the first since he took over as court coach.

He went on to say that he realized Petoskey was without two of its regulars who were

on the injured list but added that he didn't think they would have made that much difference in the game.

Neither team was playing its best brand of ball. The Rayders were able to control the boards but connected on only 37 percent of their shots from the floor. Petoskey, on the other hand, connected on only 27 percent of its shots.

The Rayders moved into an 18-10 first period advantage and continued to lead 31-21 at halftime and 40-32 at the three-quarter point before outscoring the visitors 20-9 for the wide spread at the final horn.

Bud Klooster led the scoring with 14 points followed by Matt Doan with nine, Scott Boss with eight, Dave Tollas and Kip Cinnamon with six each; Pat Schaefer four, Brian Williams, Jim Eltings, Joe Left and Tom Fowler, two points each and Woody Pearson with one point.

Mike Doctor had 14 points and Keith Nickerson 11 for the Northmen.

Charlevoix had 26 field goals and eight of 15 free throw attempts. Petoskey had 19 from the floor and seven of 10 from the line.

County State Bank Moves Into 1st Place Tie in B League

By FRANK MARTIN

Action in the B League of the Independent Basketball League last week saw County State Bank moved into a first place tie in Division 11 with LaBance Insurance following the latter's forfeit to Tri-City Asphalt.

County State Bank defeated Bay Shore Steel 63-57 to move into the top of the bracket while Freedman's was downing Hoskins 65-44; Wojan Aluminum was trouncing Medusa 59-29 and Klooster John Deere was edging Allray Cottages 46-40.

Jerry Skippergosh set a new scoring record for the season as he poured in 39 points to lead County State Bank to a 63-57 win over Bay Shore Steel who played the entire game with only four players.

The Steelers, after trailing 16-12; 34-28 and 47-44 by quarters, knotted the score 55-

55 with a minute to go before County State pulled away for the win. Tom Peterson scored 12 points for the Bankers. Vince Left had 30 points and Tom McDonough 19 for Bay Shore Steel.

After trailing 14-13 at the first quarter, Freedman's caught fire and took a 29-23 lead at halftime and went ahead 47-33 at the three-quarter mark before coasting to victory over Hoskins. Terry Bissett and Steve McClellan with 14 points each and Steve Martin and Bill Joy with 11 each paced the win. Clay Jones had 18 and Chuck Bascom 12 points for Hoskins.

Twelve points each by Don Ward, Don Smith and Stan Martin accounted for the lion's share of the scoring as Wojan Aluminum led Medusa 17-5; 27-11 and 37-29 by quarters. Bob Holtzman had 10 for Medusa.

After overcoming a 12-9 first period deficit, Klooster John Deere took over 25-22 at halftime and 37-32 going into the final period before posting a 46-40 win over Allray Cottages. Hal Evans and Butch Wagner had 15 points each and Dave Martinchek and Jay Mesoryak 12 each for Allray Cottages.

Tri-City Asphalt continues to pace both divisions with an 8-0 record after the LaBance Insurance forfeit.

Division 1		
Tri-City Asphalt	8	0
Freedman Artcraft	5	3
Klooster John Deere	3	5
Medusa	2	8
Bay Shore Steel	1	7
Division 11		
County State Bank	8	2
LaBance Insurance	8	2
Hoskins	4	4
Wojan Aluminum	4	4
Allray Cottages	1	7

Grapplers Defeat St. Ignace Team

The Charlevoix Rayder grapplers posted a 53-4 win over St. Ignace Thursday night on the local mat. The Charlevoix JV squad dropped its match to St. Ignace by a score of 18-15.

98 pound class: Dave Golovich won by forfeit. 105: Lee DeMottelli lost by 8-1 decision to Jim Belonga. 112: Ron Hilton pinned John Benjen in 2:56.

119: Jeff Skelton lost by a 12-9 decision to Andy Lehto. 126: Gene Morrison draw 9-9 with Mike Lehto. 132: Kitley pinned Pope in 2:25.

138: Craig Golovich pinned Dennis Brown in 4:31. 145: Dan Bruce won by a pin in 2:46 over Greg Peterson. 155: Andy Keller won by an 8-4 decision over Mark Gryderman.

165: Gary Probert won by a pin in 1:45 over Steve Engle. 178: Dennis Whitley won by an 11-7 decision over Steve Moody.

194: Greg Chappuis won by an 8-6 decision over Mike Pernble. Heavyweight: Jerry Sladek won by a pin in 3:13 over Wade Marshall.

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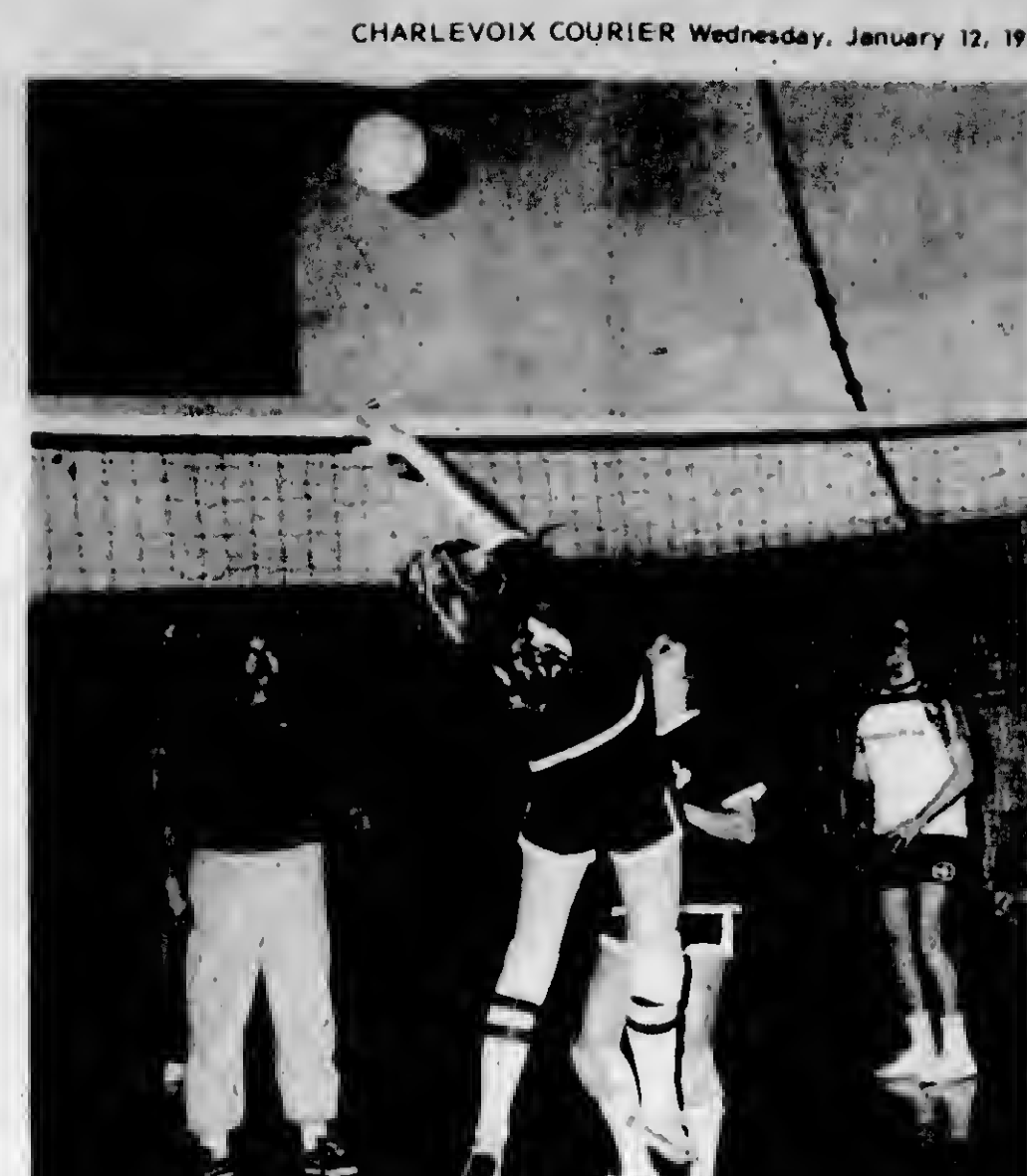
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Welcome Wagon



JULIE WIMMER SMASHES the ball across the net with a strong serve during a recent scrimmage between the high school varsity volleyball team and a men's recreation league team.



THE VARSITY volleyball team scrimmaged against one of the men's recreation league teams. Here a player goes up for a spike.

JVs Drop Game to Northmen

The Charlevoix JV team suffered its first loss of the season last week at the hands of the Petoskey JV's, losing by a slim 46-45 margin.

Charlevoix trailed as much as 10 points in the game before closing the gap as time ran out.

Petoskey led 15-14 at the quarter; 31-21 at halftime and

39-33 at the three-quarter mark before the Rayders came on strong in the last eight minutes to outscore the visitors 12-8 and cut the winning margin to one point.

The Rayders lost the game on the free throw line, connecting on only one of eight attempts after outscoring Petoskey 22-21 in the field goal department. Petoskey was

successful on four of 10 attempts.

Pat Schmidt had 14 points for Charlevoix with Bob Drost adding nine; Barney Way, Kevin Kratt and Gilbert Nolrot six each and Doug Huday four points.

Eric Swenor who put in the winning points had 18 for the game.

Gaylord JVs Win, 50-46

The Charlevoix JV's dropped their second game in a week Friday when they lost to Gaylord by a score of 50-46.

A surge by the young Blue Devils late in the game when they overcame a 39-35 deficit by outscoring the visitors 15-8 cost them the victory.

Though the young Rayders outscored their hosts 23-22 from the floor, the Blue Devils went to the free throw line to pick up the winning points by connecting on six of 21 attempts. The Rayders, on the

other hand, missed all five attempts. Charlevoix had 19 personal fouls to nine for Gaylord.

The Rayders had jumped to a 18-8 first period lead, held on by three points 28-25 at halftime and 38-35 at the three quarter mark before Gaylord found the target and poured in 15 points to take the game.

Pat Schmidt had 18 points; Kevin Kratt, eight; Barney Way and Gilbert Nolrot, six each; Bob Drost, four, Todd Williams and Bob Plum, two

each for Charlevoix. Bob Lewis had 18 and Don Fleming 12 for Gaylord.

Two teams played to an 8-8 first period tie before the young Northmen edged ahead 18-13 at halftime and 29-15 going into the final period. The young Rayders outscored their hosts 15-12 in the last eight minutes but their efforts came too late as they ended up on the short end of the score.

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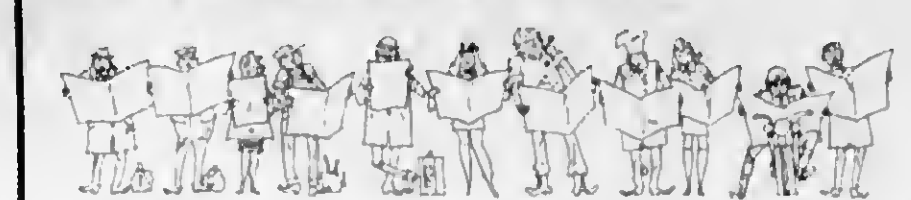
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THE CIRCUIT COURT

FOR THE COUNTY

OF GRAND TRAVERSE

OFFICE OF SALE

(FILE NO. 75-466-CH)

NATIONAL BANK AND

TRAVERS COMPANY OF

TRAVERSE CITY, a

National banking corporation,

Plaintiff,

RICHARD L. BROUGHTON

and JOANNE L.

BROUGHTON, husband and

wife, and

DONALD H. TISHMAN

and MARY JO TISHMAN,

husband and wife,

Defendants.

In Pursuance of and by virtue of

an Amended Judgment of the

Circuit Court for the County of

Grand Traverse, State of Michigan,

made and entered on the

22nd day of September, 1976, in

a certain cause therein pending

wherein NATIONAL BANK AND

TRUST COMPANY OF

TRAVERSE CITY was

Plaintiff and RICHARD L.

BROUGHTON and JOANNE L.

BROUGHTON, husband and

wife, and DONALD H. TISHMAN

and MARY JO TISHMAN,

husband and wife, were

Defendants, notice is hereby

given that I shall sell at public

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Courthouse in the City of

Charlevoix, Michigan, that

being the place of holding the

Circuit Court for said County,

on Wednesday, January 26,

1977, at 10 o'clock in the

forenoon, the following

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thence West 250 feet to the point

of beginning, being a part of the

Northwest quarter of the South-

west quarter, Section 20, Town

34 North, Range 7 West.

Philo E. Sumner

Charlevoix County Sheriff

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By: Richard W. Ford

Attorneys for Plaintiff

Business Address:

326 State Street

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Publication of Hearing

STATE OF MICHIGAN

FILE NO. 7154

The Probate Court of the

County of CHARLEVOIX

DESCRIBED AS FOLLOWS:

Estate of VERA ROZELLA

Tousley

TAKE NOTICE: On

February 3, 1977, at 10:00

A.M., in the Probate Court

room, Charlevoix, Michigan,

before the Hon. John T. Mur-

phy, Judge of Probate, a

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Petition of Vera Rozella

Tousley praying that her name

be changed from Vera Rozella

Tousley to Vera Rozella

Kraemer.

Vera Rozella Tousley

Petitioner

Box 1478

Boyne City, Mich.

Dated: January 10, 1977

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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE

FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in

the conditions of a certain

mortgage made the 28th day of

January, 1974, by Donald

Baxter and Margie Baxter, as

mortgagors, to United States of

America, as mortgagee, and

recorded on January 29, 1974, in

the office of the Register of

Deeds for Charlevoix County,

Michigan in Liber 138 of

mortgages on pages 54-57, on

which mortgage there is

claimed to be due and unpaid

at the date of this Notice Fif-

ty-four Thousand Four Hun-

dred Forty-four and 65/100

dollars (\$15,444.65) principal and

Two Hundred Fourteen and 51/100

dollars (24.51) interest; no

sum or proceeding at law or in

equity having been instituted to

recover the debt, or any part of

the debt, secured by said

mortgage, and the power of

sale contained in said mortgage

having become operative by

reason of such default.

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice

is hereby given that on March

250 feet; thence East 250

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Editorials/Opinions

Zoning Amendment Step In Right Direction

The Charlevoix Common Council should be commended for adopting the Site Plan Development Amendment to the Zoning Ordinance at a recent council meeting.

When running a city, just like when running any business, it is important to keep operational methods up to date. Once the rules under which a city or a business is operating get out of date, it is hard to keep things running smoothly.

This is the ease with the current city zoning ordinance. The more than 40-year-old law is grossly out of step with modern zoning throughout the state and the nation.

We have become one of the fastest growing areas in the nation and we have witnessed an influx of businesses and residents within the last few years that have led to a lot of development in our fair city.

However, in many cases our zoning ordinance was not adequate. The ordinance was not equipped to deal with the new ideas presented by developers and the city fathers found their hands were tied when they tried to do something about the proposed develop-

ment plans.

The new Site Plan Development Amendment gives council members a chance to review exactly what is going to be built, how it is going to be landscaped, what effects the proposed development might have on neighbors and on the city, and who is financing the development.

There should be no more surprises when it comes to new developments going up in the area. From now on council and city residents will know in advance what the new development will look like and they will have a chance to make constructive comments that will make the developments a welcome addition to the community instead of a despised surprise.

While the Site Plan Development Amendment is not the revamping the city zoning ordinance needs, it is a step in the right direction. It provides the city with additional protection in a time of rapid growth.

We urge the city council to continue working on the proposed new zoning ordinance to keep our city in step with the times and to protect us all.

In Order to Return Government to the People, People Must Participate

This week the 39th President of the United States will be sworn into office.

There has been much pre-ceremony publicity about the inaugural hoopla and about how it will be an inauguration for the people just as President-elect Carter's administration will be one for the people.

Such intentions are quite honorable and noble. It is time that government was returned to the people, many have heard to say in recent months.

But the catch is, do the people want the responsibility of the government that is going to be returned to them? Sure, a few mouth demands for more representation and grass roots decision, but on the whole very few seem interested in participating in government on the local level let alone on the national level.

Unfortunately, it were these same disinterested souls who were among those who yelled the loudest about Watergate or about a decision made by city council that they disagreed with.

In order to make our form of government work the way it was intended to work, the people must take an active interest and they must participate in government on all levels. The job cannot be left to someone else, we all must take a part.

In order to prevent more Watergates, the people must participate. In order to return the government to the people, the people must participate in the government.

At the beginning of this New Year make a resolution to participate.



Letters to the editor

Take a Look at Yourselves, Charlevoix Residents

Dear Editor:

I just read Meet Charlevoix in the paper and didn't really think they were talking about Charlevoix. Where are all these people? I've lived here 10 years and haven't seen any. In the summer you can hardly get on the golf course, and the harbor is full of boats from out of town and out of state. Ski slopes are not too bad but it isn't Pike's Peak you know, and the ice rink is in working order after Dec. 25, with 2 months shot for no reason.

I wish you luck Mr. Sandberg. I for one admire people with good intentions. I hope you do many good things for Charlevoix. It needs it!

And when you start asking questions about things please ask these for me. Why can't you find one person that doesn't gossip about his neighbor?

Why can't we have a good school system, with the taxes we pay? Why don't they have the high school students build a youth center instead of houses, and help the kids on drugs have something to do and somewhere to go. The Charlevoix Community is full of it.

Why does Charlevoix only have time for basketball, football, track, and wrestling?

Why doesn't Charlevoix have one good family restaurant with high chairs instead of high prices?

Signed,
Progress is needed, wanted, and can't be stopped!



If it Fittz

by Jim Fitzgerald

State gambling czar Gus Harrison wants more crime, or he'll quit.

Gus should move his office into the rear of a dry cleaning shop, behind a door that won't open unless the clerk pushes a button hidden below the cash register, on the same shelf as his gun.

Harrison is currently paid \$36,300 for running Michigan's lottery. He'll soon get a 6 percent raise to \$38,280. At the same time, state legislators are getting 36 percent raises to \$24,000. Legislators control Harrison's salary.

Gus is miffed. He says a 6 percent hike is insulting, when inflation has been 20 percent. He recently said he likes his job "but if things stay the way they are, the only way I'll be able to improve my medical health and attitude will be to get out."

The same week Harrison was leeching about his pay, he also announced the newest lottery gimmick. Beginning next spring, there will be a daily numbers game paying at least \$50 to 1.

"The new game comes closer to anything we've probably done," said Dave Hanson, one of Harrison's aides. "Close isn't good enough. If Harrison wants to become as rich as Edward G. Robinson in 1930 movie, he should quit

playing football with the law. He should operate like a total crook.

Harrison's new game will be competing directly with the illegal numbers racket. He can expect trouble, and he should prepare for it. For instance, he should order state troopers to install running boards on all patrol cars. This will facilitate getaways and make it possible for troopers to shoot up first finding a parking space.

Many numbers players rely on "dream books" to help them get lucky. The books interpret dreams in terms of numbers; if you dream of lions, for instance, the book might tell you to bet 416 because that's how many years it will be before Bill Ford fires Russ Thomas.

Harrison should publish the Michigan Lottery Dream Book. To justify the expenditure of public funds, the dream interpretations should have social significance. If you dream of Gov. Miliken, you should bet 156 because that's how many years it will be before he looks old enough to be Ronald Reagan's younger brother, the one who never gets the girl.

Gus has been selling lottery tickets at fixed locations. This won't do for the numbers game. The real crooks supply

After suffering through another weekend of sub-zero temperatures and blinding snow squalls, I have come to the conclusion that steps must be taken immediately to preserve the awful memory of the Winter of 1977 in the minds of Charlevoix's young.

After all, if this winter is allowed to pass Scott free, like say the winter of 1966 or the winter of 1974, then all of our efforts to bring it under control will be useless. Furthermore, our young will have learned nothing about coping with such winters. In the dim eventuality that another like it should ever come along.

What I propose is establishments of an organization to be called "The Survivors of Seventy-Seven" (SSS), consisting of Charlevoix residents who actually survive until spring without running off to Ft. Lauderdale or Daytona Beach in a fit of panic.

Of course, we will have to be rather strict about membership of the SSS will lose all of its meaning. Offhand, I would set the residency requirements at between Thanksgiving and Easter, depending at this point on how much snow we get after Easter. I further propose that the federal government enpanel a group of citizens, preferably outsiders who will be largely immune to local pressure groups, to determine who actually resided within the confines of Charlevoix between those two dates.

Once established, the convass will stand forever as the official membership roll of "The Survivors of Seventy-Seven" and hopefully will assume much the same character and exclusiveness as did the Durant Indian Role of the early 1900's. A spot on the roll of membership will be a mark of honor, such as physical stamina, internal fortitude and frostbite which should set the membership apart at once from the leering masses of society.

Furthermore, I propose that every winter, starting in 1978 and continuing until the last member of the SSS has gone to his reward, a festival shall be held in Charlevoix commemorating the winter the lakes froze before Christy-negs. I see the event as a city-wide

celebration with members coming from far and wide over in the years to relive the winter of 1977 in story and song.

I think we should meet in an unheated warehouse where we could huddle together and tell each other little stories about how the car wouldn't start for seven mornings in a row. Or about the night the furnace didn't stop running with the thermostat set on 58. Or the night it wouldn't run at all with the temperature at 15 below. Or how all the toilets froze solid at the Episcopal vicarage when the oil tanks ran dry.

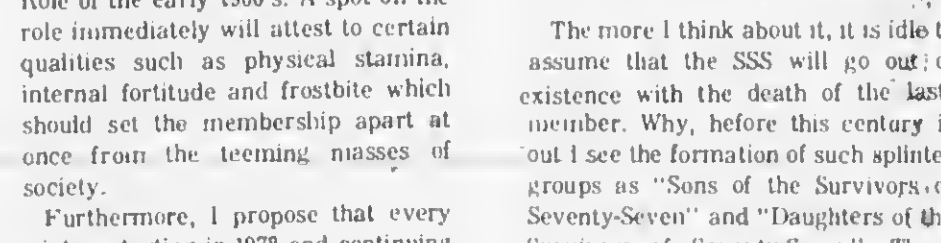
Of course, members of the SSS will deserve special tokens of recognition. Since T-shirts are the rage, I propose we all wear snow-white T-shirts with nothing emblazoned across the front. However, shoulder patches will be in order. I see them taking a variety of shapes, from crossed snow shovels to overdue utility bills.

I suppose we also should have our own handshake expressing contempt for the elements, but I'm not sure exactly what it should be. In any event, it should be performed with a gloved hand.

The SSS could remain in existence for 100 years or longer, with the annual reunions serving as a constant reminder to our progeny that they should never let down their guard against the forces of nature.

In later years, I see this group dwindling to only a handful of highly revered old men and women whose stories about the winter of 1977, like good wine, will improve with age. Maybe the University of Michigan will send a social historian to one of the conventions to put it all down on tape.

The more I think about it, it is idle to assume that the SSS will go out of existence with the death of the last member. Why, before this century is out I see the formation of such splinter groups as "Sons of the Survivors of Seventy-Seven" and "Daughters of the Survivors of Seventy-Seven." There may even be a "Friends of the Survivors of Seventy-Seven," but if it doesn't soon warm up enough to take showers, we may not have any friends left.



Erma Bombeck

Tomorrow, the 39th President of the United States takes office.

There are a lot of things I don't want to know about him.

I don't want to know his golf scores, his tennis scores, his bowling scores or see his spills if he is a skier. (It makes me nervous to see a President fumble a ball on first base.)

I don't want to see his scars if he has had surgery, especially if it involves taking off his necktie.

I don't want to know if he and the First lady share a double bed or go single. (I like to believe that a President's sex life is like that of my biology teacher who had a crush on in the 8th grade—non-existent.)

I don't want to see him stumbling off of Air Force One, or falling asleep during a commencement exercise at which he is the featured speaker.

I don't care what sign he was born under or whether or not he cheated in college. (It's too late to do anything about either one of them.)

I don't care to know what the First Family has for dinner or what they bought one another or where and if they attended church services on Sundays.

I don't want to know about the Men, women who creep into their lives. What I do want to know are the men and women he picks to surround him, his stand on major decisions, his feelings for people, his concern for us and our problems and how he intends to carry out these 35 words that he speaks today:

"I do solemnly swear that I will faithfully execute the office of President of the United States and will to the best of my ability preserve, protect and defend the Constitution of the United States."

That's really all the President owes us.

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supported crime would now be going to Lansing to support corruption. That's progress plus riches, all thanks to Gus Harrison. The Legislature would have to be tremendously impressed. Gus would get his 25 percent raise or George Ruff would find out the reason why.

The Legislature would also be wise to appoint an ad hoc committee to study exactly how Harrison accomplished the numbers takeover. It is entirely feasible that his methods could be applied profitably in other areas of government.

Boore, for instance. The state Liquor Control Commission is selling a lot of liquor now. I suppose, but what if the Legislature brought back Prohibition?

The possibility sloughs the mind. State booze salesmen could move in on bootleggers the same way Harrison ate up the numbers crooks. It would be easy.

The trick is simply to do the same things the crooks do, except send George Ruff to Lansing twice a day with a brown paper bag full of cash.

And if that's too hypocritical for your stomach, you too hypotheticals to do business manufacturing runoffs.

Thus all that money which formerly

Meet Charlevoix

...Virginia Nendorf and Dorothy Ward

Some say that the key to good health is exercise, fresh air and sunshine. Two women who can be seen following this advice every morning in sun or rain, sleet or hail are Virginia Nendorf and Dorothy Ward.

This week the sisters agreed to share their thoughts on exercise and health with the Courier.

COURIER: When did you first decide that you would go on a daily exercise plan?

WARD: We started doing this about seven years ago. NENDORF: We started by riding bicycles, then we added swimming and walking.

COURIER: How far do you walk and bicycle?

NENDORF: We bicycle about nine miles a day and in the winter we walk about seven miles a day, both trips take us about an hour. Also in the summer we swim about one-half mile a day.

COURIER: Where do you go?

NENDORF: We bicycle out

by the old sugar beet factory and then come in toward town and then go out Lake Shore Drive to the Medusa Cement Plant area. When we walk we go through the Chicago club and around the mountain (Mt. McSaba).

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WARD: If we have to miss our early morning walk because of a doctor's appointment or something, we usually make it up later in the day.

COURIER: Do you wear any special clothing while walking or biking?

NENDORF: In the winter we wear our snowmobile suits and boots and mittens. In the summer we wear shorts and tennis shoes and of course our swim suits when we go swimming. One summer I wore my bikini while I was hiking. Dorothy wouldn't rule with me then.

WARD: I think she was the talk of the town that year, but she sure did have a beautiful tan.

COURIER: Do you see many people on your walks and bike rides?

NENDORF: I'll say one thing for Charlevoix, it sure is friendly. Everyone we see waves. All the delivery people,

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Virginia Nendorf and Dorothy Ward

start off easy and not over do it. WARD: They should be in good health before they start and maybe they should even have a physical so that they know what kind of health they are in. When you start walking remember to walk briskly or it won't do you any good.

Hays Commission Sets Deadline for Land Use Plan

Due to the "chaotic" and "hodge-podge" zoning in the township, the Hays Township Planning Commission has given top priority to the establishment of a Land Use Plan, which will set guidelines for future development within the township.

The planning commission, which was created last fall, has set itself a June 1 deadline for the completion of the Land

Use Plan, according to Lillian Bergmann, chairman of the Planning Commission.

The decision to move rapidly on the development of the Land Use Plan was made at the first meeting of the new seven-member planning commission. The new board is made up of the old zoning board plus three new members appointed by the Hays Township Board.

Mrs. Bergmann said meeting the June 1 deadline is vital because that is when "people are looking around for signs saying, 'Hays Township Zoning In Effect.'" have been posted at the major entrances of the community so would-be property owners could not be misled by realtors saying, "you can do anything

you want with your property," the chairman explained.

The planning commission's goals to arrive at a Land Use Plan with maximum participation from township residents, Mrs. Bergmann invited township residents to attend all the planning commission meetings, which will be held on the second Tuesday of each month in the township hall.

The plan will consist of two parts: a Land Use Map and a 26- to 30-page document ex-

plaining the map's as well as the process used and questions asked by the planning commission in order to design the map.

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SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF CHARLEVOIX PUBLIC SCHOOLS, CHARLEVOIX AND ANTRIM COUNTIES, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD JANUARY 29, 1977

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that a special election of the qualified electors of Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, will be held in the Charlevoix Elementary School on Division Street, Charlevoix, Michigan, on Saturday, January 29, 1977.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK, P.M.

The following propositions will be submitted to the vote of the electors qualified to vote thereon at said special election.

I. BONDING PROPOSITION

Shall Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Two Million One Hundred Ninety Thousand Dollars (\$2,190,000) and issue its general obligation, unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of erecting, furnishing and equipping additions to, and remodeling and partially re-equipping the High School facilities; and developing and improving the site?

II. TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, be increased by 1 mill (\$1.00 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for a period of 5 years, 1977 to 1981, inclusive, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes to be used for necessary maintenance and repair of school buildings and to purchase necessary school equipment?

III. MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, be increased by 6.5 mills (\$6.50 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for a period of 3 years, 1977, 1978 and 1979 for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (this being a renewal of 6.5 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1976 tax levy)?

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT THE BONDS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, IF APPROVED BY A MAJORITY VOTE OF THE ELECTORS AT THIS ELECTION, WILL BE GENERAL OBLIGATION UNLIMITED TAX BONDS PAYABLE FROM GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES, SAID BONDS TO MATURE OVER A PERIOD OF APPROXIMATELY 16 YEARS.

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

I, Anah H. Potter, Treasurer of Charlevoix County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of January 7, 1977 the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Charlevoix County:	None
By Charlevoix Township:	2 mills, 1976-1979, inclusive
By Norwood Township:	None
By Hayes Township:	None
By Marion Township:	None
By Eveline Township:	2 1/2 mills, 1977
By the School District:	6 mills, 1976-1978, inclusive
	\$995,000 Bond Issue voted November, 1959
	\$1,595,000 Bond Issue voted April, 1968

Anah H. Potter
Treasurer, Charlevoix County, Michigan

I, Phyllis I. Mills, Treasurer of Antrim County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of January 6, 1977 the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Antrim County:	None
By Banks Township:	None
By the School District:	2 1/2 mills, 1977
By Intermediate District:	1 mill

Phyllis I. Mills
Treasurer, Antrim County, Michigan

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan.

KENNETH J. BOSS
Secretary, Board of Education

Student Learning Ropes In Equalization Department

Julie Rudolph, a freshman student at DePauw University, is spending the month of January working in the Charlevoix County Equalization Department.

Julie explains that all students at DePauw must devote part of the winter term studying and working at something that might possibly become a career. Presently she is majoring in economics

and hopes to do graduate school work in accounting.

A resident of Macomb, Illinois, Julie has been coming to Charlevoix County all her life. Her parents have a cottage at Sequanota, where she has been living during her working experience here.

Does she like the snow? Yes, she does, and she likes to ski, "but there is too much snow now, Julie says.



The Learning Tree

EMERGENCY FOODS FOR THE SNOWBAND

Snowbound? When I was a child I recall stories my elders used to tell about being snowed in for weeks at a time. To my child's mind it sounded adventurous. I could visualize everyone sitting around the fire telling stories and waiting for the roads to be cleared.

Well, that was supposed to be "the good old days" but for some of us this winter seems to be reviving some of those days. One way to make snowbound days a happy experience is to be sure and have an emergency store of food on hand.

With some canned goods, mixes, a can-opener, water and other liquid and some ingenuity, you can live quite comfortably.

Milk—canned or dried—is almost a must, especially if there are children in the family. Canned juices and dry beverage mixes are handy for adding variety.

Juices work well in most

mixes and other recipes that call for liquid. Remember, too, that water can be substituted for other liquids in most recipes. The product may not be as tender as when milk is used and the flavor may not be as good but water will work. If the water supply is dependent on electricity, you might want to store some, although this time of year one can melt snow if necessary.

Bread in some form is a necessity—crackers, hardtack, dry cereals. Ingredients with which to make bread, biscuits or pancakes or some of the modern dry mixes for breads, coffee cakes, muffins, biscuits are fine, too. If the power source to the stove isn't disrupted, Always have some foods on hand that would require neither cooking nor heating.

If you can cook, but you are out of eggs and the mix or recipe calls for them, you can leave them out entirely without too much trouble. Or, you can add one teaspoon of

baking powder for each egg called for in the packaged mix. Mix it with the dry ingredients and then prepare according to package directions. Increase liquid by about 2 tablespoons for each egg that was omitted.

Your emergency pantry should include main dish foods such as tuna, salmon, corned beef, dried beef, hash, spaghetti and meat balls.

Other foods on the emergency shelf should include any special food needed for baby or other family members.

It's a good idea to have some emergency cooking apparatus around too. This could be a charcoal grill but be sure to cook with it in the open air. If your house has a wood-burning fireplace, you're all set.

You can cook directly over the wood or set up any kind of cooking apparatus in the fireplace area where you have ventilation. Popping corn, roasting marshmallows and grilling hot dogs in the fireplace are activities that will provide food as well as entertainment for the small fry. So much so that they may even look forward to the next power outage.

Democrats Hold Convention

The Charlevoix County Democratic Committee will hold its 1977 Spring Convention at the City Hall in Charlevoix on Saturday, Jan. 29, Martin Paul of Boyne City, county chairman, has announced.

Purpose of the meeting is to hold at 7:30 p.m. in the community room of the City Hall will be to elect seven delegates to the State Convention.

Students Interested in Park Jobs Should Send in Applications Now

Students looking for summer jobs at Sleeping Bear Dunes National Lake Service's employment information packet which is now available. The packet includes application forms, job descriptions and qualifications statements.

Applications may be obtained by writing to: Personnel Office, Midwest Region, National Park Service, 1709 Jackson St., Omaha, Neb. 68102 or by calling (402) 231-3456.

The clinics will be held in Charlevoix on the second Monday of the month from 1 to 3 p.m. in the County Building Annex. The next clinic will be held on Feb. 14.

Other clinics will be held in

Office in Onahia between Jan. 1 and Feb. 15 for all park areas in Michigan, Ohio, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Kansas and Nebraska.

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Engaged

Orvis-Whitley

Mr. and Mrs. August S. Orvis of Clio announce the engagement of their daughter, Tamara Shane, to David Michael Whitley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Whitley of Charlevoix.

The bride-to-be is a student at Clio High School and her fiancé is employed at the Lexalite Corporation of Charlevoix.

Following a July wedding, the couple will reside in Charlevoix.



Tamara Orvis and David Whitley



SEVERAL CHARLEVOIX County State Bank employees received awards for perfect attendance. Gurdun Wellman, bank president presented the awards to: (from left to right) Linda Burrows, perfect attendance for two years; Bonnie Voorheis, perfect attendance for one year; and Stanley Mrugalski, perfect attendance for two years.

Shanahan, Rouse Renamed To County Veterans Board

Two Charlevoix County residents have been reappointed to continue serving on the county Veterans Trust Fund Committee.

Edward Shanahan of Charlevoix was appointed to

serve as the Veterans of Foreign Wars representative for a term ending on Dec. 31, 1979.

Arthur Rouse of Boyne City was appointed to serve as the

unaffiliated representative for a term ending on Dec. 31, 1978.

Last year the county committee assisted 201 veterans, "widows and dependents for a total of \$7,285. Across the state county committees assisted 33,608 people with a total expenditure of \$1,625,408.

Oddfellows Snatch Cribbage Tourney Lead

In the weekly cribbage tournament between the Masons and the Oddfellows, the latter snatched the lead from the Masons this week to go ahead by 179 points. The Masons had won the first round in the tournament.

A perfect score of 968 posted by Frank Seneation of the Oddfellows helped give the

team its 256 points for the night. Ed Swanson had 933 points for the Masons.

A total of 64 tables were in play.

The tournament is played at the American Legion post home at 8 p.m. every Thursday. All cribbage players are invited to play.

Mumps Vaccination Available at Clinics

Mumps vaccine will be available to area residents through special clinics sponsored by the District Health Department No. 3.

The clinics will be held in Charlevoix on the second Monday of the month from 1 to 3 p.m. in the County Building Annex. The next clinic will be held on Feb. 14.

Other clinics will be held in

Boyer City from 1 to 3 p.m. on the second Tuesday of the month in the Presbyterian Church basement and in Bellaire from 9:30 to 11 a.m. in the Courthouse on the first Thursday of the month.

People receiving the vaccine must be one year old. There will be a charge for the shot, but the department is selling it at cost.

LUNCH MENU SCHOOL WEEK OF 1-20 Brought to you by:

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THURS.: Baked chicken, mashed potatoes w/gravy, buttered corn

FRI.: Chik w/crackers, buttered green beans, snackin' cake

MON.: Snaggetts, buttered peas, rolls fr butter, chilled peaches

TUES.: Hot dogs w/sausage and mustard, pork fr beans, jelly w/fruit

WED.: Sliced turkey, mashed potatoes w/gravy, buttered green beans, cookies

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Business Loans Available to Farmers

More loans will be available to farmers who were affected by the drought last summer. The Small Business Administration will accept loan applications from farmers in accordance with Section 321 of the Consolidated Farm and Rural Development

Act. People eligible for loans from this area include Charlevoix County residents for the drought from June 1 to Aug. 30; Antrim County residents for a drought from June 15 to Sept. 17 and a frost from Aug. 29 to Sept. 1; and

Emmet County residents for a drought from June 1 to Aug. 31 and a frost on Aug. 31 and Sept. 1. Businesses applying for the economic injury disaster loans will be required to submit documentation showing the extent of

economic injury directly attributed to the adverse conditions outlined. Funds received may be used to provide working capital and to pay financial obligations that a small business would otherwise have been able to meet if the disaster had not

occurred. Loans may be made for up to 30 years. The closing date for the loans is Aug. 16, 1977. For further information contact Small Business Administration, Financial Division, 515 McNamara Federal Building, 477 Michigan Ave., Detroit, Mich 48226, or call 313-226-6075.

Under New Program

Sen. Davis to Send Representative

In order to better serve the citizens and local governments of this area, Sen. Bob Davis plans to send a

representative into the district for one week of each month. Davis' public information aide Wendy Menard will visit

several communities each month holding office hours, attending meetings and visiting with various public

officials and news media so that they can have the opportunity to relay specific problems and recommendations to the Senator.

Davis, who resides in Gaylord, was re-elected leader of the Michigan Senate Republicans for this term of the legislature. A 10-year veteran of the legislature, he has served as Senate Minority Leader for the past two years.

Area Students Active Sherry Westenbroek Reus Graduates

A Charlevoix resident has graduated from the University of Michigan.

Sherry Westenbroek Reus received her bachelor's degree in art during winter

commencement ceremonies. She is currently substitute teaching in Grand Rapids where she and her husband, Jim, are presently residing. Reus is finishing his final

year in medical school. Mrs. Reus is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Westenbroek. Reus is the son of Mrs. Leonard Reus and the late Dr. Reus.

Gail Todter Gets Straight A at MSU

A Boyne City student was among 570 students at Michigan State University who achieved a 4.0 or straight A grade point average during fall term.

Gail Todter, a senior

majoring in agriculture, obtained the grades which put her on the Dean's List.

She transferred to MSU from North Central Michigan College in Petoskey.

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SINCE 1884

Wrestling Department Looking for Weights

SUE WINCHESTER raced in the number three Position for the Charlevix team Wednesday

early lead to go ahead 23-10 in the quarter only to have the Blazers trim their advantage and take a one-point 33-32 lead at halftime.

As the second half got underway, Kalkaska again became the aggressor and outscored Charlevoix 14-10 to take a single point lead at the three-quarter mark. The 10-minute period saw Charlevoix score the Blazers 10-9 to tie the score at 45-55.

The Blazers capitalized on the Blazers foul to pull the game out in the three-minute overtime.

The Blazers had 24

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The Common Council
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The Common Council of the City of Madison, Wisconsin, met in regular session on Monday, January 14, 1991, at 7:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber, City Hall, 600 North Monrovia Street, Madison, Wisconsin. Mayor David Hansen presiding. Aldermen present: Aldermen Hansen, Kerkering, Lippert, Monnier, and Sotnick. Aldermen absent: Aldermen Binkley, Binkley, and Binkley. Aldermen present: Aldermen Hansen, Kerkering, Lippert, Monnier, and Sotnick. Aldermen absent: Aldermen Binkley, Binkley, and Binkley.

WHEREAS, it is in the assistance through the La Mt. McSaubia Recreation

THEREFORE IT IS RESOLVED, That Charles Pease to, prepare Department of Natural Resources Resolution was adopted Whitley, Erber, Wallace,

A request by the Charn and August 13, 1977, was a Commerce could assume City Attorney, Donald Res assume this duty.

The Finance Committee recommend the bills be a

by the following yeas and
Plumm. Nays: None. All
Council adjourned.
Judy D. Przybylski,

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CHARLEVOIX, INC.,

JANUARY 10, 1977

RESOLUTION.

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City of Charlevoix to pursue financial assistance through the Land and Water Conservation Fund to aid in the development of the Mt. McSabbah Recreational Park,

THEFORE IT IS RESOLVED that the City of Charlevoix Common Council authorizes Charles Pease to prepare and submit the necessary application and materials to the Department of Natural Resources, as presented to a public hearing on January 10, 1977.

Resolution was adopted by the following yeas and nay votes: Yeas: Alderman Wood, Whitley, Erber, Wallace, and Plumm; Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Morris.

WHEREAS, the City of Charlevoix desires to use East Park on July 9, 1977, July 24, 1977, and August 13, 1977, was approved by the Council. Mayor Hansson suggested the Chamber of Commerce could assume the responsibility of handling future requests to use East Park. City Attorney, Donald Blerow, was asked to look into the possibility of having the Chamber assume this duty.

The Finance Committee having examined bills totaling \$227,618.55 find them correct and recommend the bills be allowed. Moved by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Wood that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for their amounts. The Motion was adopted by the following yeas and nay votes: Yeas: Alderman Wood, Whitley, Erber, Wallace, and Plumm; Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Morris.

Council adjourned.

July 2, Przybylski, City Clerk

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PROCEEDINGS FOR DECEMBER 29, 1976

CHARLEVOIX COUNTY BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS

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DECEMBER 29, 1976

A meeting of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners was called to order at 7:45 P.M. by the Chairman, Clyde Cunningham.

ROLL CALL
Roll call and the following members were present: Commissioners Ingalls, Cunningham, Smith, Davis, Richardson, Matthew, Harmon, McKinnon, Milstein, Paul, Florenaki, Ward and Moerland. 13. Absent: Commissioners Fulkerson and Meggison, 2.

PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE
The Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag was led by Commissioner Ingalls.

RANDY PEAT - MANATRON
Randy Peat brought the Board up-to-date on the Manatron costs and services.

The Chairman, Clyde Cunningham, read correspondence from Charlevoix Schools requesting a change in the snow plowing policy.

The bids for printing the minutes were referred to the Committee.

RESOLUTION - WAYS & MEANS
Moved by Commissioner Moerland and supported by Commissioner Davis that the following Salary and Fringe-Schedule for 1977 be adopted:

Your Ways & Means Committee recommend the following compensation schedule. Be adopted for employees of the county:

SALARY AND COMPENSATION SCHEDULE FOR 1977				
CLASSIFIED PERSONNEL				
GRADE	LEVEL A	LEVEL B	LEVEL C	LEVEL D
01	\$ 6,325	\$ 6,760	\$ 7,050	\$ 7,315
02	6,735	7,025	7,315	7,600
03	7,000	7,285	7,550	7,865
04	7,285	7,575	7,890	8,205
05	7,550	7,890	8,230	8,600
06	7,890	8,260	8,650	9,020
07	8,260	8,650	9,045	9,440
08	8,625	9,045	9,465	9,910
09	9,070	9,520	9,965	10,465
02 PM	8,730	9,175	9,650	10,120
03 PM	9,205	9,700	10,175	10,675
04 PM	9,805	10,360	10,935	11,460
05 PM	10,410	11,015	11,590	12,195
06 PM	11,200	11,880	12,565	13,195
07 PM	12,065	12,775	13,510	14,245

NON-CLASSIFIED PERSONNEL	
Prosecutor's Office - Assistant Prosecutor (Michael Gibbons)	8,400
Circuit Court - Deputy Friend of the Court.	11,500
District Court - Probation Officer.	11,500
Detective - Detective (Wallace Brown)	12,075
Jail - Custodian.	6,655
Cook (Joella Williams)	6,550
Parks & Recreation - Warden.	4,340
Commission on Aging - Center Director, D. Pelton	7,560
Bus Driver, (1) E. Beer	7,645
Bus Driver, (2) K. Prevost.	6,770

This schedule is developed for a normal 35 hour work week. Salaried employees shall work a minimum of 35 hours a week. Employees working less than 35 hours per week must be paid on an hourly basis. Present employees exempt from this requirement: Jeanette Cunningham, Treasurer's Office Marilyn Swanson, Prosecutor's Office

SALARY AND FRINGE SCHEDULE cont.
Extra hire not to exceed \$3.20 per hour to be based on their ability by department head. Physical Examinations required for all new full time employees at the expense and direction of the County by the County's designated physician.

VACATION SCHEDULE FOR COUNTY EMPLOYEES	
After 1 year	5 working days
After 2 years	10 working days
After 5 years	15 working days
After 10 years	20 working days
After 11 years	1 additional day for each year of service up to a maximum of 30 days in year earned.

The vacation period to which an employee is entitled will be determined by his seniority based upon his most recent date of hire.

SICK LEAVE SCHEDULE FOR COUNTY EMPLOYEES
County employees shall earn sick leave credits at the rate of one (1) day per month to a maximum accumulation of 50 days.

The sum of money equal to 25% of accumulated sick leave will be payable upon death or retirement.

The full payment of the Blue Cross - Blue Shield Plan as now established, to be paid for employees and family.

LEGAL HOLIDAYS	
Legal Holidays, P.A. 1969 number 12; M.C.L.A. 435.101; 435.102	
January 1	New Year's Day
February 12th	Lincoln's Birthday
Third-Monday of February	Washington's Birthday
Last Monday in May	Memorial Day
July 4th	Independence Day
First Monday of September	Labor Day
Second Monday in October	Columbus Day
November 11th	Veterans' Day
Fourth Thursday in November	Thanksgiving Day
December 25th	Christmas Day

All national and state general election days, as defined in the Michigan Election Law, Number 168.1, etc.

Whenever January 1, July 4, November 11, or December 25th shall fall upon Sunday, the next Monday shall be deemed a public holiday for any or all the purposes aforesaid.

If Christmas and New Year's falls on a Tuesday through Saturday, the afternoon preceding the day is granted to all county employees, under the Board's jurisdiction, as time off.

Respectfully submitted, Commissioner Moerland and Davis.
VOTE: Yeas, 13. Nays, none. Absent, Commissioners Fulkerson and Meggison, 2. Resolution Carried.

RESOLUTION - DELINQUENT REVOLVING TAX FUND
Moved by Commissioner Davis and supported by Commissioner Moerland that the following resolution be adopted:

The Ways and Means Committee recommend that unexpended funds of the 1976 General Fund Budget and unanticipated revenue of 1976 be placed in the County Delinquent Revolving Tax Fund as set forth under the provisions of Act 107 of the Public Acts of 1968.

Respectfully submitted by: Ways & Means Committee, Commissioners Moerland and Davis.
VOTE: Yeas, 13. Nays, none. Absent, Commissioners Fulkerson and Meggison, 2. Resolution Carried.

RESOLUTION - BIDS FOR PUBLISHING BOARD MINUTES

Moved by Commissioner Richardson and supported by Commissioner Harmon that the following resolution be adopted:

WHEREAS, the County has asked for and received bids for the publication of the Boards minutes and,

WHEREAS, the bid by Gregg Publications for county provides camera ready copy at a rate of \$.739 per column inch is the low bid.

THEREFORE, be it resolved, that the bid for publishing the 1977 Commissioners proceedings be awarded to Gregg Publications.

Respectfully submitted by: Advertising Committee, Commissioners Harmon, Milstein and Richardson.

VOTE: Yeas, 11. Nays, Commissioners Richardson and Moerland, 2. Absent, Commissioner Fulkerson and Meggison, 2. Resolution Carried.

Commissioner Richardson reported on the negotiations on the Union Contract for the Sheriff's Department. Report on file.

RESOLUTION - SHERIFF'S LIVING QUARTERS

Moved by Commissioner Richardson and supported by Commissioner Milstein that the following resolution be adopted:

WHEREAS, the Sheriff's living quarters at the jail are vacant for the first time since its construction; and

WHEREAS, this vacancy provides the best opportunity for repainting of the walls and ceiling tile in those quarters;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that the Building and Grounds Committee be authorized to carry out the necessary repairs and forward vouchers for same to the Audit Committee for payment.

Respectfully submitted by: Building and Grounds Committee, Commissioners Richardson, Harmon and Milstein.

VOTE: Yeas, 13. Nays, none. Absent, Commissioner Fulkerson and Meggison, 2. Resolution Carried.

RESOLUTION - SHERIFF'S COMMITTEE

Moved by Commissioner Richardson and supported by Commissioner Milstein that the following resolution be adopted:

WHEREAS, Philo and Beatrice Sumner have provided Charlevoix County with faithful service for many years; and

WHEREAS, their honesty, integrity and dedication to doing a good job have helped the Board of Commissioners to maintain law and order throughout the County; and

WHEREAS, as Sheriff, Mr. Philo Sumner has earned the respect of law enforcement personnel throughout northern Michigan; and

WHEREAS, the County will have a new Sheriff as of January, 1977;

THEREFORE, LET IT BE RESOLVED, that the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners, commend and thank Mr. and Mrs. Sumner for their dedication and faithfulness; and

FURTHER, LET IT BE RESOLVED, that said Board wish both a long life filled with much happiness in their retirement.

Respectfully submitted by: Sheriff's Committee, Commissioners Richardson, Harmon and Milstein. Motion Carried.

Dick Mayhew, County Building Inspector, reported on regulations covering chimneys in dwellings and his responsibilities to the home owner.

APPOINTMENT - SPECIAL ELECTION SCHEDULING COMMITTEE

Moved by Commissioner Moerland and supported by Commissioner Davis that the following resolution be adopted:

By the Power vested in me as Chairman of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners, I hereby appoint Judy Przybylski, Charlevoix City Clerk, to the Special Elections Scheduling Committee to serve the unexpired term of Lyle King, who resigned from that position. Motion Carried.

Commissioner Ingalls reported on the Equalization Committee meeting held November 29, 1976.

Commissioner Richardson gave a report on the Child Care Fund as submitted by the Probate Judge. A request of funds were referred to the Finance Committee.

Commissioner Richardson also reported a request for operating funds for Probate Court which was referred to the Finance Committee.

Commissioner Harmon reported on the meeting with the Road Commission on the operation of the Itron Ferry.

RESOLUTION - WAYS & MEANS

Moved by Commissioner Davis and supported by Commissioner Moerland that the following resolution be adopted:

Your Ways and Means Committee recommend, to comply with State Treasury Department Audit procedures that a Special Appropriation of \$27,600.00 be transferred to the 1976 Child Care Fund, and \$11,000.00 be transferred to the Itron Ferry Fund. Both appropriations are in accordance with agency requests approved by the respective committees.

Said monies to be derived from the Surplus of the 1976 Budget and unanticipated revenues.

Respectfully submitted by: Ways and Means Committee, Commissioners Moerland and Davis.

VOTE: Yeas, 11. Nays, Commissioners Smith and Ward, 2. Absent, Commissioners Fulkerson and Meggison, 2. Resolution Carried.

RESOLUTION - PROBATE COURT

Moved by Commissioner Moerland and supported by Commissioner Davis that the following resolution be adopted:

Your Ways & Means Committee recommend the appropriation of \$4,000.00 be made to the Probate Court.

Said funds to be derived from surpluses of 1976 General Fund Budget.

Submitted by: Ways & Means Committee, Commissioners Moerland and Davis.

VOTE: Yeas, 13. Nays, none. Absent, Commissioner Fulkerson and Meggison, 2. Resolution Carried.

RESOLUTION - COUNTY OFFICIALS BONDS

Moved by Commissioner Ward and supported by Commissioner Paul that the following resolution be adopted:

Be it hereby resolved, that the following Public Officials Bonds be accepted and filed and premiums for the same be allowed and paid from the 1977 Budget.

	COVERAGE	AMOUNT OF PREMIUM
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Anah H. Potter, County Treasurer 50,000 \$ 979.00

Clayton Healey, Drain Commissioner 5,000

George T. Lasater, Sheriff 10,000

Grover C. Geneit, Reg. of Deeds 3,000

Clarence F. Rabach, County Clerk 2,000 239.00

Robert G. Martin, M.D., Med. Exam. 10,000 119.00

Howard Talboys, Magistrate 5,000

Marilyn Blauman, Magistrate 5,000

Gilbert Sturgell, Magistrate 5,000 180.00

FAITHFUL PERFORMANCE BLANKET BONDS

County Sheriff's Department \$72.00

Other County employees 936.00

\$1,008.00

Respectfully submitted by: Commissioners Milstein, Richardson and Harmon.

VOTE: Yeas, 13. Nays, none. Absent, Commissioners Fulkerson and Meggison, 2. Resolution Carried.

Lee Begrow Captures Three Silver Medals

A Charlevoix resident skied to three second place finishes during the United States Ski Association races at Boyne Mountain Jan. 8 and 9.

Lee Begrow, a Charlevoix High School senior, captured three silver medals in competition against more than 50 junior and senior alpine racers in the first of four races that will be held in this region. Successful racers will compete in the Midwestern Divisionals and then will go to the Junior Nationals which will determine the top alpine competitors in the country.

Lee is also a member of the Charlevoix High School ski team and skis in the number one position on the team.



Lee Begrow

Cross Country Ski Conditions Perfect

Cross country skiing conditions on the 17 marked Department of Natural Resources (DNR) ski trails including three in Charlevoix County have been almost perfect since the first snowfall. Recreation Forester William Mahalak reports a growing interest in cross country skiing in the area. He is not alone in all except during the most overcast nights, he said. Pathways suitable for cross country skiing in Charlevoix County and surrounding counties and the numbers to county skiing especially in night skiing. Travel without an artificial light during the night hours on trails that have call for up-to-date information are: Wildwood Hills Pathway-Cheboygan and Emmet counties, 616-238-9313; Springbrook Pathway-Charlevoix County, 616-582-6681; Belts Bay Trail-Charlevoix County, 616-582-6681; Pine

Baron Pathway-Otsego Shingle Mill Pathway-Otsego County, 517-732-4154; and County, 517-983-4101.

VOLLEYBALL STANDINGS		
Women's League (through Jan. 10)		
Team	W	L
Carols	21	3
Townhouse	21	7
Volley Boppers	17	10
Volley Bees	13	14
Oil Sussanahs	8	16
Medusa	8	19
Sunshine Kids	3	21
Men's League (through Jan. 11)		
Car Car Crushers	24	6
Spikers	19	11
Out in Town	17	13
Irish Boat Shop	13	17
The Team	10	20
Bartlett Decorators	7	23
Mixed League (through Jan. 13)		
LaPacekis	20	1
Set-ups	17	4
Lucky 8	15	6
Righteous	15	9
Northeast Slugs	14	7
TT Fogal	13	8
Turkeys	10	14
Farmory Town	14	14
Ourgang	5	16
Dodgers	2	19
Streakers	2	22

Two Patrols Attend Gaylord Klondike Derby

Two patrols of Boy Scout Troop 11 were among the 250 Scouts and their leaders representing 250 scout troops and three Webelos dens attending the annual Northern District Boy Scout Klondike Derby at Gaylord Saturday.

The Owl Patrol placed second and the Wolverine Patrol third.

The Klondike Derby is a day-long, competitive event where patrols test their scouting skills against all other patrols in a wide range of skills. Stations include map and compass, first aid, fire building, knots and lashings and ice rescue. The Scouts are also judged on preparedness and the shape of their Klondike sleds. Scoring is based on a maximum of 10 points per station (six) or a total of 70 points. The igloo building contest is separate from the skill stations and has proven to be one of the most popular events of the Derby.

Belhairs was the overall winner in the 1977 Klondike Derby. They win the right for the traveling trophy for a year and first chance to host the 1978 Derby.

The two Charlevoix patrols were the Owl and the Wolverine patrols. The membership of the Owl patrol was composed of Kevin Whitley, patrol leader, David Budy, Dan Budy, Jim Landman and Tim Young and the Wolverine patrol of William Banger, patrol leader, Tim May, Mike Paul, Steve Young and Joe Smith. Accompanying the patrols were Scoutmaster Louis Edwards, John Houting, Assistant Scoutmaster, and Steve Schuch and Mitch Martin, Leadership, Corps members.

VOLLEYBALL RESULTS		
Women's League		
Carols 3 Medusa 0		
Townhouse 3 Oil Sussanahs 0		
Volley Boppers 2 Volley Bees 1		
Men's League		
Irish Boat Shop 2 Out in Town 1		
The Team 2 Bartlett Decorator Center 1		
Car Car Crushers 2 Spikers 1		
Mixed League		
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Our Gang 2 Streakers 1		
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LaPacekis 3 Dodgers 0		
Set-ups 3 TT Fogal 0		

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FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made on the 25th day of January, 1974, by Paul D. Erno and Rosemarie A. Erno, as mortgagors, to United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on January 25, 1974, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Charlevoix County, Michigan in Liber 138 of mortgages on pages 30-33; on which mortgage there is due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Fourteen Thousand Five Hundred Thirty-Three and 94/100 dollars (\$14,533.94) principal and One Thousand Nine Hundred Ninety-Seven and 84/100 dollars (\$1,997.84) interest, no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that on March 2, 1977, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the east door of the courthouse in Charlevoix County, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court of the County of Charlevoix, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage together with the legal costs and charges of sale, provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to-wit: IN THE CITY OF BOYNE CITY, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN: THE EAST HALF (E 1/2) OF LOT 32, BLOCK 20, OF NICHOLS AND MORGAN'S THIRD ADDITION TO SOUTH BOYNE, NOW CITY OF BOYNE CITY.

The redemption period will be six months from the time of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying amount bid at the sale plus 7 percent interest and any fees, taxes or other unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale.

Dated January 12, 1977.

Mrs. Winifred D. Molony, Regional Attorney

United States Department of Agriculture

Room 2920, 230 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60604

For Additional Information, please contact:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Acting through Farmers Home Administration

Calvin C. Lutz, State Director

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NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that on March 2, 1977, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the east door of the courthouse in Charlevoix County, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court of the County of Charlevoix, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage together with the legal costs and charges of sale, provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to-wit: IN THE CITY OF BOYNE CITY, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN: THE EAST HALF (E 1/2) OF LOT 32, BLOCK 20, OF NICHOLS AND MORGAN'S THIRD ADDITION TO SOUTH BOYNE, NOW CITY OF BOYNE CITY.

The redemption period will be six months from the time of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying amount bid at the sale plus 7 percent interest and any fees, taxes or other unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale.

Dated January 12, 1977.

Mrs. Winifred D. Molony, Regional Attorney

United States Department of Agriculture

Room 2920, 230 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60604

For Additional Information, please contact:

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Acting through Farmers Home Administration

Calvin C. Lutz, State Director

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Fishing--Fun in Winter, Too

By PAULA HOLMES
On these cold winter days when the wind comes roaring off of Lake Michigan and the temperature bottoms out in the subzero range, it seems like a perfect time to cozy up to a nice warm fire.

But for some people, snuggling up to a fire is the last thing on their minds. These hardy souls pull on their warmest winter garb and trek out to the nearest lake for some of that winter sport-ice fishing.

As soon as the lakes look sufficiently frozen over, towns of fish shanties spring up on the inland lakes and curls of smoke dot the skies.

What drives people to brave the weather for the sport?

"I don't know, I guess I just like to fish—even in the winter," Al Shindorf, an avid summer and winter fisherman, responded.

"I have pan fished all my life during the winter and in the last three years I have gotten into spearing," he said. "I enjoy it all."

and when Shindorf says he likes to fish, he's not kidding. The school teacher has two fish shanties that he visits nearly every day and sometimes twice a day.

"I set two shanties, one on Lake Charlevoix for spearing season and the other one on Torch Lake for pan fish," he

explained. "After spearing season I will move the shanty on Lake Charlevoix to one of the smaller lakes."

If you are planning to fish as much as Shindorf does, he recommends building a warm shanty.

"It is almost impossible to enjoy ice fishing if you get cold," the fisherman grined. "And if you are going to fish all day, the trick to staying warm is the shanty."

Shindorf suggested that ice fishermen construct their shanties out of light weight materials.

"You should make the fish shanty as light as possible so that it can be easily moved," Shindorf said. "I have a sled to move my shanties on, but if they were any heavier it would be difficult to move them by myself."

The Norwood Township resident suggested using 2 by 4 pieces of wood instead of 2 by 6 pieces. He also recommended insulating the shanty with closed-cell styrofoam and heating it with a bottle gas heater.

Shindorf has found that closed-cell styrofoam is lighter and collects less moisture than the open-cell styrofoam. While he has one shanty heated with fuel oil and one with bottle gas he highly recommends the bottle gas heater.

"The bottle gas is cleaner and more efficient," the fisherman explained.

Once you get the shanty built, the next step is to get it on the lake. Shindorf suggests waiting until the ice is at least four inches thick before setting a shanty.

"If you follow that rule you won't break through the ice and end up in the lake," he said. "I went in on Torch Lake in about three feet of water last year."

"You know when you're not supposed to be out there on the ice," he laughed. "But every once in a while it happens."

Cutting a hole in the ice to get at the fish can be a long and tedious process, so Shindorf recommends foregoing the use of the traditional ice spud for the task in favor of a chain saw.

"The saw gets a little icy, but if you make sure you dry it out and oil it, the water and ice won't harm it," he explained. "And it makes cutting the hole a lot easier. You can go through a foot of ice and make a 2 by 4 foot hole in 15 minutes."

"It would probably take four hours with an ice spud," he estimated.

And with those hints you should be ready to fish. Shindorf suggests the novice start out pan fishing.

"There's a lot of action with pan fishing that makes it fun,"

he explained. "You always catch a lot of little fish, and you can go to any lake and catch some."

For bait he suggests using wax worms or moles.

"If you're not sure how deep you should be fishing or what bait you should be using, ask another ice fisherman," he'll be glad to help you," the fisherman said.



AL SHINDORF inspects the chimney pipe on his fish shanty. The shanty had a hard winter, Shindorf said, when it fell off of a pick up truck.

Sheriff's Substation May be Running by March 1

The proposed Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department substation for the eastern part of the county may become a reality by March 1, according to Sheriff George Lasater.

Lasater said a potential site for the satellite office has been found in the Village of Boyne Falls.

"We met recently with the Boyne Falls Village Council and we've received verbal cooperation from them," Lasater said. "They've even offered to give us an office and supply it with everything but a phone."

A definite site for the sub-

station which will serve Boyne Valley, Melrose, Hudson, Chandler and Wilson townships as well as Boyne Falls, has not been selected yet however, Lasater said.

The new sheriff also predicted that the establishment of the new substation would not cost the taxpayers any additional money.

"I'm working with somebody else's budget," Lasater said. "But I'm trying to stay within it."

The establishment of a sheriff's substation was one of the campaign promises made

by Lasater during last fall's political campaign for the sheriff's office.

In addition to the establishment of the substation, Lasater is also working to change the phone situation at the sheriff's department. Currently it is a long distance call from certain parts of the county to the sheriff's department.

"I don't feel anyone in the county should have to make a long distance phone call to get a hold of the sheriff," Lasater said. "With the establishment of the substation we hope to make it a local call to the sheriff from any part of the

county."

It has been a busy first two weeks in office for the new sheriff. Besides the progress that has been made on the establishment of the substation, Lasater has also stepped up snowmobile patrols of summer homes and has worked out details for a volunteer chaplain at the jail and the creation of a sheriff's posse.

"A snowmobile has been assigned to the sheriff's department by the state. We are going to take the snowmobile out every day and check out cottages and

summer homes in the county," the sheriff said. "This way if one of the homes has been broken into, we will have a better trail."

"The way it stands now, some break-ins we don't find out about until two or three months after they have occurred," Lasater said.

"We're not out to apprehend snowmobile violators with this expanded patrol although that is part of our job," he continued. "It's a preventative measure against b and c's."

The volunteer chaplain will be a part of the sheriff's posse, the sheriff said.

"We're working with the Charlevoix Ministerial Association in setting up a volunteer chaplain at the jail who will hold services for the inmates," Lasater said. "We are also working on a list of ministers from each town who would be interested in assisting sheriff's deputies when they are faced with potential suicides."

The chaplains will also be a part of the sheriff's posse which will operate like a police auxiliary. Lasater said he was still working out the details for establishing the posse.

Coffee Days Will Be Held Then, Too

Mothers March to Start Jan. 24

The 1977 Charlevoix County Mothers' March will begin with the annual Mothers' March Jan. 24-26.

In addition to the Mothers' March, four local businesses are sponsoring "Coffee Days." These businesses are Julliettes, Dockside Pharmacy, Kings and Left's Restaurant.

On Jan. 24, coffee will be provided free by these businesses with donations going to the Charlevoix County Chapter of the March of Dimes.

About 15 million Americans' daily lives are affected in some way by birth defects. Each year some 1.2 million

infants, children and adults are hospitalized.

The National Foundation March of Dimes supports research seeking causes and cures for birth defects, supports medical service programs for the prevention and treatment of birth defects, supports prenatal programs that encourage expectant mothers to protect her own health and that of her child, and supports prevention programs against 10, blood disease, German measles and other causes of birth defects.

Last year, the Charlevoix County March of Dimes collected \$5,272.62 of the total collected, each county retains

40 percent with the remaining 60 percent going to the National Foundation.

Checks for \$1,000 and \$1,500 were presented to the Charlevoix Area Hospital by the March of Dimes last year for the purchase of a fetal monitor and for a radiant heat warmer for use in the obstetrical department.

In addition to the financial assistance, the Charlevoix County March of Dimes has offered films, literature and speakers to the hospital and schools throughout the county. They have also provided films used in the childbirth program sponsored by the Hospital Women's Guild.

Mrs. Bergmann Named Head

Lillian Bergmann, of Charlevoix, was elected chairman of the Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Services Board at a recent meeting of the board.

Bob Greenwood of Cheboygan county was named vice chairman and Ted Intergreen of Osego county, secretary.

Mrs. Bergmann then named the following committees for the year with the first named

serving as chairman: Finance, W. Richard Smith, Emmet county, Martin Paul, Charlevoix county, Lonney Campbell and Intergreen, Osego county, and Greenwood.

Magistrate's Court

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix and Boyne City last week by Magistrates Marilyn Bauman and Howard Talboys:

David J. Hentz, 27, Petoskey, impound passing \$20.
Denford O. Gallagher, 58, Charlevoix, disregarding red light \$20.
Margot L. Kahn, 39, Charlevoix, driving with expired operator's license \$25.
Mark D. Kiel, 18, Muncliono, speeding \$20.
Cynthia L. Schmoock, 17, Gaylord, speeding \$20.
William A. Granger, 25, in diamonds, speeding \$20.
David A. Werhema, 22, Grand Rapids, speeding \$20.
Gordon D. Stigel, 24, Gaylord, speeding \$25.

speeding \$25.
Gaylord C. Gill, III, Detroit, violating basic speed law. (Too fast) \$20.
Audie E. Sehl, 19, Gaylord, speeding \$25.
Steven P. Joyce, 18, Wailoon Lake, failing to yield right of way \$25.
Charles E. Odette, 29, Southfield, speeding \$20.
Laura Barrett, Wailoon Lake, permitting dog to run at large \$25.
Roger Katz, 18, Boyne City, failing to yield right of way \$20.
John J. Shetner, 20, Livonia, speeding \$23.
Alvin C. Blackwell, 24, Marietta, (1) defective exhaust \$25 (2) improper registration plates \$30.

Manning L. Sayles, 68, Boyne Falls, careless driving. Plead guilty \$155 fine and costs.
Kenneth B. Chanda, 30, East Jordan, possessing controlled substance, marijuana, with intent to deliver. Examination held, defendant bound over to Circuit Court.

District Court

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix District Court last week by Judge David W. Freshbee:

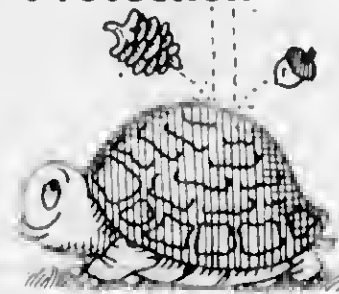
Timothy A. Deming, 20, Boyne City, careless driving. Found guilty by court \$95 fine and costs.
Vern Gregware, Boyne City, permitting dog to run at large. Plead guilty. \$25 fine and costs.

Marriages

The following marriage licenses were issued last week by the Charlevoix County Clerk:

Wilbur F. Lewis, 51, East Jordan, and Alice M. Murray, 52, East Jordan.
Ivan W. Smith, 67, Boyne City, and Olive M. Smith, 64, Boyne City.
Larry D. Peck, 34, Boyne City, and Bridget A. Bedford, 18, Boyne City.

There's no natural Protection



Birth defects are forever. Unless you help.

March of Dimes

City Council to Reconsider Grey Gables Theater Permit

By PAULA HOLMES

Can live music, dinner theater and reduced parking on Belvedere Avenue be compatible?

The question was debated during the Charlevoix Common Council meeting Monday night.

Dave Phillips, owner of the Grey Gables Inn, and his attorney, Michael Gibbons, requested the common council reconsider its nonapproval of an extension of an entertainment permit for the restaurant.

Phillips is seeking an extension of his entertainment permit from the State Liquor Control Commission, which would allow him to continue holding the dinner theater presentations he started last summer. The presentations were held in a newly completed addition to the restaurant.

When the liquor commission sought comments from common council before approving the permit, the council did not approve the

permit because of the parking problem on Belvedere Avenue, which it felt was caused by the additional customers going to the Grey Gables due to the dinner theater.

Phillips presented the council with petitions Monday night containing the signatures of city residents who would like to see the dinner theater continue and also with copies of two proposed lease agreements which would allow Grey Gables customers to park at John Cross Fisheries and in the Bartlett's Decorator Center parking lot.

Gibbons pointed out that the parking problem occurs in the evening and that the two areas would provide ample room for evening parking. The attorney said Phillips would provide valet parking service for customers.

The attorney also pointed out that if the business was sold the council would have some control over the parking situation because a liquor license transfer must be

approved by the council.

Still Have Problem

Phillips pointed out that denying him the entertainment permit would not cut down on the parking problem.

"I would still be allowed to hold wedding and retirement receptions in the expansion," he pointed out. "Many times I have more people attending those than I would at the dinner theater."

"I am trying to solve the parking problem on my own," he explained.

"I have tried since I came here six years ago to make it an advantage to have me here," Phillips continued. "I have done my best for the community and now I am asking them to back me up."

Mayor Edward Hansen pointed out that when Phillips made his original presentation for the building permit to allow the construction of the addition to the Grey Gables, he assured council there would be adequate parking on the lot next to the restaurant.

"But that evaporated," Hansen said. "And we have no guarantee that this won't evaporate, too."

Council finally decided to put the matter in committee for further discussion.

Parking Meters

In other business, Tom LaBlanc asked council how it determined which streets and which businesses should have metered parking spaces in front of them.

LaBlanc questioned why Kusina Motors did not have metered spaces in front of it when everyone else in town did.

Alderman Joe Morris ex-

plained that council was working on the problem of equitably distributing the spots. Morris said there were approximately 23 places where additional meters could be placed and that he had urged council to review the situation.

Sewer Facilities

Council also set the date for a public hearing on the proposed area sewer treatment facilities plan. The hearing will be held on Feb. 21.

Mayor Hansen said the city is going to have to move quickly after the hearing in order to qualify for the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) funding for the project which runs out Aug. 31.

"Some say this is the last time that the federal and state governments will fund these projects at 80 percent," Hansen said.

Oscar Stroud, Charlevoix Township supervisor, agreed. "We're going to have to move," Stroud said. "And we're (Charlevoix Township) ready to go."

"The others may be a little slow on the lake, but I think they will go along with it once we get going," the supervisor said.

"You're the lead applicant and I think you're going to have to lead Marjorie Hansen and Norwood (townships)," he said. "But lets go. If it's wrong we'll straighten it out as we go."

Council also discussed the abandonment of State Street right of way off of U.S. 31 by the Clark Station, Charlevoix.

See Council page 13

City Gets Windfall From Power Co

By PAULA HOLMES

It was almost like winning the lottery.

The Charlevoix Common Council learned Monday night that it can expect a rebate of approximately \$47,000 from Consumers Power Company.

Mayor Edward Hansen told the five aldermen present at the council meeting that the power buyers group the city belongs to, the Michigan Public Power Rate Payers Association has finally settled its rate dispute with Consumers Power Company.

From now on the power company will be billing Charlevoix and all members of the group at a lower rate for their electricity.

"For several years we have been affiliated with other cities who buy power from Consumers," Hansen explained. "And in 1975 when Consumers raised its rates, we as a group went to the Federal Power Commission and asked that they intervene in the proposed rate hike."

And for the last 15 months

the power buyers, the power commission and the power company have been quibbling over what the rates should be.

"We have now settled at a rate lower than what we have been paying for the last 15 months," Hansen explained. "As near as I can figure, we should be getting about \$47,000 back from Consumers."

The mayor said that city customers would not be getting a rebate on their bills, however.

"During this period the city has been absorbing the increased cost of power from Consumers," Hansen explained. "In the last year we have absorbed increased costs amounting to almost \$20,000."

Hansen said the city has been charging residents for their power on the basis of fuel cost adjustments and has not had a set rate for electric power. He said the council has just begun reviewing the electric rates and is expected to set the rates for power bills by April.



THE SPLENDOR of the U.S. Capitol Building is shown off by the night lights. This picture was taken the evening before the Inaugural ceremonies. More pictures are on page 14. (Photo by Gordon Freedman)

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Frank Hoffman Appointed Assistant County Prosecutor

Frank G. Hoffman, local attorney since 1974, has been appointed assistant county prosecutor for Charlevoix County.

His appointment, effective at once, was made by Ray Hays, county prosecutor.

In this position Hoffman will serve as an assistant to Hays. Among his duties in this position will be handling cases in District Court and working closely with the office of the Friend of the Court in addition to numerous other duties. He succeeds Michael A. Gibbons who resigned earlier.

Since 1974 Hoffman has been associated with his brother,

Robert L. Hoffman, in a general law practice under the firm name of Hoffman & Hoffman. The major portion of the practice has been in the area of gift and estate taxes, wills and trusts, business and real property transactions and personal injury actions.

Hoffman, 27, is a native of Petoskey; a 1967 graduate of St. Francis High School; a graduate of Central Michigan University with a B.S. in business administration in 1971 and a major in accounting and a minor in economics and a 1974 graduate of the Detroit College of Law. While at

tending Law School he was employed in the tax department of Price-Waterhouse & Co., a Detroit CPA firm, and has had auditing experience with Ernst & Ernst of Saginaw, a CPA firm.

He is a member of the American Bar Association, Michigan Bar Association (Probate, Negligence and Tax Sections), Emmet-Charlevoix Bar Association which he has served as Vice President, Association of Trial Lawyers of America, American Jurisprudence Society, St. Mary's Church of Charlevoix and Knights of Columbus.

He is married to the former Cheri Burlingame. They have two children, Julie Lynn, 2½ and Jeff Allen, six months.

The family resides at 219 Antrim St.



Frank Hoffman

Middle, High Schools Open for Tours

Charlevoix School District voters and other interested citizens are invited to tour the Charlevoix Middle and High Schools today and Thursday.

The Committee of Interested Citizens will be sponsoring the tours which will be held at the middle school at 9:30 and 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. today and Thursday and at the high school at 10:30 and 11:15 a.m.

The tours, which will be guided by high school student council members, were scheduled for those hours to acquaint residents of the district with the conditions that exist in the buildings during school hours and to make them better informed about the issues in Saturday's election at the elementary school.

Chamber to Hear Travel Bureau Chief

Jack Wilson, Director of the Michigan Travel Bureau, will address members of the Chamber of Commerce and area business people on the subject of "Tourism and Its Impact on Northern Michigan" at a luncheon meeting scheduled for Thursday, Jan. 27.

Jacquie Merta, Executive

Director of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, sponsor of the events, said the luncheon meeting would be held at the Westervane Inn at 12 noon.

Mrs. Merta urges all area business people and resort operators to attend the meeting.

Social Services Department to Move to New Offices Feb. 1

The Charlevoix County Department of Social Services will open at a new location Tuesday Richard H. Tilden, Director of the Department, has announced.

At that time the offices will be moved to a new building located on M-66 one-quarter mile south of the Charlevoix city limits across from the Kit Carson Lumber Co. The one-story building has been constructed by Robert Ouderkirk and leased to the Michigan Department of Social Services.

The Department of Social Services has been located in the county building since that building was opened in 1968. Because of the growth of the department and the merger with the welfare department

in 1965, the available facilities at the present site were no longer adequate.

In addition, the expansion of county departments also necessitated additional space which was being occupied by the state agency. The leasing of a building elsewhere solved the problem, Tilden said.

The building has metal exterior construction with brick trim at the front and stucco trim at the windows. The trim will be added in the spring. The interior is paneled with approximately 5,400 square feet of floor space which is carpeted throughout.

It will house a waiting room, a large business office for the clerical staff, a multi-purpose room which will be utilized as a conference room, 17 offices,

storage areas and toilet facilities.

Tilden said that with the building will house 17 offices, it is constructed so that the space can be utilized for additional offices when that need arises.

Public Assistance and Social Services offices will be housed in the building. At the present time, Tilden is Department Director and Vasco Zucchiatti is Assistant Director. The staff includes six assistance payment workers, four social service workers and six clerical workers. The nineteenth member of the staff is Ms. Sue Wickert, Special Services coordinator.

In addition, the department See Offices page 13

WEATHER

The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant:

Date	High	Low	Snowfall
January 16	10	1	1.5 inches
January 17	18	4	2
January 18	26	0	1.5
January 19	31	24	5
January 20	27	24	0
January 21	23	21	5

There have been 82.6 inches of snow so far this year, with 31.8 inches falling during January.



THIS NEW BUILDING on M 66 across from the Kit Carson Lumber Co. will be the home of the Charlevoix County Department of Social Services.

SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF CHARLEVOIX PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CHARLEVOIX AND ANTRIM COUNTIES, MICHIGAN
TO BE HELD
JANUARY 29, 1977

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SAID SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that a special election of the qualified electors of Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, will be held in the Charlevoix Elementary School on Division Street, Charlevoix, Michigan, on Saturday, January 29, 1977.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK, P.M.

The following propositions will be submitted to the vote of the electors qualified to vote thereon at said special election.

I. BONDING PROPOSITION

Shall Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, borrow the sum of not to exceed Two Million One Hundred Ninety Thousand Dollars (\$2,190,000) and issue its general obligation unlimited tax bonds therefor, for the purpose of erecting, furnishing and equipping additions to, and remodeling and partially re-equipping the High School facilities; and developing and improving the site?

II. TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, be increased by 1 mill (\$1.00 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for a period of 5 years, 1977 to 1981, inclusive, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes to be used for necessary maintenance and repair of school buildings and to purchase necessary school equipment?

III. MILLAGE RENEWAL PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, be increased by 6.5 mills (\$6.50 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for a period of 3 years, 1977, 1978 and 1979 for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes (this being a renewal of 6.5 mills for operating purposes which expired with the 1976 tax levy)?

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT THE BONDS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT, IF APPROVED BY A MAJORITY VOTE OF THE ELECTORS AT THIS ELECTION, WILL BE GENERAL OBLIGATION UNLIMITED TAX BONDS PAYABLE FROM GENERAL AD VALOREM TAXES, SAID BONDS TO MATURE OVER A PERIOD OF APPROXIMATELY 18 YEARS.

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

I, Anah H. Potter, Treasurer of Charlevoix County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of January 7, 1977 the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Charlevoix County:	None
By Charlevoix Township:	2 mills, 1975-1979, inclusive
By Norwood Township:	None
By Hayes Township:	None
By Marlon Township:	None
By Evline Township:	2 1/4 mills, 1977
By the School District:	6 mills, 1976-1978, inclusive
	\$995,000 Bond Issue voted November, 1959
	\$1,595,000 Bond Issue voted April, 1968
	Anah H. Potter
	Treasurer, Charlevoix County, Michigan

I, Phyllis L. Mills, Treasurer of Antrim County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of January 6, 1977 the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Antrim County:	None
By Banks Township:	None
By the School District:	2 1/4 mills, 1977
By Intermediate District:	1 mill
	Phyllis L. Mills
	Treasurer, Antrim County, Michigan

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan.

KENNETH J. BOSS
Secretary, Board of Education

Community Chest Still Needs Help

The Charlevoix County Community Chest is still looking for help from area residents in reaching its \$19,000 goal for this year. The community chest has slowly but surely collected \$12,000 toward its goal—about 63 percent of the total amount. But the unit would like to obtain the remaining \$7,000 and is appealing to county residents to send in their contributions if they have not yet done so, Elaine Martin, community chest treasurer, said.

The community chest is depending heavily on the letters it sent out in September to solicit funds for the 14 local organizations it supports. The unit tried to send a letter to every resident and business in the area, but anyone who was missed is urged to send or bring in contributions to Mrs. Martin at the First State Bank in Charlevoix.

Organizations being funded by the community chest this year include: the Salvation Army, the Charlevoix City Recreation Department and Mt. McSuba, Bergmann Center, Inc., Girl Scouts of America, Crooked Tree Council, DAC Counseling Center, Boy Scouts of America, Scenic Trails Council and the Charlevoix County Chapter of the American Red Cross. Other organizations aided through the community chest fund drive are the Charlevoix Area Hospital geriatric support fund, the Charlevoix Community Nurses fund, Camp Dagget, the Charlevoix County Big Brothers and Big Sisters, Michigan United Way, Northern Michigan Planned Parenthood and the Charlevoix House.

The community chest also uses \$387 of the funds it collects to cover its own expenses.

Cakes 'n Candles



CARL JOSEPH ROMANIK was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Romanik of Dor on December 5, 1976. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Romanik of Route 2, Boyne City, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dhaseler of Route 1, Charlevoix.

News of Servicemen

King Completes Basics

Airman Basic Terrance Ransom King has finished basic training at Lackland Air Force Base in Texas. King is now stationed at the Shepard Air Force Base in Wichita, Tex. He is training for medical corpsman and hopes to be stationed eventually in this state. He is the son of Msgr. and Mrs. Paul King of Charlevoix, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W.M. Ransom of Vero Beach, Fla. He was a 1975 graduate of Charlevoix High School and enlisted in the air force in November, 1976.



Terrance King

Bennett Participates in NATO Exercises

Marine Corporal Norman D. Bennett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Bennett of East Jordan, recently returned from participation in the maritime portion of the major NATO exercise "Autumn Forge '76". He is currently serving as the minister of Parish Life and Outreach in the Glass and Garden Community Church in Arizona. The Arizona church was the first church in the state to have drive-in ministry like the Charlevoix church. Grotters has a BA degree from Hope College and master of divinity from Western Theological Seminary in Holland. He has also done graduate work at Fuller Theological Seminary in Pasadena, Calif. Formerly president of the Arizona Youth Council, he has directed many retreats and camps. He and his wife Mickey, have organized family camp outs and marriage retreats as well. Mrs. Grotters holds a BA from Hope College and a masters degree from Arizona State University. In addition to teaching English at an Arizona community college, she has served as a Bible teacher and retreat leader in the Scottsdale area.

The Grotters have three children, John, Laura and Jeff who will attend school in the Charlevoix area.

His unit took part in two major events during the deployment. "Operation Team Work '76" and "Operation Bonded Item". "Team Work '76" involved fleet operations in the North Atlantic Ocean, the English Channel and the Baltic Sea and included a major amphibious landing in Norway. "Bonded Item" was a coordinated land, sea and air

"Autumn Forge" is the title of the annual training exercises conducted jointly by the nine members of the NATO Alliance.

A 1973 graduate of East Jordan High School, he joined the Marine Corps in October 1973.

Steve Otmanowski Graduates from Course

An official at Sheppard AFB, Tex., has announced the graduation of Airman Steven Otmanowski from the U.S. Air Force's aircraft maintenance specialist course conducted by the Air Training Command. Airman Otmanowski, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chester Otmanowski of 306 Belvedere, Charlevoix, Mich., is now trained to maintain, repair

and service aircraft currently in use by the Air Force, and will serve at Columbus AFB, Miss. Completion of the course enables the airman to receive academic credits through the Community College of the Air Force.

The airman is a 1976 graduate of Charlevoix High School.

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TOM HANNA poses with Scoutmasters Jeff Forester and Donald Leonard.

Hanna Gets Eagle Scout Award

Tom Hanna, 18, recently received the Eagle Scout award during Court of Honor ceremonies.

Hanna, who has participated in local Scouting activities, for many years, finished the requirements for the award, last June. He is presently attending Michigan State University.

Hanna was a member of Troop 43, which is sponsored by the Charlevoix Lions Club. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hanna of Charlevoix.

New Minister to Arrive At Community Reformed Church

A new pastor will assume the pulpit at the Community Reformed Church on Feb. 6. Larry Grotters of Scottsdale, Ariz., has accepted an invitation to become the pastor. He has served churches in Morrison, Ill., Chicago, Ill., Rockford and he is currently serving as the minister of Parish Life and Outreach in the Glass and Garden Community Church in Arizona. The Arizona church was the first church in the state to have drive-in ministry like the Charlevoix church. Grotters has a BA degree from Hope College and master of divinity from Western Theological Seminary in Holland. He has also done graduate work at Fuller Theological Seminary in Pasadena, Calif. Formerly president of the Arizona Youth Council, he has directed many retreats and camps. He and his wife Mickey, have organized family camp outs and marriage retreats as well. Mrs. Grotters holds a BA from Hope College and a masters degree from Arizona State University. In addition to teaching English at an Arizona community college, she has served as a Bible teacher and retreat leader in the Scottsdale area.



Larry Grotters

Creative Cooking Class Offered by Arts Council

Six classes in Creative Cooking have been added to the Crooked Tree Arts Council's winter schedule.

Culinary techniques will be taught as a basis for gourmet cooking by local talent, including: "Continental Baking", and Edgar Jaggi of Downings, "Sauces".

Cost of the six sessions is \$40, including food. The first class on "Soup", will meet Wednesday, February 2, at 9 a.m. at the Country Hearth. Definite dates and times for the remaining sessions will be set later in conjunction with the chef's schedule.

Participation is limited to the first 15 persons who apply.

Joseph Morris Joins Charlevoix Properties

Joseph G. Morris, Jr. has joined Charlevoix Properties, Inc., in a sales capacity. Gene Steele, president, announced.

Morris comes to the firm with approximately 30 years of extensive business experience, with a sales and management background.

Joe and his wife Keith, have been associated with Charlevoix all of their lives. He is currently serving as a member of the Charlevoix City Council and in addition, is Secretary of the Charlevoix Lions Club.



Joseph Morris

L.V. Miles Honored By Ford Motor Sales Unit

L.V. Miles, a salesman with Erber Auto Company, has been honored by the Ford Division of the Ford Motor Company. Miles has attained the status of Master sales counselor in the Ford Society of Professional Sales Counselors for 1976.

This honor is awarded to salesmen who display extraordinary sales achievement during the calendar year. Miles has been a member of the Erber Auto sales staff since 1966.

Corbin Realty Co. Moves to New Office

J.H. Corbin Realty has a new home. The real estate company has moved to new offices in the Beaver Island Boat Company building at 104 Clinton St. The new offices provide more parking space for our customers and are in a more convenient location for our customers and our staff, James Corbin explained. The new offices also put the company in a better position for expanded staff, Corbin said. The company has recently added income tax preparation to the services it offers to the public.

Sign Language -- Fascinating, Helpful

The world is full of sounds—the sounds of nature, the sounds of traffic and the sounds of people talking. But for some people the world is silent. And due to their deafness, they are unable to participate in a sound-filled world. For some, particularly deaf-mutes, there is no easy means of communicating with these people who live in a world of sound.

But Fran Scott of East Jordan is attempting to change all that. Mrs. Scott is going to be teaching a class on sign language through the East Jordan Adult Education program. Assisting Mrs. Scott will be Elaine Dhaseler, who is deaf, and Debbie Kimble, both from Charlevoix.

"Sign language is a beautiful language," Mrs. Scott said. "It is almost like the hula dance. Every movement means something, and you can say so much with so little."

Mrs. Scott said there were many situations where people with normal hearing could use sign language to communicate with someone who is deaf. "You'd be surprised how often you use it once you learn how," she said.

Mrs. Scott, who has lived in East Jordan since July, first

became interested in sign language when she worked as a school bus driver for special education students in Milford. One of the students riding the bus was deaf.

"I said to myself, there's no way I am going to have this student for 180 days and not talk to him," she explained. "So I went to the Human Resources Center in Pontiac and took an 80-hour class in sign language."

As her ability to converse with the deaf student increased, so did her interest in working with the deaf and soon Mrs. Scott applied to be a foster parent for deaf children, too. And she began using sign language to communicate with other people, too.

"One time I was working in a dentist's office and a patient came in who was deaf," she recalled. "At that time all I knew was the sign language alphabet, so I had to spell out all of the words."

"It was slow, but we finally got the idea across," she said. Mrs. Kimble agreed that knowing sign language comes in handy even if you aren't deaf. She learned sign

language from her friend Miss Dhaseler. They both work at Charlevoix County State Bank and wanted to be able to communicate with each other.

People interested in taking the class which will begin Tuesday, Feb. 8, should contact the adult education office at 582-6766.



SHOWING HOW PEOPLE really can communicate with their hands are: Brad Rosecrants, Elaine Dhaseler, Debbie Kimble and Fran Scott who are spelling out the title of a sign language class offered through the East Jordan Adult Education program, "Speaking With Your Hands."

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MEMBERS OF THE 1977 Charlevoix High School Varsity Volleyball team are: (from left to right) in the front row, Teri Hufford, Kathy Sladek, Rita Wasoski, Taml Mann, Barb Lamoreaux, Julie Wimmer, and Sue Hodge. In the second row are: Coach Pat Carland, Chris Lehman, Sally Dishong, Karen Lamoreaux, Kay Curry, Donna Jones, Bobbie Klooster, and Tina Klamma.

Volleyball Team Takes to the Nets



SMASHING THAT BALL across the net can get a person in some interesting positions. Here Teri Hufford watches a teammate return a volley.



KAY CURRY sets the ball up for Rita Wasoski (33) to send across the net.



TERI HUFFORD (31) shows how a little height in the air can help in a defensive move.



SOMETIMES A certain play might call for a little reverse action. Kay Curry shows her skill in moving the ball either backwards or forward with this play.



TERI HUFFORD watches as her teammate Sue Hodge sends a set ball across the net to their opponents.



MEMBERS OF THE 1977 Charlevoix High School Junior Varsity Volleyball team are: (from left to right) in the front row: Sherry Bergmann, Karri Moerland, Carolyn Loper, Lyddy Moore, Marie Budday, Tammy Mitchell, Debbie Resch, Teri Johnson. In the second row are: Coach Pat Carland, Rosi Therin, Amy Etzinga, Kim Mitchell, Lynne Trost, Mary Hooker, Barb Schmidt and Cindy Carson.



A LITTLE English from the legs can sometimes fool your opponents. Here Teri Hufford shows how to reach for the ball.

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Varsity Topples Grayling for 8th Win in A Row



MATT DOAN moves the ball for Charlevoix against this Viking opponent.



BUD KLOOSTER (45) shows Viking Alan Johnston what an advantage fancy hand work can have during a basketball game.

The Charlevoix Rayders, under the tutelage of Coach Dave Moyer, posted Victory No. 8 Friday night, a 69-57 win over Grayling (1-8).

The Rayders moved into a 16-4 first period lead; continued to head the visitors, 35-22 at halftime and 51-39 at the three-quarter mark before posting the victory.

Paced by Bud Klooster with 25 points, the Rayders had a total of 23 field goals and hit on

18 of 25 attempts from the line while picking up 33 personal fouls. Grayling settled for 18 field goals and 21 of 31 charity attempts while being tagged with 23 personal fouls.

Joining Klooster in the scoring department were Matt Doan with 12 points; Dave Tullas with 10, Kip Cinnamon with eight, Brian Williams with six; Scott Ross with four, Pat Schleifer with two and Jim

Alger with one. Dave White had 17 points to lead the Grayling offense.

MHS Standings
Charlevoix 8 1
Boys City 7 2
Petoskey 6 3
Grayling 6 3
St Ignace 5 1
Rogers City 3 5
Grayling 1 6
Cheboygan 0 9

Volleyball Team Loses to Vikings

The Charlevoix Girls Volleyball team lost to a strong Grayling team on the local floor Wednesday night after losing two of three games.

The JV's lost 15-7 and 15-8. The Charlevoix squad will be at Rogers City Wednesday.

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Grapplers Lose Squeezer to Petoskey

By FRANK MARTIN

It was a close match with the Petoskey Northmen Thursday with Charlevoix staying abreast or slightly ahead of the visitors right down to the final when Petoskey's Don Eaton took the heavyweight division and the match by a 28-21 margin.

Coach Norm Probert had high praise for sophomore Ande Keller (155) who lost to

Petoskey's undefeated Mike Ball. Probert said he was outclassed all the way by the senior grappler but never gave up and moved well throughout the match. He lost by a score of 1-8.

Thursday night was Parents Night with the largest crowd in the sport's history in attendance.

The Rayders won two matches by pins and four by

decisions while Petoskey scored two by pins and five by decisions.

The results of the match follows:

98 pound class: Dave Golovch won by a pin in 1:59

145: Irad Szirik lost by a pin in 2:41 to Brett McBrady

155: Ande Keller lost by a 1-8 decision to Mike Ball.

185: Gary Probert won by a pin in 5:50 over Mike Buray.

126: Don Trost lost by a 1-7 decision to John Kruskie.

132: Mike Kiteley lost by a 0-4 decision to Al Kruskie.

138: Craig Golovch won by a 10-4 decision over John Hall.

145: Irad Szirik lost by a pin in 2:41 to Brett McBrady

155: Ande Keller lost by a 1-8 decision to Mike Ball.

185: Gary Probert won by a pin in 5:50 over Mike Buray.

178: Gregg Chappuis lost by an 8-16 decision to Mike Vorpagel.

191: Dennis Whitley won by a 10-5 decision over Mark Hoch.

Heavyweight: Jerry Sladek lost by a pin in 1:25 to Dean Eaton.

Charlevoix will be at Benzie Central Invitational on Saturday.

Boys, Girls Defeat Boyne Teams

Charlevoix Rayder boys and girls sking teams returned from Boyne Mountain last week with victories over the Boyne City teams. It was the second win for the boys team and the first for the girls' squad.

In winning, the boys team posted a score of 28-51 and the girls a score of 32-42.

Lee Begrow won the giant slalom with teammate Erik Lundteigen picking up a third place. John Battiste of Boyne City placed second.

Battiste captured first place in the slalom but Begrow and Marc Malpeli took over second and third.

Carmille Malpeli had no trouble taking top honors in the slalom, edging out Amy Kircher of Boyne City who finished in second.

Wiemer came through with a third place to give the Charlevoix team much-needed points.

Amy Kircher took first place in the giant slalom with Charlevoix's depth giving the

Rayders a second and third with Malpeli coming in second and Wiemer third.

Charlevoix will host its first meet at Mt. McSausa on Wednesday. The meet will begin at 1 p.m. against Grayling.

Coach Mike Bonello urges local followers of the team to attend the meet which has been designated as Parents Day.

Charlevoix will be at Cheboygan next Tuesday, Feb. 1. The meet will begin at 1 p.m.

Courier Sports
Smokey's friends
don't play with matches.

JVs Come Through for Victory

The Charlevoix JV's pulled another game out of the fire in the closing seconds Friday to defeat Grayling 64-60.

The young Rayders had jumped to a 15-4 first period lead only to see it trimmed to

33-29 at halftime after Grayling had outscored Charlevoix 23-18 in the second period.

The young Vikings continued to overcome the Rayders to knot the score 47-47 at the three-quarter mark.

Charlevoix outscored the visitors 17-13 in the final eight minutes to give the Rayders a four-point victory.

Barney Way paced the scoring for the locals with 16 points. Pat Schmidt added 13.

Kevin Kraft, Bob Plunum and Doug Huday, nine points each; Gilbert Norro, seven, and Todd Williams, one point.

Bob Tobin had 18, Dave Neiderer 17 and Stan Johnston, 12 for Grayling.

County State Bank, LaBlance Share Lead in Division II

By FRANK MARTIN

County State Bank and LaBlance Insurance continue to share the Division II lead after both were defeated in action last week.

In upsets during the week, AlRay Cottages edged County State Bank 53-48 and Wojan Aluminum stopped LaBlance Insurance 50-45.

In other games Freedman Artercraft got past Klooster John Deere 57-56 and Tri-City Asphalt continued to lead the

pack with an 87-52 win over Bay Shore Steel.

In upsetting County State Bank, AlRay Cottages had to overcome a 15-10 first quarter deficit before taking a slim 30-26 and 36-33 margins at the half and three-quarter marks.

The Cottager's outscored the division co-leaders 17-15 in the final period to win. Dave Martineck had 20 and Scott Blanchard 14 points for the victors. Jerry Skippergosh had 16, Denny LaCroix 14 and

Don Smith with 20 points and Stan Martin with 12 paced the win. Dave Novotny had 14 and Jim Gels 12 for LaBlance's.

Freedman Artercraft had to battle hard all the way to remain ahead of a stubborn Klooster John Deere five 15-10, 34-28 and 48-46 by quarters.

Terry Blissett with 14 points, Steve Martinus with 11 and Bill Joy with 10 were top scorers for the victors. Rob

Castellen had 21 and Roger Gowell 18 for Klooster.

Tri-City Asphalt continued its assault on all corners with a 22-0; 44-16 and 63-31 lead over Bay Shore Steel. Mike Crain with 24 points, Dave Norton with 24 and Leroy Buckman with 14 led the attack. Tom McDonough had 20 and Vince Left 18 for the Stealers.

Division I
Tri-City Asphalt 10 0
Freedman Artercraft 7 3
Klooster John Deere 3 7
Medusa 2 7
Bay Shore Steel 1 9

Division II
County State Bank 7 3
LaBlance Insurance 7 3
Hoskins 5 4
Wojan Aluminum 5 5
AlRay Cottages 2 8

Middle School Team's Defeat Elk Rapids

The Charlevoix Middle School team posted victories over the visiting Elk Rapids seventh and eighth grade teams in action here Thursday night.

The local eighth grade team, however, had to overcome an early deficit to win by a 33-31 score while the seventh grade counted to an easy 66-23 win.

The Elk Rapids eighth graders jumped to a 20-11 halftime advantage before the local quintet fought back to win by a two point margin.

Jeff Drury had 17 points and Rick Lent nine for the victors. Tim Savage had nine and Greg Grammer six for the victors.

The seventh grade outfit headed the victors 16-5; 28-9 and 53-15 before winning 55-23.

Gary Drury had 10 points and Dave Buday and Keith Bates eight each for Charlevoix. Nancy Bryant, who plays with the team because they have no program for the girls, Jeff Unstead and John Peal had four points each.

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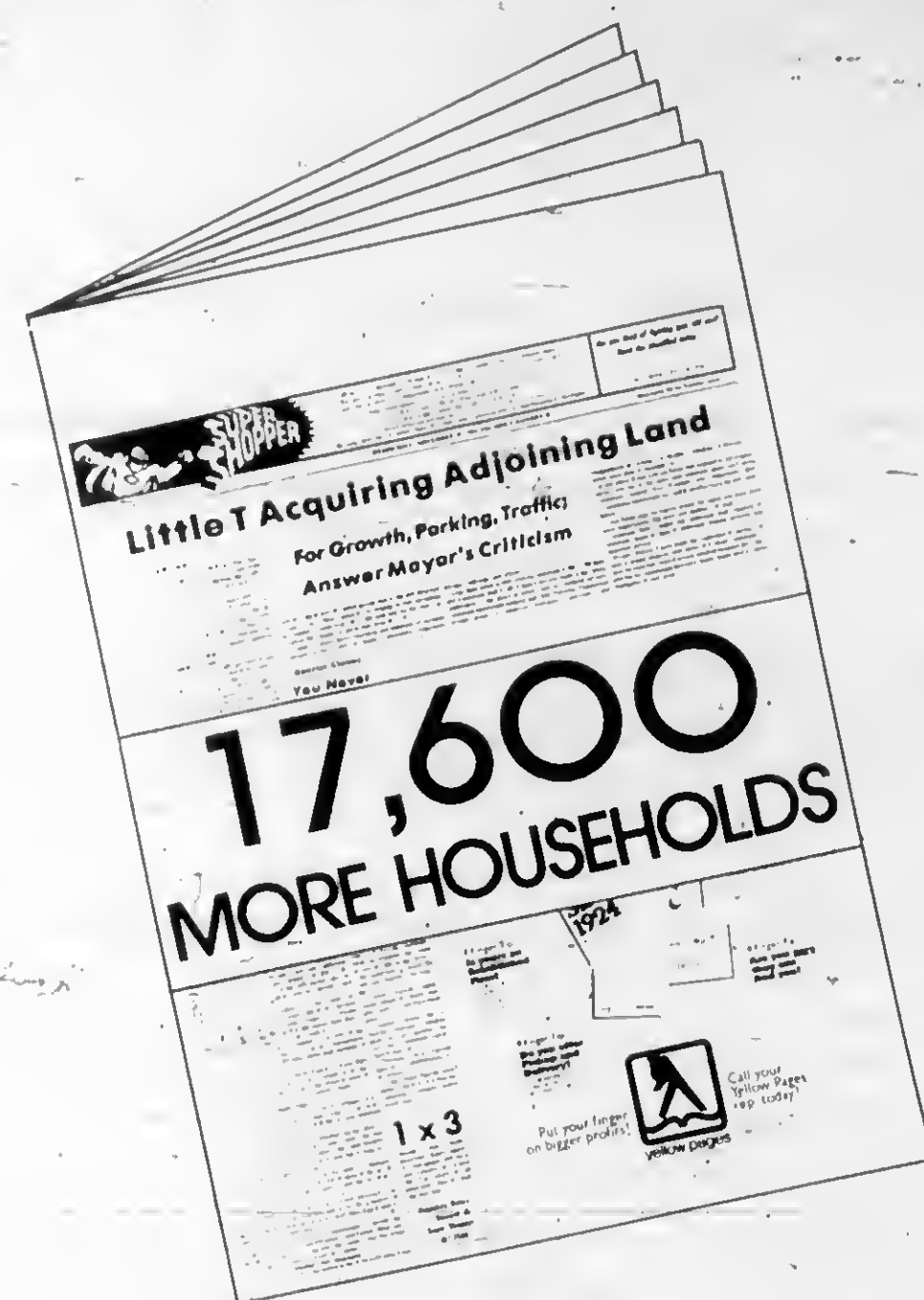
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The booklet also tells you about some factors that influence gasoline consumption: An engine that's already

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GARY SIMON has been terrorizing the staff at Erber Auto Company with this snake. While it looks like a real snake and moves like a real snake, actually it is a fake.

Odd Fellows Increase Lead in Tournament

The Odd Fellows increased their lead to 347 points after three nights of play in the annual Masons-Odd Fellows cribbage tournament according to Sims Baker, tournament secretary.

George Smith, playing for the Odd Fellows, had a perfect cribbage score to give him 968 points for the night. Milton

Richardson was high for the Masons with 963 points.

The winners collected 179 points and the Masons 106 for the night. Six and a half tables were in play.

The tournament is held at the American Legion Post Home at 8 p.m. every Thursday. All cribbage players are invited to play.

Orvis-Whitley Engagement

In an engagement announcement in the Jan. 19 edition of the Courier it stated that Tamara Orvis was engaged to David Whitley.

This is incorrect. She is engaged to Dane Whitley. The Courier regrets the error.

Bible Courses to Start Feb. 1 in Gaylord

The winter semester of courses at the Northern Michigan Bible Training Fellowship in Gaylord opens February 1 and runs for 14 Tuesday evenings.

Three courses are offered each evening: a doctrinal

study of the Holy Spirit, Man and Sin at 7 p.m.; a visual survey of Bible lands at 7:50 p.m.; and an analytical study of the Book of Hebrews at 8:40 p.m.

Any persons, regardless of denominational affiliation, may attend the classes. The purpose of the institute in offering them is to help train and equip lay people to become more efficient workers in their respective churches. A fee of \$5 is charged for each course.

Further information may be obtained by calling the Bible Training Fellowship at 517-732-7001.

History Society Members To Tap Memories at Meet

At the next meeting of the Charlevoix Historical Society, members will go back in their memories to tell about events and happenings in the Charlevoix area in days gone by.

The meeting will be held Tuesday, February 1, at 8 p.m. in the Community Room of the First State Bank of Charlevoix.

Robert Miles, Ralph Hamilton, and Robert Burns, all natives of Charlevoix, will

lead off the discussion in which all members are invited to participate.

Three Area Students On Honors List

A Charlevoix resident and two Central Lake residents were among the 378 students on the Deans List of the College of Arts and Sciences in Grand Valley State College at the end of fall term.

Cathy Begow, of Charlevoix, and Peter Graves and Constance James, of Central Lake, were all named to the list by Dr. John Grackl, dean of the college.

Kadens Has Sole Possession of 1st Place

By FRANK MARTIN

Kaden's Emporium moved into sole possession of first

place in the A League of the Independent Basketball League after ousting

Townhouse by a 58-53 score Thursday.

In other action Credit Union upset Swanson's by a score of 58-53 and Way Oil defeated Willett Roofing 64-55 Thursday night. In action earlier in the week, Townhouse won over Swanson's 57-45; Kaden's trounced Willett Roofing 82-55 and Way Oil defeated Credit Union 70-56.

The battle for the league lead was a seesaw one all the way with neither team having more than a five-point spread at any time. Townhouse forged to a 16-11 first period lead only to have the challengers counter with 21 points to 17 for the Barmen and a 32-31 margin at halftime. Kaden's, with a chance to upset the strong Townhouse crowd, managed a 46-44 lead at the third period before winning the league lead.

Jim Bauman had 18 points. Al Loeze 13 and Steve Young 12 for Kaden's. Dan McKenzie and Bernie Ward had 10 points each for Townhouse.

Way Oil had an easy win over Willett Roofing after leading 18-14; 36-27 and 52-38 by quarters. Tim Carey, Roger Crain, and Dale Boss with 14 points each and Larry Potter with 12 points paced the winning cause. Rick Vanstadium with 20 points and Jim Danbert with 11 were top scorers for the Roofers.

Credit Union overcame a 20-12 first period deficit to go ahead 31-28 at halftime and 42-40 at the end of the third period

before winning by a three-point margin over Swanson's. Ron Boss with 25 points and Matt Blair with 20 were top scorers for Credit Union. Bruce Meggison had 18 and Doug Winnell 16 for Swanson's who floored only four players.

Earlier in the week, Townhouse defeated Swanson's 57-45 after leading them 29-23 at halftime. Chuck Wright had 14 points and Ward and McKenzie 10 each for Townhouse. Meggison scored 16 and Kevin Swanson 10 for the Roofers.

All Loeze with 17 points, Jim Bauman with 16, Steve Young with 15, Keith Fitzpatrick with 12 and Kirk Kujawski with 10 points led Kadens to a 40-29 halftime lead over Willett Roofing before coasting to a 82-55 win. Jack Danbert had 15 points, Jim Danbert 12 and VanStadium 10 for the Roofers.

Credit Union held a slim 30-29 lead over Way Oil at halftime but were unable to capitalize on the advantage as the Oilers took the game by a decisive 70-59 score. Tim Carey had 19 points, Roger Crain 16, Mike Bode 12 and Potter and Boss 10 each for Way Oil. Blair and Ron Boss had 15 points each and Dean Ginter 14 for Credit Union.

A League Standings

Kaden's Emporium 10 2

Townhouse 9 3

Way Oil 8 4

Swanson's 4 8

Willett Roofing 3 9

Credit Union 2 10

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FIRST MORTGAGE LOANS AND REAL ESTATE CONTRACTS	203,637,791.03
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INSTALLMENT LOANS	9,272,246.27
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FEDERAL HOME LOAN BANK STOCK AND PREPAYMENT TO FSLIC SECONDARY RESERVE	2,385,002.10
OFFICE BUILDINGS, LAND AND FIXTURES (Less Depreciation)	3,465,160.23
Building sites, parking areas and office buildings including furniture and equipment, carried at cost less depreciation.	
OTHER ASSETS	726,116.35
TOTAL ASSETS	\$257,458,280.12
LIABILITIES	
SAVINGS AND CERTIFICATE OF DEPOSIT ACCOUNTS	\$236,613,048.21
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FEDERAL HOME LOAN BANK ADVANCES	2,289,900.00
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LOANS IN PROCESS	2,327,135.88
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OTHER LIABILITIES	1,562,688.21
Bills payable, Federal and State Taxes payable, advance payments made by borrowers for taxes and insurance and similar liabilities are included in this item.	
SPECIFIC RESERVES AND DEFERRED INCOME	2,316,024.70
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Inaugural Activities Involve Local People



GERALD FORD and Nelson Rockefeller watch as Chief Justice Warren Burger administers the oath of office to Jimmy Carter. (Photo by Gordon Freedman)



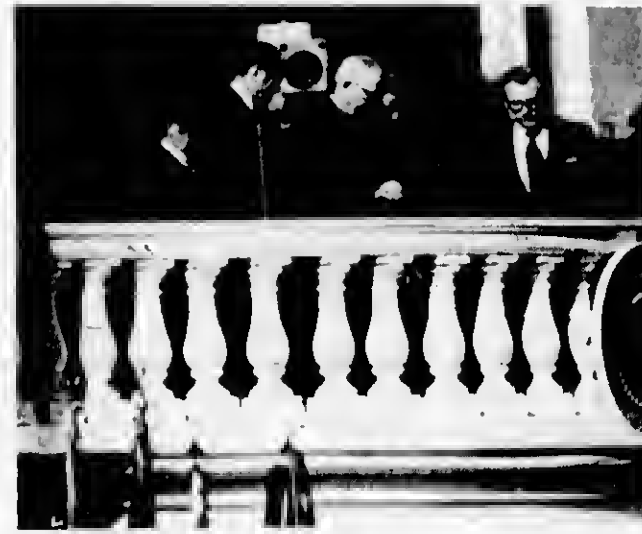
THE CAPITAL was packed with people during the week of Jimmy Carter's inauguration. Here residents crowd around the area where the swearing-in ceremonies took place. (Photo by Gordon Freedman)



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FORMER President Gerald Ford and former Vice President Nelson Rockefeller wave good-bye as their terms in office expire during the inaugural ceremonies. (Photo by Gordon Freedman)



CHIP TERRILL enjoys some Northern Michigan chili in U.S. Rep. Philip Ruppe's office following the inaugural ceremonies. Terrill is a legislative assistant for Rep. Purcell. (Photo by Gordon Freedman)



ROBERT ODMARK practices at the final rehearsal before the pre-inaugural gala at the Kennedy Center. Odmak plays French Horn for the Kennedy Center Opera Orchestra and participated in the ceremonies for President Jimmy Carter. (Photo by Gordon Freedman)



SKATERS were able to enjoy a turn on the Lincoln Memorial reflecting pond in Washington D.C. this winter. Normally Washington is a bit warmer and snow and ice are a rarity. (Photo by Gordon Freedman)

Prosecutor Plans Rent Hike Investigation

Charlevoix County Prosecuting Attorney Roy Hayes has started an investigation into the reasons behind a 25 percent rent increase for the residents of the Charlevoix Apartments on May Street.

Hayes' action is an outgrowth of a meeting held Friday by a group of tenants of the 40-unit apartment complex.

"I don't know that there is anything legal that I can hang my hat on," Hayes explained in a telephone interview. "But I feel sorry for the people and I want to help them."

The prosecuting attorney said he had not found anything illegal or out of the ordinary about the rent increase. However, he has just begun his investigation of the facts

and he said it would take a while to assemble the information. The Charlevoix Common Council is also considering looking into the matter.

The residents of the apartment complex met in the Community Room of the First State Bank building Friday to hear Frank Vaydick of Saginaw, owner of the apartment buildings, explain why he is increasing the rents 25 percent.

The tenants asked for the meeting with Vaydick following the receipt of notices announcing the rent increase effective March 1.

Vaydick explained that the rent increases were necessary because he lost \$12,000 on the building last year due largely to unforeseen increases in the

cost of operation. The apartment building was built with money borrowed by Vaydick from the Farmers Home Administration for "low income" housing. He is paying 1 percent interest over a 40-year period on the borrowed funds.

Under FHA terms he is limited to \$3,200 cash profit a year, but he stated that even with the rent increases he will probably not make more than \$400 this year. FHA terms do not permit him to operate at a loss, he said.

Most of the tenants of the apartment building are senior citizens, when they moved into the complex, believed that their rents would not be raised unless their Social Security payments were raised, one tenant



RESIDENTS OF the Charlevoix Apartments turned out in mass for a meeting about rent increases in the low income housing.

Up Five-Fold Over 1975

Felony Convictions Increase

By PEG OHLE
There were 55 convictions for felonies in Charlevoix County Circuit Court in 1976, resulting in 10 prison commitments, 22 probation decisions, 21 delayed sentences, and two youthful trainee placements.

These and other figures are included in the annual report of Circuit Court Probation Department prepared by David Bailey, Probation/Parole Agent.

In addition to the felony convictions, there were seven convictions for misdemeanors, by which three persons were sent to jail, three put on probation, and one given a deferred sentence. The number of felony convictions increased five-fold over 1975, from 11 to 55, while misdemeanor convictions remained the same.

"I predicted a large increase in the number of convictions in Circuit Court this year," Bailey comments, "based primarily on the Board of Commissioner's earlier decision to implement a full-time, professional prosecutive staff."

Bailey further explains that, "Although the total number of misdemeanor convictions in Circuit Court has remained essentially the same, a greater proportion of the Court's time was involved in felony cases, an apparent direct result of the Prosecutor having the necessary time to identify and prosecute the most serious offenders under felony charges, even to the point of trial if necessary. The Court can, therefore, follow through with commitment or an appropriate treatment plan on these serious offenders."

Bailey predicts that the number of convictions will fall back slightly in 1977.

"This guess is based on two factors," he said, "the first being that certain habitual offenders have been removed from the community and the second being that certain portions of the community have been deterred by the increased efficiency of the judicial system, or put in the simplest terms, the certainty of arrest and convictions under the current system."

The report shows a large increase in the number of crimes against people, a total of 19 felonies and misdemeanors compared with 31 crimes against property. (12 drug convictions were not added to these figures since they do not seem to readily fit either category). In 1975, there were three crimes against people and fifteen against property.

"It is hard to say whether the increased number of assaultive and potentially assaultive crimes this past year actually reflects an increase in this type of crime or whether the Prosecutor has been better able to identify and prosecute this type of offender," Bailey states.

Young adults from 17 through 24 years of age accounted for 76 percent of the convictions, compared with 16 percent in the 25 through 34 age group and eight percent in the 35 and older age group.

The work of the Probation Officer of two types. He conducts pre-sentence investigations in all offenses where the maximum sentence is a prison sentence, and, by custom, in almost all other criminal cases brought before the Court. He also supervises these individuals under the suspended, delayed or probation sentence of the Court and advises the Court if a particular offender becomes a danger to the community.

Bailey carried out 59 pre-sentence investigations in 1976; 54 of them were of men and five of women. He supervised 75 probationers during the year, of whom 33 were removed before December 31.

A breakdown of felony convictions shows they were the following crimes:

Convictions	Prison
Assault with Intent to Murder	2
Assault to Rob, Armed	2
First Degree Sexual Assault	1
Manslaughter	1
Second Degree Sexual Assault	1
Unarmed Robbery	1
Forgery	1
Uttering and Publishing	1
Assault Less Than Murder	1
Breaking and Entering	13
Conspiracy to Deliver Phencyclidine	6
Attempted Breaking and Entering	3
Delivery of Marijuana and Conspiracy	6
Larceny from a Motor Vehicle	2
Felonious Assault	4
Larceny from a Building	3
Malicious Destruction of Personal Property under \$100	1
Attempted Aiding Prisoner to Escape	1
Attempted Receiving and Concealing Stolen Property	1
Fourth Degree Sexual Assault	1
Negligent Homicide	1
No Account Checks	1
Resisting Arrest	1
TOTAL	55

Winter's Fate Decided Today, Ground Hog Looks for Shadow

Have you been feeling a little beastly lately? Has all this winter weather gotten to you, making you feel like you've been forced to crawl in a hole and hibernate?

Well, you are not alone. Repeatedly near ground hogs are also beginning to feel that way.

Traditionally on this day, Feb. 2, also known as Ground Hogs Day, the furry little creatures drag themselves out of their warm little burrows to have a look at the weather.

If they see their shadows, they are scared, or else they decide—depending on which legend you are reading—to go back into their holes for another six weeks or so of winter hibernating.

But, if they don't see their shadows, the animals know that it is time to come out of hibernation because spring is just around the corner.

The Courier could not locate any ground hog burrows for observation as to the fate of winter, so we decided to contact the people who have been giving us our weather statistics all year and ask them how long they thought winter would last this year.

Lloyd Kuebler, who keeps the snowfall and precipitation

records at the Charlevoix Sewage Treatment plant, said he didn't know when winter would end this year.

"It's anybody's guess," he laughed.

Kuebler said the snowfall has been heavier this year and the temperatures have been lower, but he doesn't know if that means winter will last any longer than normal.

"They say that if the ground hog sees his shadow there will

be six more weeks of winter, and if he doesn't see his shadow we'll probably have six more weeks anyway," he said.

A member of the U.S. Coast Guard Station said he thought winter would probably end sometime around July 1.

"I hope it ends by then," he laughed. "I wish winter would end tomorrow, but I don't think that's going to happen."

One of the reasons the two

Petoskey Hospitals' Merger Has Little Effect Here

The recent merger between Little Traverse and Lockwood-MacDonald hospitals in Petoskey will have little effect on the Charlevoix Area Hospital.

There is no evidence that the merger of the two Petoskey hospitals, which was announced on Jan. 19 by the two boards of directors, will have any adverse effect on this community's hospital, according to Richard Krueger, hospital administrator.

"We have worked closely with Little Traverse and Lockwood-MacDonald hospitals in the past and we will continue to do so," Krueger said.

One of the reasons the two

Petoskey hospitals agreed to merge was to eliminate the duplication of services between the two organizations. Krueger said Charlevoix Area Hospital has been sharing services with the two hospitals as a means of improving patient care and keeping patient costs down for several years.

For example, Little Traverse Hospital has been sharing laboratory services with Charlevoix hospital since 1971, Krueger said.

"Dr. Jean Webster, pathologist (at Burns Clinic) has been director of our laboratory since 1971 and the staff of pathologists and personnel at Little Traverse

Hospital have provided us with valuable services that would be too costly for us to attempt without their cooperation," Krueger explained.

"This has all been carried on in the interest of better service to our patients and better utilization of staff personnel, which tends to reduce the overall cost of health care to our patients," the administrator continued.

Krueger said that at this time discussion of the possibility of sharing additional services such as supplies and purchasing is also being conducted in an attempt to reduce the cost of hospital functions for all three area hospitals.

Good luck and here's to happy treasure hunting.

County Jail after failing to furnish \$25,000 bond which was set in Magistrate Court.

He was scheduled to be arraigned in District Court on Tuesday.

A Charlevoix man has been charged with criminal sexual assault.

Jesse Cantu, 38, was charged with criminal sexual assault. He is being held in the Charlevoix

Man Held on Sex Charge

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Voters Approve Two Issues, Deny One in School Election

The new version of the three Rs—Remodel, Repair and Renew—three proposals supported by the Charlevoix Board of Education and a citizens committee, didn't quite go over with the voters of the Charlevoix School District last weekend.

Voters passed two out of three proposals before them during the Saturday election, approving requests for repair of existing buildings, and the renewal of millage levies.

A request for a 1 mill tax levy for five years to repair and maintain the Charlevoix Middle School and present buildings and a renewal of a 6.5 mill levy for three years for operational purposes was approved by the voters.

However, the proposal seeking \$2.19 million for the remodeling of the present high school was defeated by 63 voters with 864 people voting against the proposal and 801 voting for it.

The 6.5 millage renewal will allow the present program to be continued. This was a renewal of millage that expired in December.

Superintendent James McKinney said the board of education and the administration was pleased that the millage levy had been renewed and that the middle school repair work could begin.

"However, we are disappointed that the problem at the high school was not resolved," McKinney said.

The superintendent pointed out that the high school has been a problem for boards of

education for the past 10 years. "They have seen evidence of a growing need, recognized it long before it reached its present proportions and have tried to do something about it," he said.

McKinney said the board

must now take another look at the problem. Some solution must be arrived at because of the increasing enrollment at the high school level. The school was constructed to hold 472 students and currently 640 students are attending classes there.

Hotline

Are the coffee shops capitalizing on the recent increase in coffee prices? I had a cup of coffee in a local coffee shop today and paid 35 cents for it. I talked to some friends of mine that told me that it was even higher in some other places. Upon checking at the local supermarket I found a three pound of coffee averaged out to be about \$2.30 per pound at the retail level. Assuming that there are only 100 cups of coffee in 1 pound, the price per cup is slightly over 2 cents. It seems to me that a \$25.00 return on less than \$2.50 investment is a pretty fine return.

A Milk Convert

P.S.



Geri Moore
betcha never thought you'd make the front page!

WEATHER

The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant.

Date	High	Low	Snowfall
January 22	16	-3	3.5 in.
January 23	28	16	1
January 24	34	24	1.7
January 25	24	10	2.3
January 26	25	6	5
January 27	6	-2	4.5
January 28	6	-3	Trace

There have been 96.1 inches of snow so far this year, with 45.3 inches falling during January.

FEB

Editorials/Opinions

Recent School Election
A Positive Step, But
High School Needs Help

Things are looking brighter for Charlevoix.

In the midst of one of the snowiest and coldest winters in anyone's memory, Charlevoix residents have thrown off what could be pretty depressing circumstances and have done something positive for their community and school district.

Last Saturday Charlevoix voters struck a positive blow in the name of education and in the name of economy. The residents not only voted yes on the operational millage renewal at a time when most school districts are sweating out another approval of such tax levies, but the voters also approved a 1 mill levy over five years for repairs at the middle school.

It's been a long battle between the boards of education and the school district voters over what should be done with the middle and high schools. For ten years the two groups just could not get together on a proposal that both would support.

Now a compromise has been reached—at least on the middle-school-and-improvements can start to be made.

We are especially glad that the second proposal—the proposal to repair—was approved. We feel that with the current economic times it is foolish to waste energy because of improperly constructed doors and windows. These items can be replaced and repaired for a savings to the school district that can perhaps be applied to further repairs.

and improvements in the building and in the curriculum.

We also feel that it is foolish to tear down a building that has stood for 50 years and appears to be structurally sound and able to stand at least about 50 years. We feel it is wise not to waste our resources but instead to repair and improve them.

However, we were disappointed that voters did not see fit to have any expansion at the high school and we are urging voters to attend the school board meetings and speak with the school board about what sort of compromise plan would be palatable to the majority of the voters.

Something must be done at the high school. The building is packed to the gills with students now and there is no indication that the enrollment will decrease. The birth rate may be holding steady, but the number of people living in the community is not.

Each year more families move into the area which require other families to move here to provide services for the new families moving in. All this puts a strain on the school system.

The Courier urges voters to come up with suggestions for the school board. They are working for the community but they can't provide what the community wants unless they get some feedback from the voters.

As a community we have taken a positive step forward in dealing with our school problems. Let's keep going.

Don't Let Winter
Get You Down,
There's Plenty to Do

Well, it's February. We've entered into that last long stretch before we see the patch of ground at the end of the snow bank.

And we've got quite a challenge before us. According to numerous reference books, February tends to be the most bone chilling, generally miserable month of the year. It also tends to be a rather depressing month and the time when most people begin to get cabin fever.

Charlevoix residents should take heart, however, and not let the doldrums get them down. There are plenty of things for people to do to cure several cases of cabin fever.

If you feel like you're going to go crazy if you don't start getting out of the house soon, why not sign up for an adult education class or attend some of the classes at the community college?

Also, the Department of Social Services is always looking for people who would be willing to spend a few hours each week helping those less fortunate members of our community. And who knows what kind of warmth could be brought into the community if we all spent a little time thinking of others.

And don't forget the recreational opportunities offered through the city recreation department.

Last but not least, the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce is planning a special Winter Cup Festival to help bring a smile to everyone's faces.

So don't despair. February may be here, but there is plenty to do and before you know it, winter will be over.

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Letters to the editor

Supports Farm Bureau

Dear Editor:

Flying over the crystal blue waters and majestic mountains of the beautiful state of Hawaii and touring through the vast areas of sugar cane and pineapple fields, gave us a reason to be proud that these farmers represent American Agriculture and most are members of the Farm Bureau. They were also the hosts to the more than 14,000 members attending the 98th annual Farm Bureau Convention held in Honolulu, Jan. 9-13.

Bill and I joined 549 Michigan Farm Bureau Members to attend the meetings and to enjoy some of the pleasures of just being in the warm sunny islands for a week's vacation.

Farm Bureau in Michigan has suffered a hard blow due to the very tragic P.R.H., a human mistake. There has been so much adverse publicity, many problems and suffering as the result of this very unfortunate tragedy.

We wonder, had it happened to any other feed supplier would they have just closed their doors and declared bankruptcy leaving the farmers to their own plight, or would they have hung in there and fought tooth and nail to help the unfortunate farmers to get back on their feet as Farm Bureau Services did.

Farm Bureau is people controlled by members for bettering our economic well being. We have the organization to face the issues, to meet the challenges of tragedy. As our State President, Elton Smith, has said, "we must be concerned, responsible, and understanding and be willing to participate." Farm Bureau is the best darn farm organization we've got. Where we can do more together than we can ever do alone. So we need good

Want to Write to Your
Men in Lansing or DC?

Want to write your man in Washington or Lansing and don't know where to send it? Here are the addresses of the two Michigan Senators, the U.S. Congressman, the State Senator and the three Michigan Representatives for the Charlevoix Courier's circulation area:

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In Washington, write Senate Office Bldg., Washington, D.C., 20515.

CONGRESS-Rep. Philip E. Ruppe (R), Woodland, Md.; Houghton, Mich., or House Office Bldg., Washington, D.C., 20515.

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Representatives: Fred H. Gilling (R), R-2, Box 475B Houghton; 106C-E, Dan Stevens (R), Atlanta, Mich.; They may also be reached at House of Representatives, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

(We suggest you clip and save this for future references.)

If it Fitz

by Jim Fitzgerald

Forget the honor of being called to Washington to work on the Jimmy Carter team. I am turned on by words, not politics.

And Wade McCree Jr. is a sonneteer. A sonneteer writes sonnets. He sometimes. A sonnet is a poem which contains 14 lines divided into three quatrains followed by a couplet. (If you are properly impressed, I will now close my dictionary.)

It was a coincidence, that I met Judge McCree at a holiday party the night before the media revealed that he might become solicitor general of the United States. It was a touch of class that, during 2 hours of conversation, McCree never even hinted at the possible honor coming his way.

Most of us mortals would handle such a situation in the manner of Detroit Mayor Coleman Young. A Carter representative asked Young if he would be available for consideration for a job in the Carter administration. No job was offered. But Young made it sound as if Carter wouldn't move to Washington if Young didn't agree to live next door.

Young's syntax was so politically adroit that he fooled the Detroit News completely. The News published a front-page story saying Young had refused Carter's offer to become secretary of Housing and Urban Development. Young was quoted as saying he felt it was his higher duty to stay in Detroit and save us all from perdition. It was marvelous publicity for the mayor, who faces re-election this year.

But it wasn't true. It was a misunderstanding, to be polite about it. Or the mayor got carried away by the sound his own horn blowing. If you prefer the rude description, Young put a hundred of other big shots who sat by their phones throughout the Carter transition period.

Judge McCree explained it simply. "I have been asked about my availability for consideration," he told a reporter in December. "But that's as far as it's gone. I'm not really in a position to say I've been offered anything because I haven't."

Clockwise
by Bob Clock

QUESTION: How do you explain to your children why comedian Freddie Prinze took his own life?

ANSWER: You don't, because all of the acceptable answers are unacceptable.

A broken marriage? Divorce goes with the territory in Hollywood. Drugs? When Prinze was stopped for erratic driving recently, only a mild sedative showed up in his blood tests.

Finances? As one of America's fastest rising young actors, Freddie Prinze had the world by the tail. But "Chico" is gone, killed by his own hand, and we are at a loss for proper answers when the children ask "why?"

For most of my life, my father, now 81, has singled out the winter of 1934 as one of the worst in history. He remembers how the temperature hardly went above zero during the entire month of February and how much trouble it was to keep the house warm.

I also have vague recollections of that winter, mainly how deep the snow was when we walked to the grocery store. But dad telephoned from Southfield Friday night to concede that the winter of 1934 couldn't hold a blow-torch to the winter of 1977.

"It is even worse," he admitted, "than the winter of 1948."

And that, my friends, was the winter he spent in North Russia with American Expeditionary Forces, just a hoot and a holler from the Arctic Circle.

So if you want to make room for this awful winter in your record book, go right ahead. We're not likely to have another like it for quite a while, regardless of how the jet streams flow.

ALTHOUGH WE admire the derring-do of our father, I said, "I'm trying to keep going through this worst of winters, we are convinced that year-

"United to Serve Agriculture" is the theme of the 1977 Membership Campaign and Bill and Bertha Parsons are Co-Chairpersons for Charlevoix County. They will be coordinating the efforts of the volunteer workers toward contacting non-members and giving them the opportunity to join Farm Bureau. The workers are: Thomas Wieland-County President, John Frey, Russell Dohn, Danny Berg, David Pearson, Clayton Boone, Raymond Speltz, William Korthase Jr., Fred Willis and Ralph Harmon, Delbert Ingalls and Gerald Boyer.

Sincerely, Bertha Parsons

I want to boycott coffee. I really do, but basically I'm weak and cannot endure pain.

Last week, I paid more for three pounds of coffee than I paid for a winter coat the first year I was married, but I can't help myself.

You cannot imagine the pressure I get from the women in the neighborhood. The other morning I practically ran to the coffee kiosk at Lois's house.

Just inside the door Lois said, "Want a cup?" She put an empty cup in my hand. "Where's the coffee?" I asked.

"I never promised you coffee," she said. "That's not funny, Lois. Do you have any idea what I would give for a cup of coffee? I'd sell my children."

"Wouldn't we all?" I'd sell my self-respect. "Braggart."

"Lois! I'd sell my bowling trophy!" "Will you get hold of yourself? We've got to stand firm together or there is no telling how high the price of coffee will go."

"Look," I said regaining my composure. "I never thought I'd admit this to anyone, but I am older than the rest of you and I lived through the Great

That's class, which is always honest and often has nothing to do with politics.

Last week it was announced in Washington that McCree will get the job. If Griffin Bell is confirmed as attorney general, McCree will be his solicitor general.

Which is all exceedingly impressive stuff. But none of the news-articles mentioned that McCree is a sonneteer. You read it here first.

I am supposed to be a writer, and I am never thrilled to learn that some accountant or lawyer can write better than I do. It doesn't seem fair. I never plead cases or audit books. Why don't these smarties stick to their professions and leave the writing to those of us who can't do anything else?

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Meet Charlevoix

...Harold (Sam) Kaufman

Harold J. (Sam) Kaufman is County Director for the four-county Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Services Board, which is really a branch of county government. This week he tells the Courier about services rendered under jurisdiction of the Board.

COURIER: What counties are included in your organization?

KAUFMAN: Charlevoix, Cheboygan, Emmet and Osego counties.

COURIER: What kind of services do you provide?

KAUFMAN: We offer 24-hour emergency services for individuals who are experiencing a crisis and are in need of immediate help. We offer professional counseling services for individuals who are experiencing an emotional upset, including individual,

family, and group therapy. We offer professional counseling services for individuals returning to the area from state facilities for the mentally ill and mentally retarded.

We offer preventive services which are intended to reduce the incidence of mental dysfunction through activities which alleviate factors leading to emotional impairment.

COURIER: Where are your services available?

KAUFMAN: Locally, for the mentally ill, we have the Petokey Area Counseling Center in Petokey, and for the mentally retarded we have the Bergmann Center and six in the Charlevoix House in Charlevoix.

COURIER: How do people arrange for your services?

KAUFMAN: A secretary or answering machine is available at the Petokey Center each weekday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. for information and making appointments. Emergency service can be obtained by calling 347-4370 day or evening.

COURIER: Who are on your staff and what does your service cost?

KAUFMAN: Our staff consists of mental health professionals with training in social work, psychology, counseling and psychiatry. Fees vary according to family income and the size of the family. The fee is set at the initial interview. No one is denied service because of inability to pay.

COURIER: Where do you get your funds?

KAUFMAN: Our programs are funded through the Michigan Department of Mental Health and the four

County Boards of Commissions. Ninety percent is state and federal money and 10 percent is local. This year Charlevoix County has budgeted \$17,227 for us, based on \$1.08 per capita. By state law, every county pays according to this formula. Our total budget this year is approximately \$500,000, with about \$60,000 coming from four counties and the rest from federal and state funds.

COURIER: Why is local mental health service important?

KAUFMAN: We are trying to keep people out of mental institutions and near home. It costs about \$30 a day to keep a person in a state institution and the county is now responsible for 10 percent of the cost of institutional care for mentally retarded and mentally ill persons from

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THESE CHARLEVOIX sixth graders are enjoying camping out at Ferris State College.

Field Trip a Hit with Sixth Grade Students

The most recent field trip of the Charlevoix Middle School sixth grade classes has been receiving high reviews from the students.

"We had a great time," one student exclaimed while waiting for his parents to pick him up at the middle school.

"It was super," another said. "And the circus was fun, too."

The 129 sixth graders left town last Wednesday on a school bus bound for the Shrine Circus performance in Grand Rapids. The students were attending the show as the guests of the Northwest Michigan Shrine Club.

The trip was planned as the annual one-day outing it usually is, but instead it turned into the first annual overnight for the sixth grade

students. And that was what made the trip so much fun, according to the sixth graders interviewed by the Courier.

While the students were inside watching the show complete with monkeys, lions and tigers, the weather outside was pulling some monkeyshines. By the time the students were ready to go home the roads were nearly impassable.

The bus did manage to make it to Big Rapids, however, where Ferris State College kindly put up the students and five teachers, three parents, three drivers and six members of the shrine club.

"The boys had to sleep on the floor, but the girls got couches," one female student said, explaining the system.

All of the students were

supplied with pillows and blankets at the Banker Center at the Ferris State College. "We even had a pillow fight," one boy volunteered. "That was fun."

"Where was the teacher?" a girl classmate asked him. "Oh, he fell asleep," the boy giggled.

Then it was up bright and early the next morning for breakfast and back on the road by 8 a.m. The students arrived at the middle school at 11 a.m. to find that the school had been cancelled due to the snow storm.

Wednesday may not have been the best day for a field trip, but it will be long remembered by the middle school students.

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abuse groups, activity centers for the mentally handicapped and mental health clinics.

COURIER: Who makes up the Community Mental Health Services Bureau?

KAUFMAN: We have 12 members, three from each of the four counties under our

jurisdiction. One member from each county must be a County Commissioner. Martin Paul represents the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners. Other Charlevoix County board members are Lillian

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JANUARY 24, 1977

8:00 p.m.

The Common Council of the City of Charlevoix met on the above date and time with Mayor Hansen presiding.

Aldermen present: Plum, Wood, Whitley, Erber, Morris. Absent: Alderman Wallace.

The Minutes of the January 10, 1977 regular meeting were approved as presented in writing and as recorded in the Council Minutes Book.

A Resolution was offered by Alderman Plum to add to the ICMA Retirement Plan for the City of Charlevoix and to add employee by the International City Management Association.

RESOLUTION 77-12

WHEREAS, the City of Charlevoix has in its employ certain personnel; and

WHEREAS, said employee is and will be rendering valuable services to the City of Charlevoix; and

WHEREAS, the City of Charlevoix has considered the establishment of a Deferred Compensation Plan for the said employee made available to the City of Charlevoix and to said employee by the International City Management Association Retirement Corporation; and

WHEREAS, said employee often is unable to acquire retirement security under other existing and available retirement plans due to the contingencies of employment mobility; and

WHEREAS, the City of Charlevoix receives benefits under said plans by being able to assure a reasonable retirement security to said employee, by being more able to attract competent personnel to its service, and by increasing its flexibility in personnel management through elimination of the need for continued employment for the sole purpose of allowing an employee to qualify for retirement benefits.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT

Engaged

Geer-Speer

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Geer proudly announce the engagement of their daughter Julie Marie to Kevin Speer. Speer is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harland Speer.

Miss Geer is a 1977 graduate of Charlevoix High School and is attending North Central Michigan College. Speer is a 1976 graduate of Charlevoix High School and is currently stationed at Dyess Air Force Base in Texas.

No wedding date has been set.



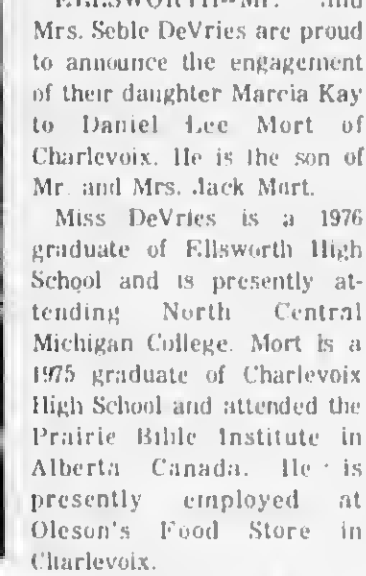
Julie Geer

DeVries-Mort

ELLISWORTH-Mr. and Mrs. Sebe DeVries are proud to announce the engagement of their daughter Marcia Kay to Daniel Lee Mort of Charlevoix. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mort.

Miss DeVries is a 1976 graduate of Ellsworth High School and is presently attending North Central Michigan College. Mort is a 1975 graduate of Charlevoix High School and attended the Prairieville Institute in Alberta, Canada. He is presently employed at Olson's Food Store in Charlevoix.

No wedding date has been set.



Marcia DeVries

Oddfellows Continue Cribbage Tourney Lead

Seven tables were in play at the Masons-Odd Fellow Cribbage tourney Thursday night as the Odd Fellows increased their lead to 929 points. The winning team tallied 382 points for the night.

Slms, Baker, tournament secretary, had the top score

for the evening, 956 points. Floyd Chamberlain had 929 for the Masons.

In recording the tournament results, Baker said "The lead means nothing. It could be wiped out in one night. That's what makes the tournament interesting."

The tournament is played at the American Legion post home at 8 p.m. every Thursday.

Medical Insurance in Flint, Michigan on February 10, 1977.

Mayor Hansen advised the Council that he had a telephone call from the Mayor of Jackson, Michigan requesting they exchange Mayorships on May 1, 1977. Motion was made by Alderman Wood and supported by Alderman Morris that this request be approved. Motion was adopted by the following City and may vote. Yes: Alderman Plum, Wood, Whitley, Erber, and Morris. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Wallace.

Attorney Michael Gibbons appeared before the Council to request an Entertainment Permit for the Grey Gables Inn. He presented several petitions in support of the request. Support was also voiced by several of the General Public present. Due to a lack of parking facilities in the area of the Grey Gables, the matter was referred to Committee for further consideration and study.

Motion was made by Alderman Plum and supported by Alderman Morris to name Robert Timms, Jan W. Genet, and Robert A. Barnum as candidates for the Board of Review. Motion was adopted by the following City and may vote. Yes: Alderman Plum, Wood, Whitley, Erber, and Morris. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Wallace.

The Finance Committee having examined bills totaling \$107,576.57 find them correct and recommend the bills be allowed. Moved by Alderman Plum and supported by Alderman Wood that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for their amounts. The Motion was adopted by the following City and may vote. Yes: Alderman Plum, Wood, Whitley, Erber, and Morris. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Wallace.

Council adjourned. July D. D. Przybylski, City Clerk

Local Twirlers Take Top Prize

The Spectrums of Charlevoix, a dance and baton twirling team of five members, captured a first place in U.S.A. competition at Allegan recently.

This is a first for a Northern Michigan team according to their instructor, Mary Lou Smith, who explained that the team members twirl batons while doing a dance routine. Each team is given up to four minutes to do its routine before four judges. There are also individual performances.

The winning team was composed of Brenda Boss, Dawn Bartlett, Lisa Hoffman, Sherry Jensen and Penny Kane. All are students in the Charlevoix Schools.

In the solo division, Lisa Hoffman placed first in the 12-year old category; Brenda Boss, second in the 15-year and over category and Sherry Jensen, fourth in the 13-year division.

The regional contest was sponsored by the U.S. Twirling Association.

Accompanying the troupe to Allegan were their instructor,

Mrs. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Boss and Mrs. Robert Hoffman.

Mrs. Hoffman said the costumes were made locally. The group would like to

acknowledge the assistance given by Elaine Tompkins of the Cheeba Cloth Shop.



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So Watch Out!

It's the Year of the Snake

For anyone who follows the advice found in fortune cookies, the message in 1977 is: "Watch out!"

This is the Year of the Snake-or will be at soon as the lunar new year arrives on February 18. In the Asian calendar, it's a year when it pays to be especially careful.

The serpent is capable of remaining quiet for long periods, then striking suddenly and dangerously.

Last year was the Year of the Dragon, supposed to bring great change and exciting events. In China, where all this began more than 45 centuries ago, it did exactly that.

China went through a change of government and two severe earthquakes in 1976. Mao Tse-tung's widow, Chiang Ching, was ousted in disgrace, and may have reflected on

that old Chinese curse: "May you live in exciting times."

The Chinese zodiac contains 12 animals, and each comes around five times in a 60-year cycle, which then starts anew. This provides for differences between one ox year and another, for example, according to their positions in the cycle.

Without these variables, soothsayers would be out of work. But since each animal has its own hours of the day and favored seasons within the year, there is ample material to fill the books printed annually that instruct individuals born under various animal signs on the best way to arrange their lives.

The 12 years are listed as the rat, ox, tiger, rabbit, dragon, snake, horse, sheep,

monkey, rooster, dog, and pig. Oriental mythology says Buddha told the animals to gather on a certain day and he would assign them the Year of the Rat should have good fortune—particularly if born at night.

Buddha asked the rat to inform the cat. But the rat didn't—which is why there is no Year of the Cat, and explains why cats chase rats to this day.

Numerous strict rules, such as that one warned a rabbit never to marry a snake, are less heeded today. But the animal zodiac still serves in helpful ways.

No Asian man would be so rude as to ask a woman her age. He can, however, ask which sign she was born under, then do a little quick arithmetic.

Yet the rat, also translated as mouse, isn't all bad in this colorful pantheon. Since rodents lived only in houses

penditures are computed, Wilson said.

The travel bureau was given a budget of \$23 million from the state to operate on and turned back \$13 million in tax revenues to the state.

"We have a return of \$90 for every \$1 spent," Wilson pointed out to the business people at the luncheon.

Wilson said he expected the budget to be even larger this year. He said the bureau would like to conduct a more active campaign against such competitors as Ontario, Canada, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Illinois, Indiana and Ohio.

face one of the coldest winters in history at the same time. The thermostat does have to be turned down to save energy and money—but don't lose heart. We're not, but we're not. Proper clothing can add another "trick up your sleeve."

The trick is to wear clothes that entrap air, so your body heat can't escape. Trapped air within the garment and between the body surface and other layers of fabric acts as insulation. Thicker feeling fabrics will be warmer than thinner ones. Fabric thickness rather than weight makes clothing warm.

Several layers of light weight clothing offer better insulation than one or two heavy clothing articles. The fitters will build up dead air pockets and entrap your body heat. We're not, but we're not. Proper clothing can add another "trick up your sleeve."

Fabric construction is more important than fiber content. The knit construction of a synthetic acrylic may be warmer than wool because of its ability to trap air. Thermal fabrics also entrap air.

Down is a very good insulator and offers warmth without weight. It breathes and allows body moisture to escape. It is also washable.

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CHARLEVOIX'S Neil Dziedzic (31) goes up for a shot despite the efforts of Onaway's Gilbert Morgan (40). Teammate Joe Left (33) watches.

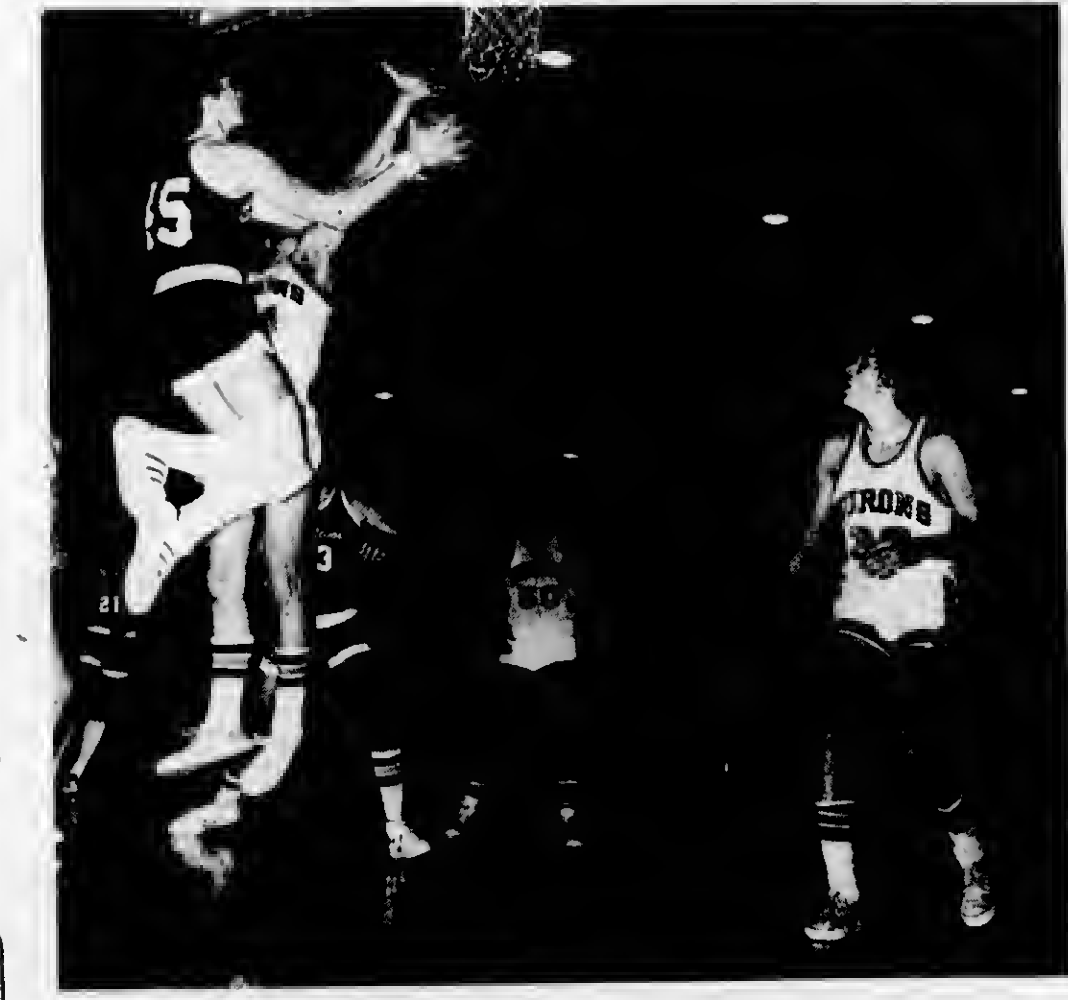


IT WAS ALL hands in the air as Scott Boss (21) and Pat Schaefer (51) grab away a rebound from Onaway's Gilbert Morgan (40).



BUD KLOOSTER (45) was all alone for this shot. Klooster paced his team during the Onaway game with 22 points.

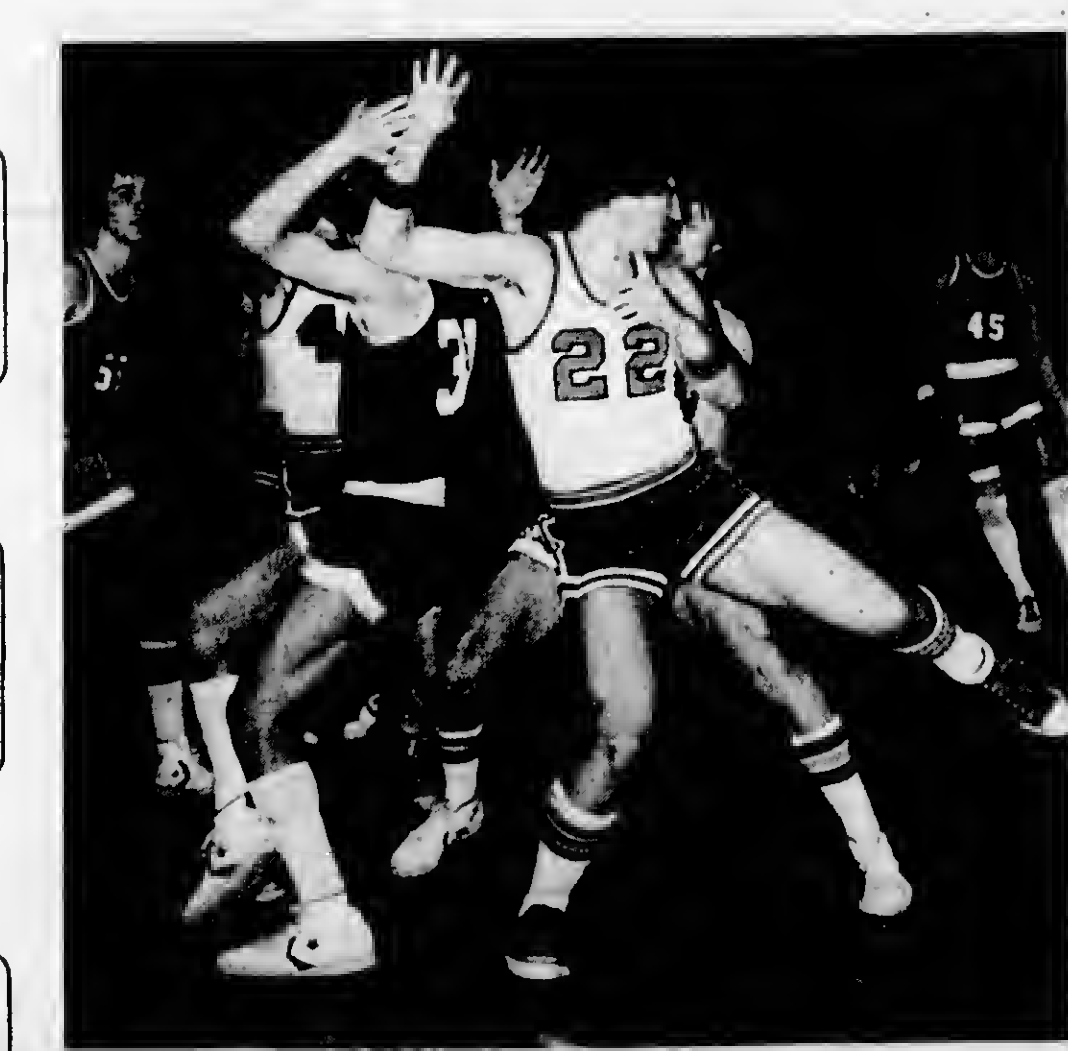
Rayders Lengthen First Place Lead



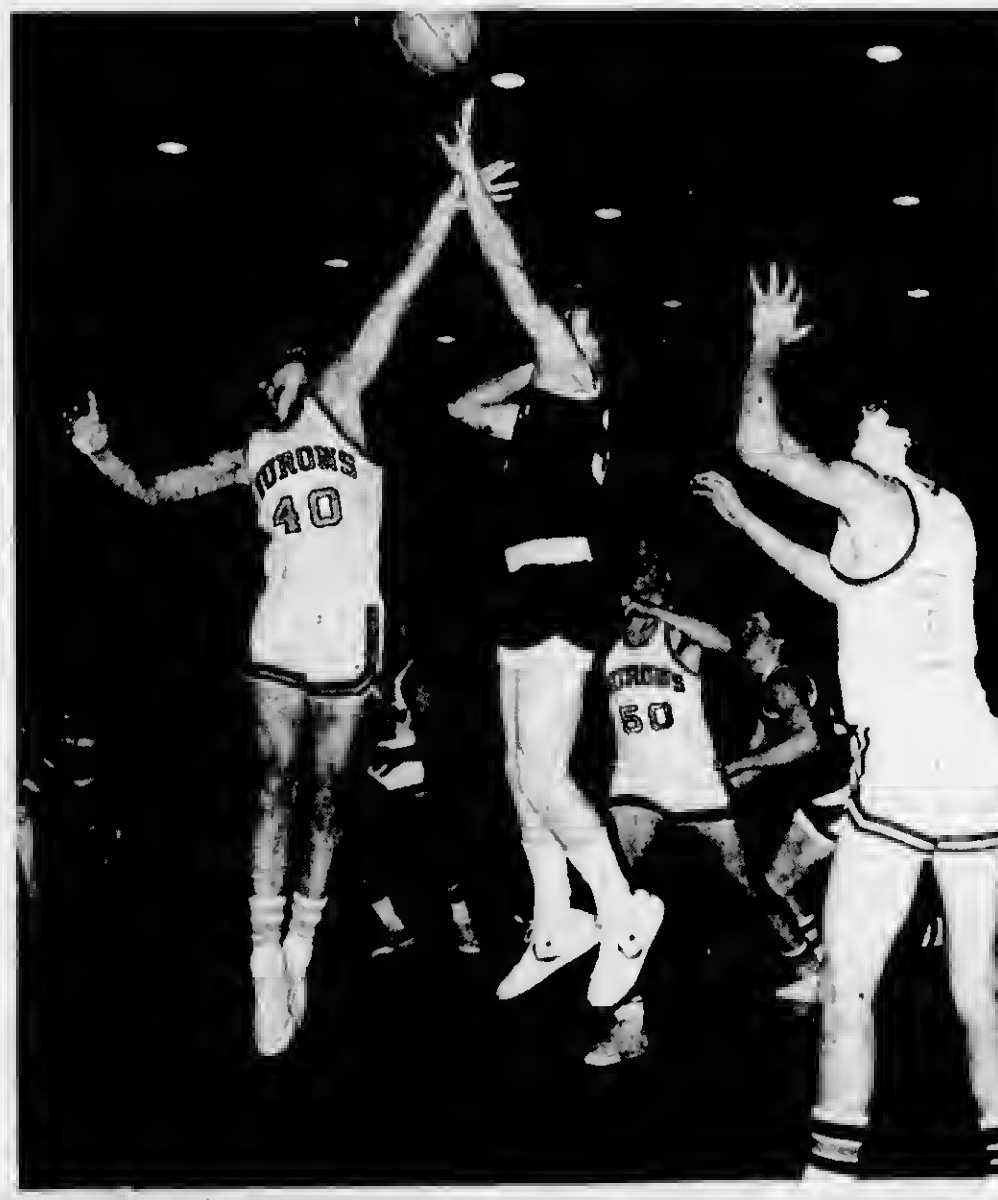
IT WAS Bud Klooster (45) high in the air for this basket as his opponent Curt Vogelheim (50) watches.



SCOTT BOSS (21) attempts a pass to Dave Tollas (41) while the Hurons Len Gabrysiak (34) runs interference.



IT WASNT quite clear who had the ball, but everyone was definitely blocked during this part of the game.



HURONS CURT Vogelheim (50) and Mark Pilarski (40) try to stop this Rayder shot with little success.

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Rayders Down Hurons, Extend League Lead

The Charlevoix Rayders lengthened their lead over the Hurons in the Michigan-Huron Shores league lead to 9-1 Friday night with a 91-67 victory over Rogers City.

In their game with Rogers City Friday night, the Rayders got off to a slow start and trailed 12-10 at the quarter before finding the range to take a 35-27 lead after outscoring the visitors 23-15 in the second period.

The Rayders have yet to play three of their toughest games before closing out the season-St. Ignace on the Saints' floor Friday; Boyne City here on Feb. 11 and Potoskey there the following Friday.

In between they will face

Harbor Springs Tuesday and Port Huron here on Feb. 8.

In their game with Rogers City Friday night, the Rayders got off to a slow start and trailed 12-10 at the quarter before finding the range to take a 35-27 lead after outscoring the visitors 23-15 in the second period.

Bud Klooster set the pace for the game with 26 points including 12 of 12 free throws. He was followed by Scott Boss

with 24 points; Matt Doan with 10; Dave Tollas with nine; Kip Cinnamon with five; Pat Schaefer with four; Jim Elzinga, Joe Left and Steve Berlage with two points each and Jim Alger with one.

Mark Gruke had 21, Mark Pilarski and Curt Vogelheim 13 for Rogers City.

B League Standings Remain Unchanged this Week

Action in the Independent Basketball League last week was limited to games played in the B League.

Tri-City Asphalt defeated Klooster John Deere 73-50; Freedman Aircraft dumped Medusa 86-49; LaBlance Insurance won over Hoskins 68-32 and County State Bank

edged Wojan Aluminum 51-32. This week B League games will be played on Thursday and the A League games will be moved ahead to Wednesday.

Tri-City Asphalt, the only undefeated team in the B League, continued to overpower its opponents. This

week it was a 73-50 win over Medusa 17-11; 45-20 and 65-32 by quarters before winning by a 37 point margin. Terry Blissett led the scoring with 23 points, Ed Holm 18, Dave Norton, 14 and Mike Crain, 10. Roger Gowell had 16 points and Hal Evans 10 for Klooster's.

scoring for the first time this season Tuesday when they chalked up a 101-61 win over the Onaway Cardinals.

Coach Dave Moyer emptied his bench as the Rayders jumped to a 35-8 first period lead, increased it to 48-20 at halftime and 72-49 as they headed into the final eight minutes.

The Rayders never made a trip to the free throw line during the first half as they scored 24 of their 45 field goals. Their 11 of 15 charity shots were made during the second half. They had a total of 22 personal fouls, half of which sent Onaway to the line

during the first 16 minutes. Bud Klooster paced the game with 22 points. Matt Doan added 16; Dave Tollas, 11; Neil Dziedzic, 10; Jim Alger, nine; Scott Boss and Pat Schaefer, eight each; Brian Williams, six; Steve Berlage, four; Kip Cinnamon, Jim Elzinga and Tom Fowler, two each and Woody Pearson, one.

Onaway had 19 field goals and 23 of 27 free throw attempts and collected 14 personal fouls. Bart Nolde with 21 points was top scorer for the Cardinals. Greg Morgan had 12 and Chet Ferris 10 points.

Health Classes Offered by Rec Department

The Charlevoix Recreation Department will sponsor a series of eight health exercise classes during April and May at the Charlevoix Elementary School gymnasium.

The classes will be presented one hour per week for eight weeks with Erin Arvillia as the instructor. The classes will be available for one hour beginning at 7:30 or 8:30 p.m. each weekday but Thursday and any hour between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Saturday.

Each class period will include approximately 45 minutes of exercises and 15 minutes of health education instruction covering topics selected by the group. Miss Arvillia, a fourth year medical student at Michigan State University, said the object is to improve not only one's physical condition but also one's mental capacity for incorporating therapeutic exercise and health habits into everyday living.

The cost of the two months program is \$8. Women interested are asked to send their name, age, address, phone number along with a list of health topics to Erin Arvillia in care of the Charlevoix Recreation Department, City Hall 210 State St., Charlevoix 49720.

Volleyball Results
Women's League
Volley Bees 3 Medusa 0
Volley Boppers 3 Oh Susannahs 0
Carols 2 Sunshine Kids 1
Men's League
Spikers 3 Out in Town 0
Bartlett Decorator Center 2 Car Care Crushers 1
The Team 2 Irish Boat Shop 1

Courier Sports

Junior Varsity Whips Rogers City Team

The Charlevoix JV's, in their meeting with Rogers City Friday night, had to snap a first period 17-17 tie before going on to win by a score of 53-47.

In fact, the young Rayders had to go to the free throw line to salvage the game after being outscored 23-19 from the field. Capitalizing on trips to the line where they connected on 15 of 24 attempts while collecting only 11 personal fouls to 16 for the visitors, the Rayders managed a six point victory. The young Hurons

completed only one of six attempts.

After the 17-17 first period tie, Charlevoix pulled away to a 30-25 halftime lead only to have Rogers City trim the margin to two points, 35-33, going into the final period.

Pat Schmidt led the scoring for Charlevoix with 14 points. Bob Plumm added 10, Doug Buday and Kevin Kratt, nine each; Todd Williams, five; Barney Way, four and Gilbert Nojort, two.

Dave Idalski had 23 for Rogers City.

Jerry Skippersgosh with 19 points led County State Bank to a win over Wojan Aluminum after heading them 9-5; 19-12 and 32-20 by quarters. Don Smith had eight points for Wojan's.

B League Standings	
Division I	
Tri-City Asphalt	11 0
Freedman Aircraft	8 3
Klooster John Deere	3 8
Medusa	2 8
Bay Shore Steel	1 9
Division II	
County State Bank	8 3
LaBlance Insurance	8 3
Hoskins	5 5
Wojan Aluminum	5 6
Alfay Cottages	2 8

Volleyball Team Loses To Strong Huron Squad

The Charlevoix Girls Volleyball team not only lost to Rogers City in matches played on the Hurons floor Wednesday night but it was forced to spend the night away from home when a blizzard struck the area late in the day.

The storm with winds up to 50 miles per hour cut visibility to zero and caused drifting of roads and made driving hazardous. Coach Pat Carland, her 31 team members and other students and their bus driver, Harold DeYoung, were housed overnight with families of Rogers City team members.

JVs No Match For Onaway Squad

A 75-52 score was posted Tuesday night by the Charlevoix Junior Varsity squad as they downed the visiting Onaway Cardinals.

The young Rayders tallied 35 field goals and nine of 21 free throws while picking up 15 personal fouls as they led the visitors 33-14 at halftime and 54-28 at the third period after trailing 12-10 at the end of the first eight minutes.

Ron Ferris had 14 and Stan Waite 12 points for the visitors who scored 22 field goals.



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Charlevoix Grapplers Capture Benzie Title

By FRANK MARTIN

The Charlevoix Wrestling Team, coached by Norm Probert, captured the title at the seventh annual Benzie Central Invitational Wrestling tournament held Saturday. It marked the first time the Rayders have taken the title.

Charlevoix tallied a total of 152 points to make the championship. Traverse City placed second with 134 points; Grayling, third with 127; Frankfort, fourth with 107 points; the host team fifth with 76 points and Elk Rapids, sixth with 23 points. Coach Probert said that the dual meet format was used in the tournament for the first time.

Two teams were unable to attend due to weather conditions in southern Michigan.

Traverse City was a late replacement when the Flushing tournament was forced to cancel because of weather.

Under the dual meet format, the winner is determined on a point system based on pins, times and decisions, Probert explained.

The Rayders piled up their points by winning over Traverse City 42-32; Benoit Central, 47-24 and Elk Rapids, 63-6.

Charlevoix grapplers placed in 12 of 13 weight classes. Charlevoix forfeited in the heavyweight class.

Individual championships were won by Mike Kately in the 122 pound weight class; Craig Golovich (138); Gary Probert (165) and Gregg Chappuis (178).

Other medal winners were Ron Hilton (112), second; Dave Golovich (98); Lee DeMicheil (106); Jeff Skelton (119); Andy Keller (155); third; Don Frost (126); Jerry Keile (145) and Dennis Whitley (191), fourth.

Skelton drew high praise from Probert for his performance against Larry Haughn of Traverse City who entered the tournament with 18 straight pins to his credit.

Haughn had 10 straight matches without an opponent scoring a single point against him. Though he was outclassed, Probert said Skelton kept moving throughout the match scoring a total of five points against the Class A State Medal winner. Though Jeff lost 19-5, his performance of scrappiness and determination set the tempo for the Rayders team who went on to defeat Traverse City. Probert said this was a real victory for him because in the only times

he had met Traverse City in the past he had lost.

Mike Kerr had the most pins in the least amount of time, three in 4:51. Jim Vellette of Elk Rapids had the most takedowns, seven.

Charlevoix will be at Cadillac Thursday and will host the Michigan-Huron Shores Conference tournament Saturday. A total of six teams will be entered in this meet with Rogers City defending the title the Hurons have held for two years.

There is a strong resonance in the popularity of cultured pearls, not just in the United States, but Europe and Asia are also seeing larger quantities of pearls as well. Refined in Japan has been shown in the areas of colored and baroque pearls as well as the traditional round cream colored variety.

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WEDNESDAY NIGHT

CHURCH LEAGUE

January 26, 1977

INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME

TEAM HIGH GAME

Keynote Concrete	152	98
Oleson's	146	104
St. Mary's	138	112
Community Reformed	128	122
Smith Rods	115	136
Atwood Reformed	114	138
St. John's	107	143
Lutheran	100	150

TEAM HIGH SERIES

Keynote Concrete	2410
Oleson's	2370

TEAM HIGH GAME

Keynote Concrete	843
Browne Electric	824

INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES

Bill Wynne	529
Jim Moore	526
Gary Spencer	522
Ray Brown	520
Charis Bortha	518
Roger Cren	448

INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME

Jim Moore	208
Glenn Taylor	203
Randy Rus	202

SENIOR LEAGUE

January 24, 1977

Paul Bunyan Lanes	11	5
Charlevoix Potatoes	11	5
Puffs	9 1/2	8
Oleson's	9	7
Town House	9	7
Sherris Dept.	9	7
Parkside Dining	9	7
2nd Chance	8 1/2	7 1/2
Cass Supply	8	6
Bortha	8	6
Central Drugs	7	9
Elzinga Inc.	7	9
Swanson	6 1/2	10
Midwest North	6 1/2	10
State Wide Realty	5 1/2	11
Charlevoix Redi Mix	5 1/2	11

TEAM HIGH SERIES

Ron Gruke	606-210-202-194
Brian Sonnenberg	563-208-201
Big Bertram	542-200-190
Harvey Brochway	545-191-183
Oscar Howell	542-191-183
Randy Sall	541-232-182
Ted Riley	536-190-183
Bob Dickerson	534-190-183
Ted Felter	529-190
Ron Wiskick	526-180

TUESDAY NIGHT LADIES LEAGUE

Tuesday, Jan. 25, 1977

Edward's IGA	105	56
Louise's Beauty Shop	96	82
Birdies Beauty Shop	94	66
Cross Fisheries	94	66
Staley's Grocery	88	84
Cinema III	84	76
Ron's Transmission	83	77
American Mold	79	78
Medusa Cement	82	78
Oleson's Food Store	79	81
Lake Construction	75	85
Hoke's of Petroskey	69	91
Argonne Super Club	68	91
Recall Drug	68	92
Hoskins	62	98
Gas Heat Installation	48	112

TEAM HIGH SERIES

Oleson's Food Store	2885
Birdies Beauty Shop	2872
American Mold	2866
Louise's Beauty Shop	2866

TEAM HIGH GAME

Oleson's Food Store	1029
American Mold	1024
Birdies Beauty Shop	1012
Edward's IGA	995

INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES

Mary O'Brien	518
Marla Kleber	496
Jill Ross	493
Shirley Elzinga	491
Sue Holm	482
Louise Bergmann	482

Jill Ross	190
Barb Swanson	188
Marla Kleber	181
Mary O'Brien	180
Shirley Elzinga	179
Theresa Dillow	178
Spina Convent, Lynde Bokke	677
5-7, Elaine Avery 5:10-7:27, Barb Shupert, Sally Geer 3:10, Lois Stott 6:7, Aileen Staley 5:10 to 6:45, Ann Heist 6:10, Laura Winchester 6:10, Mary Reide 5:10	

GUTTER GALS LEAGUE

Thurs. Jan. 27, 1977

Colonial Motel	106	54
Medusa Cement	92	84
Argonne Super Club	84	78
Bogart Roofing	81	79
Freedman Aircraft	77	83
Cass Supply	74	86
Mum's Meats & Things	67	97
Gary Gables Inn	56	104

TEAM HIGH SERIES

Bogart Roofing	2323
Colonial Motel	2310

TEAM HIGH GAME

Colonial Motel	832
Bogart Roofing	815

INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES

Sally Geer	543
Yvonne Aichbaum	513
Jane Bortha	491
Mary O'Brien	491
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SPORTSMAN LEAGUE

Thurs. Jan. 27, 1977

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Hoskins	94	96
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TEAM HIGH SERIES

First Stars Bank	645
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GUTTER GALS LEAGUE

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Kelly	470
Allison	466
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INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES	
Nick DeYoung	566
Dick Stangis	677
Greg Silzame	677
Merette Thamm	633
Nancy Allison	633
Becky Cummings	633

INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME

Editorial	274
Dick Stangis	267
Lorena Kelley	261
Robert Roeling	243
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Donna Fae	237
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TEAM HIGH SERIES

Bogart Roofing	2323
Colonial Motel	2310

TEAM HIGH GAME

Colonial Motel	832
Bogart Roofing	815

INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES

Sally Geer	543
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Magistrate's Court

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix and Boyne City last week by Magistrate Marilyn Blumstein and Howard Talbot:

Michael E. Lechman, 17, Ann Arbor, driving left of center, \$20.
Bethany S. Whistler, 23, Marquette, speeding, \$30.

District Court

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix District Court last week by Judge David W. Farabee:

John Gibson, 28, Charlevoix, assault and battery found not guilty by jury.
Daniel T. Wasylowski, 22, Boyne Falls, having open container of alcoholic beverage in motor vehicle, found guilty by jury, \$65 fine and costs.
Nelson P. Napont, 38, Charlevoix, having open container of alcoholic beverage in motor vehicle, found guilty, \$125 fine and costs.
Timothy J. Monahan, 18, East Jordan, no registration in vehicle, \$25 fine and costs.

Susan Dean, Wellston, Lake, permitting dogs to run at large, \$50.
Eric N. Doka, 31, Pontiac, speeding, \$25.
Donald L. Rulls, 37, Harrison, speeding, \$20.
John P. Conroy, 71, Petoskey, speeding, \$20.
Donald E. Black, 28, Petoskey, speeding, \$25.
Daniel J. Flynn, 26, Dearborn, making illegal U-turn, \$25.
Oscar B. Ward, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
Robert L. Cook, Petoskey, permitting dog to run at large, \$25.
Robert E. Olson, 24, Charlevoix, driving with expired operator's license, \$25.
Merla Hand, 44, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
James A. Barrow, 17, Central Lake, making improper turn, \$25.
John E. Arens, 37, Fowler, speeding, \$30.
Temple R. Wiles, 60, Charlevoix, failing to yield, \$25.
Edward M. Daniels, 17, Boyne Falls, speeding, \$25.
Raymond E. Fortune, 22, Charlevoix, failing to stop at stop sign, \$25.
William O. Perdee, 19, East Jordan, careless operation of snowmobile, \$85.
Clayton H. Trombley, 38, Windsor, Ontario, speeding, \$20.
David R. Craig, 26, Kalamazoo, careless operation of snowmobile, \$85.
Daboreh S. Hinkel, 22, Charlevoix, speeding, \$20.
Mary L. Richwine, 45, East Jordan, speeding, \$25.
Jack D. Caverly, 28, Boyne City, speeding, \$20.
Daniel H. Wells, 17, Grosse Pointe Park, speeding, \$30.
Martin G. Siepanian, 26, Taylor, speeding, \$30.
James E. Bettey, 39, Milford, speeding, \$25.
Craig A. Stahl, 20, Palm Beach, Florida, speeding, \$20.
Ronald L. Love, 39, Gaylord, speeding, \$20.
John M. Peacock, 41, Gross Pointe Woods, violating basic speed law, \$20.
Michael L. Embody, 17, Ludington, speeding, \$30.
Vern Goodwin, Wellston Lake, no dog license, \$25.
Jacob J. Smith, 37, Troy, speeding, \$25.
Gary L. Porell, 29, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
Gary L. Stutzman, 29, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
John W. Hauer, 19, Traverse City, defective equipment, \$20.
Matthew A. Neumann, 17, Boyne City, careless driving, \$85.
Clifford D. Buddick, 29, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.

Marriages

The following marriage licenses will be issued last week by the Charlevoix County Clerk:

Fred E. Sadowski, 30, Boyne City, and Mary Ann Clark, 34, Charlevoix.
David Malik, 27, East Jordan, and Jocelyn M. French, 20, Boyne City.
Forest Dipinski, 20, East Jordan, and Kristine Stutzman, 16, East Jordan.
Charles H. Stamper, 26, Boyne City, and Linda M. Arminster, 23, Boyne City.

Winter Festival Set to Chase Blahs Away

Initial plans for a Charlevoix winter carnival, the Winter Cup Festival, have been announced by Jacquie Merla, executive director of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce.

The festival, cosponsored by the chamber of commerce and the Charlevoix Lions Club, will be mixed with a series of events sponsored by other civic groups to help chase the winter blahs away during the last weeks of the month.

"We are planning this as a community event," Mrs. Merla explained. "We hope everyone will turn out and be a part of it, either as a participant or a spectator."

The carnival will open with an ice sculpture contest in East Park. Charlevoix High School students, who will hold their winter homecoming during the same weekend, will place their sculptures in East Park rather than at the high school.

Also on Friday, the Charlevoix-Gaylord basketball game, the final scheduled game of the season, will be followed by the Winter Homecoming dance at the K-5 school. A Winter Homecoming King and Queen will be selected by the high school student body and will reign over the festivities.

Cross Country ski races on a course to be announced will open Saturday's Winter Cup Festival activities. Open Cup Downhill ski races and the Mardi Gras Ski competition for skiers 18 years and younger will be held at 10 a.m. at Mt. McSaubia with trophies being offered to winners.

Also during Saturday, several hundred young musicians will be in Charlevoix for the annual District II Band and Orchestra Festival being hosted by Charlevoix High School. This will be an all-day event.

Saturday night has been designated Mardi Gras night.

In the community with restaurants and nightclubs planning special events for the entertainment of their guests.

A Mardi Gras Jazz Festival featuring the Slabtown Marching Society of Traverse City will be presented at the high school gymnasium under the sponsorship of the Community Cabaret at 8 p.m.

A cross country Olympic ski clinic will be held at 1 p.m. Sunday at the Municipality Golf Course. A hockey tournament will be held at 3 p.m. at the Charlevoix Middle School and the Lions Club will be drawing for prizes at the rink at 4 p.m. to conclude the three-day event. The service club will be selling raffle tickets throughout the weekend for the drawing.



THIS MONTH is Boy Scout Month and to celebrate it members of Cub Scout Pack 11 have put a display in the window of the Sears store on Bridge Street. Here Dwayne Bean and Tom Pederson work on the exhibit. For more information about Scouting read today's Meet Charlevoix on page 5.

City Council Proposes to Sell Property to Ohio Manufacturer

New industry may be moving into Charlevoix within the next year.

Charlevoix Common Council approved a resolution Monday night authorizing Mayor Edward Hansen and City Clerk Judy Przybylski to sign a purchase agreement with the Trison Company for property on Martin Road.

The city owns a 758 by 257 foot parcel next to the Charlevoix Chemical Company that the manufacturing company is interested in purchasing. The proposed price for the parcel is \$15,000.

The Trison Company, which is located in Ohio, produces master brake cylinder parts for General Motors. The industry is supposed to be pollution-free and quiet.

Part of the reason it wants to move to the Charlevoix area is that the company is having problems getting the additional natural gas it needs to expand its operations. Also the company has found that it doesn't matter where it operates from and the owner would like to move to this area.

City administrator Allen Sauerberg explained that the purchase agreement, if the company does not construct its proposed 7,000 square foot building on the property by February 1978, the property will revert to the city.

In other action, the common council approved a resolution of abandonment of State Street from north of Stover Road to M46 and U.S. 31. The road has not existed between the Clark Station, the County Bank building and Erber Oil Company property since 1967 when it was informally abandoned.

The request for formal abandonment was made by Michael Gibbons, representing Erber Oil Company. The city did reserve an easement for any utilities that might be running along the line of the former road.

Council also heard a request from Wayne Hoss for the purchase of a tractor with a briem on it for the maintenance of the ice skating and hockey rinks.

Boss explained the only adequate way to clean the ice is with a briem. If snow is left on the ice when it is being flooded the new surface will not freeze properly.

Boss pointed out the tractor could be used for a lawn mower during the summer. No action was taken on the tractor purchase.

Appointment of members to an Ad Hoc Committee for establishing charges for sewer treatment was discussed but no action was taken. Council will hold a public hearing on the proposed expansion of the sewer system in the city and in the surrounding townships Feb. 21.

High School Falls Short Of Accreditation Criteria

By FRANK MARTIN

Some changes will have to be made at the Charlevoix High School if it wants to keep its North Central accreditation, the Charlevoix Board of Education learned Monday night.

The Code of Federal Regulations for Boards of Education and Administrators was presented for consideration. Action on the policy will be taken at a later date.

At the same time, the board voted to follow its policy of hiring a coach for only one major sport. As a result, the boys track coach position remains open. The athletic director, Dale Burges, will be asked to make a recommendation for the vacancy.

Max Novak, an Ardeth Legion property on school property was designated as a parking area for these people. However, they must request permission from the principal.

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With the approval of the millage issue, one mill for five years to repair the middle school, the schedule and budget were discussed briefly. At the top of the schedule is the repair replacement of windows to cut back on heat loss.

Hemingway Country Exhibit Donated To County by Consumers Power Co.

"Charlevoix County is Hemingway country, that's why we at Consumers Power Company feel that this exhibit belongs here," Richard Dahlquist, area manager for the Northern Region for the power company, said in presenting a Hemingway display to the county.

The lighted display, which now stands in the lobby of the Charlevoix County Building, contains 12 pictures of scenes of Hemingway Country where the famous author spent many years in his youth.

The exhibit was assembled in the early 1960s for use at the former Big Rock Nuclear Plant Information Center on Little Traverse Bay. The display was viewed by thousands of visitors to the center. Since the closing of the information center, the display has been exhibited in Consumers Power Company offices across the state.

The exhibit is a 7 foot exhibit contains photographs of familiar scenes in Horton Bay and other Charlevoix County communities.

In accepting the gift for the county, Clyde Cunningham, chairman of the county board of commissioners said: "We are indeed fortunate to receive such a fine display. I thought immediately of the county building where it can be shared by everyone who visits the building."

"We do too little to call attention to the county as Hemingway Country," Cunningham continued. "This (display) will surely do that."



CLYDE CUNNINGHAM, chairman of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners, and Richard Dahlquist, area manager for Consumers Power Company, stand by a Hemingway exhibit donated to the county by the power company. The exhibit stands in the lobby of the county building.

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I would like to know why we are paying so much in taxes and fuel at the Middle School when on a day like today they had the windows half open and fuel is so high.

Concerned Taxpayer

From here, where I sit, it seems to me that there is something very fishy going on. On one hand, we are asked to conserve fuel from all sides. On the other side, we are having motor sled races going on all around. Don't they use up precious fuel? And now, you have a young Petroskey father of two dead of racing and on Sunday, yet, those two children will not miss him! Remember, he died while wasting precious fuel. Those snow machines guzzle gas and plenty of it. You don't have a 40 or 50 h.p. motor going full blast on just a snuff of gas. Much as I like to follow the sport, I believe that at a time like now we should be curbed. I think such thoughts as I drag my weary old feet here and there instead of driving and live without visiting distant friends.

P.S.

John Martin

betcha never thought you'd make the front page!

WEATHER

The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant:

Date	High	Low	Snowfall
February 2	20	10	0 inches
February 3	27	19	3 trace
February 4	20	8	trace
February 5	11	-1	2
February 6	15	-2	trace

There have been 104.6 inches of snow so far this year, with 5.5 inches falling during February.

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Community Calendar

Fran Martin
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Tuesday, Feb. 8
Basketball: Kalkaska here 8:30 and 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will meet at Grey Gables 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Hobbekah Lodge will meet at the American Legion Post home 8 p.m.
Const. Guard Auxiliary Boating Safety and Seamanship course, Charlevoix high school, 7:30 p.m.
Men's Prayer meeting, 7 p.m., Community Church of God.

Wednesday, Feb. 9
Volleyball: Boyne City here 8:30 p.m.
Skiing: Charlevoix at Gaylord 1 p.m.
Charlevoix County Bank of Commissioners will meet at the county building annex 9:30 a.m.
Mary Burns Circle will meet at the First Congregational Church at 4 p.m.
Margaret Parker Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Floyd Chamberlain 1:30 p.m.
Mrs. Lester Smith, co-hostess, Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at hangar talk room 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Chapter of the Association for the Blind will meet at the Community Room, First State Bank, 7:30 p.m. Anyone interested in the programs of the blind are invited to attend.
Round Lake Lodge No. 293.

Thursday, Feb. 10
Westling: Charlevoix at the Soak 8:30 p.m.
Freshman basketball: I.O.O.F., will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.
Northwest REACT No. 3433 will meet at the conference room, Charlevoix County Jail, 8 p.m.
Emmet County League of Women Voters will meet at Westminster Room, Potosky Presbyterian church 10 a.m.
Mrs. Pauline Mengelber will speak on Emmet County's progress toward a Central Solid Waste System. Open to men and women.
TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towles, Loeb Rd. 8 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 11
Basketball: Boyne City here 8:30 and 8 p.m.
Al-Anons Family Group will meet at undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For more information call 547-2145.
Saturday, Feb. 12
Westling: District finals at Gaylord.

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Jan. 31, Baby boy born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Winkelson, Boyne City.

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Charter Commission in Dilemma Over How to Handle Utilities

The City Charter Commission is alive and well and working harder than ever. It seems the nine commissioners have hit a snag in the preparation of the proposed charter. They are undecided about how to handle the section dealing with the establishment of a board of water and light.

Last October, the charter commissioners put the finishing touches on the proposed charter and then with common council permission sent the document to a charter consultant attorney for review.

That document contained a section establishing a three-member board to operate the electrical utilities. Presently the city administrator takes care of the utilities as part of city operations.

The charter commissioners believed making the utilities a separate operation would result in a more efficient operation of the \$1 million business.

However, the charter

consultant raised questions about the wisdom of establishing a separate autonomous board to run the utilities.

So the charter commission rewrote the section turning the water and light board into an advisory council. But, after meeting with Roger Westbrock, manager of REA, and hearing his comments the commissioners were undecided as to which method was better.

"We've hit a real dilemma," John R. Clock, charter commissioner explained. "We have three ways we can go, we can leave the utilities the way they are, we can make a strong, independent board that is free from political pressure, or we can create an advisory panel to the common council."

Clock said the charter commissioner was planning to discuss the dilemma with Richard Gorman, Potosky City Manager, Allen Sand-

berg, Charlevoix City Administrator, Larry Savage, Traverse City Manager and Forbes Tompkins, Boyne City Manager.

"But we would like to hear what other people have to say about it, too," Clock said. "We are looking for suggestions and would like to have people attend the meetings."

The charter commission has been meeting every Tuesday at 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix at Boyne City 7 p.m.

American Legion Auxiliary will meet at post home 8 p.m.

Cribbage tournament, Masons vs. Odd Fellows 8 p.m.

American Legion post home.

Monday, Feb. 14

Valentine's Day...Will you be mine?

Women's Guild of Charlevoix Area Hospital will meet at the hospital 8 p.m.

Char-Em Intermediate School Board of Education will meet at the Service Center, Mercer Blvd. 8 p.m.

Pearl Divers will meet at the Community Church of God 5 p.m.

Char-Em Association for Retarded Citizens will meet at Service Center, Mercer Blvd. 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Township Board will meet at township hall 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 15

Westling: Rudyard here 8:30 p.m.

American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m.

Coast Guard Auxiliary Boating Safety and Seamanship Course, Charlevoix High School, 7:30 p.m.

Men's prayer meeting, 7 a.m. Community Church of God.

Wednesday, Feb. 16

Charlevoix Chapter No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet at the Masonic Temple 8 p.m.

TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towles, Loeb Rd. 8 p.m.

Volleyball: Potosky at Charlevoix.

Sharon Alberts, supervisor of the intensive care-coronary care unit at Charlevoix Area Hospital, watches patient monitor.

Charlevoix's Intensive Care Unit Busy

By PAULA HOLMES

The patient is rapidly wheeled down the corridor from the emergency room to a special wing in the hospital.

Immediately several members of the health care team—nurses and technicians—swarm around the heart attack victim and begin attaching him to various machines and performing various tests on him.

In a mere 15 minutes the procedures are finished and the ailing man is resting in his bed in a room in a special wing under the watchful eye of two specially trained nurses and an electronic monitor.

The above may sound like a scene right out of television's "Emergency!" but actually it describes what happens at the Charlevoix Area Hospital when a patient is admitted to the intensive care-coronary care unit (ICCU), according to Sharon Alberts, R.N., supervisor of the ICU wing.

Within 15 minutes of a patient arriving at the ICU door, he or she is attached to a cardiac monitor, an oxygen machine, the blood pressure is taken, the laboratory technician draws blood, the X-ray tech performs a chest X-ray, an electrocardiograph (EKG) test is given, pulse is

taken and an intravenous needle is inserted to pump fluids into the patient.

From that point on the vital signs, such as blood pressure and respiration, are checked every 15 minutes until the patient stabilizes, Mrs. Alberts explained.

Two specially-trained nurses on each shift run the three-room unit with the aid of an electronic monitor. The monitor is placed at the patient's bedside and at the nurse's station for complete coverage.

The 11 nurses which staff the ICU section are all certified coronary care nurses. Most of them have taken the special classes through the Michigan Heart Association, while others received training in different places.

The staff also participates in continuing education courses on the bi-monthly basis right in the hospital and they constantly quiz each other to make sure they are up-to-date on the latest procedures.

"The area is so specialized that you have to constantly keep using the information and techniques you have learned or it goes stale," Mrs. Alberts explained.

The ICU unit at Charlevoix Hospital opened in 1973 and was made possible through donations to the hospital in memory of three area residents. The first year the

unit cared for 84 patients. Last year more than 190 patients were served in the unit.

Mrs. Alberts said the unit has greatly improved the medical care to area residents. She said 15 patients have been revived after their hearts had stopped due to the special equipment in the unit. Before the unit opened those patients probably would have died, she said.

Also heart attack victims can now be taken directly to Charlevoix hospital instead of to Potosky and this has probably saved many lives, too, Mrs. Alberts said.

Most of the patients admitted to the unit are heart attack victims. However, the unit also has patients suffering from respiratory illness such as asthma and from trauma such as a car accident victim. The unit also cares for post-operative patients.

Ronald Geer, former Charlevoix County Drain Commissioner, was appointed Veterans Affairs Counselor by the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners during its meeting last week.

Geer's appointment was made following more than two months of quibbling between the county commissioners over who actually had the authority to make the appointment, the commissioners or the Committee on Veterans Affairs.

The veterans committee was of the opinion it had the responsibility of appointing the counselor, while several county commissioners felt the county board should make the appointment upon the recommendation of the veterans committee.

To insure that it would make the appointment, the county commissioners voted in December to remove the veterans affairs counselor post from the budget.

Prosecuting Attorney Roy Hayes had issued the opinion that if the post had not been budgeted that only the county commissioners would make the appointment.

Geer will be employed on a half time basis as veterans counselor for a trial period of six months. He was one of three applicants for the job. He replaces Lois Waskoski who resigned from the position two months ago.

In other appointments, Chairman Clyde Cunningham appointed Commissioner John Kujawski to the Criminal Justice Advisory Council, which was formerly the Region 10 detectives board. Commissioner Keith Anear was appointed as an alternate Health Department board and Helen Cherry of South Arm Township, Toni Garlock of Boyne City and Max Novak of Charlevoix were appointed to the Special Elections Scheduling Committee.

James Gels, M.D., was added to the list of county medical examiners.

In other action, the commissioners voted to pay \$100 dues to the Michigan Northern Counties Association and \$4,885 dues to the Northwest Regional Planning and Development Commission.

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MATT DOAN (42) came from out of nowhere to grab this rebound away from the Rams, especially out of the hands of Dave Rhine (44). Harbor still took the game 79-65.



BUD KLOOSTER (44) holds his position under the basket against a Harbor player as he, Dave Tolas (40) and Pat Schaefer (50) wait for the rebound.



SCOTT BOSS (20) had to leap high in the air to get this one over Harbor's Dave Rhine (44). Dick Reeves (42) watches the play. The Rams defeated the Raiders 79-65 in the hard fought game.



PAT SCHAEFER (50) comes from behind to grab this rebound out of the Saints' hands Friday night.



PAT SCHAEFER (50) gets a hand in on the action against Harbor's tough team. Here he battles Ed Kelbel and Dave Rhine for the rebound. Harbor won the game 79-65.



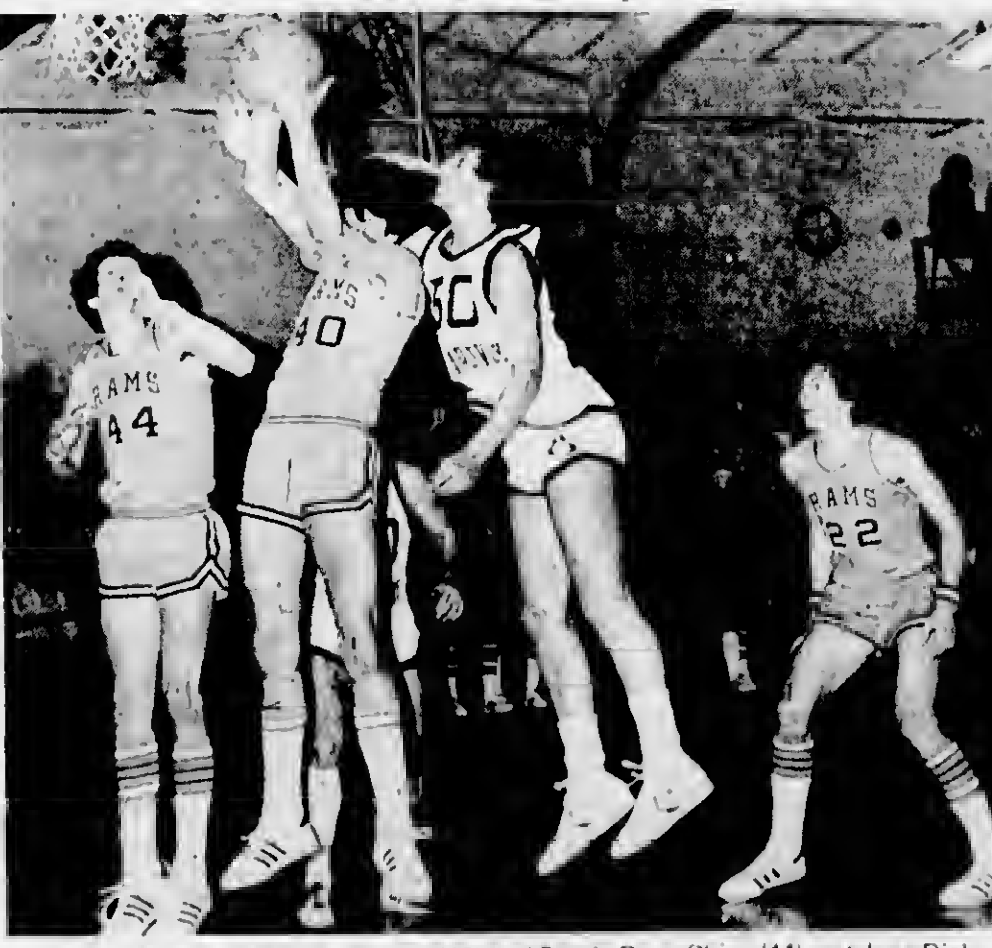
SCOTT BOSS (20) gets a hand on the ball during the Raiders meet with St. Ignace Friday. Charlevoix downed the U.P. club 72-66.



THE HARBOR SPRINGS fieldhouse was packed for the Raider-Rams game. Here Raider fans let go with a cheer for their team. Harbor won the hotly contested battle 79-65.



DAVE TOLAS and **SCOTT BOSS** chase the ball during the cage battle between Charlevoix and St. Ignace. Charlevoix won 72-66.



SCOTT BOSS (20) and **Matt Doan (42)** and **Ram's Dave Rhine (44)** watch as **Dick Reeves (42)** scrambles after the ball during the Raiders-Rams game Tuesday. The Rams took the game 79-65.

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Rayders Defeat Saints In Tough Cage Battle

The Charlevoix Rayders had to come from behind in their game at St. Ignace Friday to chalk up their 10th league win and retain their two game lead in the Michigan-Huron Shores conference.

Charlevoix came through with a 72-66 win over the Saints.

After surging to a 22-12 lead at the end of the first period, the Rayders found themselves trailing 37-36 at halftime after being outscored 25-14 during the second period.

The Saints, with a home floor advantage, continued to pace the game with a 56-50 lead going into the final period when the Rayders scored 22 points to 10 for the Saints to snatch the victory.

While scoring 30 baskets from the floor, the Rayders connected on only 12 of 23 from the line. The team had 22 personal fouls.

St. Ignace connected on 75 percent of their free throw attempts or 18 of 24 while scoring 24 field goals. They had 21 personal fouls.

Bud Klooster and Dave Tolas had 18 points apiece; Scott Boss 14; Matt Doan 12; Pat Schaefer six and Neil Dziedzic four.

Four Saints were also in double figures including Mark Olson with 19 points; Owen Pillsbury with 15; Pat Cronan and Kevin Litzner, 10 each.

Harbor Springs Rolls Over Rayders During Second Meet

In a game that was closer than the scoring indicates, the Charlevoix Rayders lost to the powerful Harbor Springs Rams on the latter's floor Tuesday night by a score of 79-65.

The Rams edged to a 15-14 first period lead before increasing it to 45-38 at halftime. Charlevoix came back to score 18 points to 14 for Harbor to trim the lead to 59-51 going into the final eight minutes.

The Rayders had a total of 25 field goals and 15 of 22 shots from the line. They also had 20 personal fouls.

The Rams, with 34 field goals and 11 of 18 free throw attempts and 20 personal fouls, were paced by Dave Rhine with 20 points, Ed Kelbel with 18 and Geoff Morse with 16 points.

Kip Cinnamon, two points.

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No Change in B League Basketball Standings

By FRANK MARTIN

B League action last week saw Klossier John Deere win over Bay Shore Steel 75-38; Tri-City Asphalt dump Medusa 88-34; County State Bank edge Hoskins 56-53 and Wojan Aluminum defeat AlRay Cottages 56-45.

Four players were in double figures as Klossier's roared past Bay Shore Steel 75-38; 36-15 and 57-38 by quarters before taking the game 75-38. Roger Gowell scored 20 points, Dennis VanGuilder 16, Butch Wagner and Barry Pierce 12 each. Vince Left had 15 points and Robbie Wojan 12 for the Steelers.

Tri-City Asphalt remained undefeated as they led Medusa 18-6; 34-17 and 61-25 by quarters before posting an 88-34 win. Dave Norton had 25 points, Leroy Buchanan 20, Butch Klossier 17 and Mike Crain 15 for Tri-City. Dick Putnam had 14 for Medusa.

Wojan Aluminum and AlRay Cottages played to a 16-16 first period tie before Wojans pulled ahead 36-20 at

JV's Lose to Saints During Rough Week

The Charlevoix JV's went down to defeat by a two-point margin at St. Ignace Friday when the young Saints won by a score of 64-62.

It was a come-from-behind victory for the host team who trailed 15-13; 38-21 and 56-46 by quarters before coming on strong late in the game for the last minute victory.

St. Ignace also took advantage of trips to the free throw line to chalk up the win, connecting on 14 of 31 attempts while scoring three

Kaden, Townhouse Move Back to Tie

By FRANK MARTIN

Kaden's Emporium and Townhouse are back in a tie for first place in the A League of the Independent Basketball Association after Kaden's won a 84-61 score Wednesday night.

In other games Townhouse edged Way Oil 52-51 to retain the league lead and Credit Union posted its third win of the season, a 57-52 win over Willett Roofing.

Playing one of its best games of the season, Swan-son's overcame a 44-42 first period deficit before edging to a 45-44 lead at the three quarter mark. It was a seesaw battle during the past eight minutes with Swan-son's outscoring Kaden's 19-17 to win by a slim three-point margin.

Bruce Meggison had 16 points, Randy DeYoung 14 and Dave Swanson 10 for the victors. Keith Fitzpatrick had 13, Jeff Belford 11 and Jim Bauman for Kaden's.

It was a tough game for Townhouse as the Harman battled Way Oil all the way to hang on to their first place spot in the standings. They led 11-10 at the quarter and saw the game tied 26-26 at half-time before managing a 44-42 lead going into the last period. Dennis Dommie had 12 points, Ed Kelbel and Tim Doan 10 each for the victors. Roger

Girls Back on Victory Trail

The Charlevoix girls volleyball team got back on the victory trail last week after winning two out of three games over St. Ignace. Charlevoix won the series 12-15; 15-4 and 15-10.

Coach Pat Carland commended Rita Wosowski, Julie Wimmer and Chris Leluman for their strong serving.

The JV squad also won its series 12-15; 15-4 and 15-10.

Charlevoix will be at Boyne City Wednesday. The playoffs in this sport will begin March 2.

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Ski Team Takes Double Victories Over Cheboygan and Bellaire Squads

It was a double victory for the Charlevoix High School ski teams Wednesday and both the boys and girls posted victories over Cheboygan and Bellaire in a meet held at Schuss Mountain.

In last week's competition, the Charlevoix girls tallied 28 points to 46% for Bellaire and 106 for Cheboygan. The boys won with 24 points to 59% for Bellaire and 111 for Cheboygan.

In the girls meet, Camille Malpeli took the slalom with Lisa Wiener placing second and Mary Ash of Bellaire taking third.

Jeff Richards of Bellaire placed first in the slalom in the boys meet. Two Rayders, Erik Lundteigen and Lee Begrow took second and third respectively.

Begrow took first in the giant slalom; Mark Ligne!! and Lundteigen took second and third.

The meet of Gaylord Wednesday; the regional meet at Schuss Mountain, Bellaire, on Feb. 18 and the Michigan-Huron Shores meet at Gaylord Feb. 23 will close out the schedule. However, the state meet will follow these dates.

Rams Give Junior Rayders a Battle

The Charlevoix JV's, after a hard fought battle with the Harbor Springs JV squad, ended up on the short end of a 74-66 score Tuesday night.

The young Rams forged to a 14-12 first period lead before the young Rayders outscored them 23-19 to take a two point

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- 1 Truck, 3/4 Ton Pickup
- 1 Truck, 1/2 Ton Pickup
- 1 Motor Grader
- 1 Double Deck Vibrating Screen

The following equipment will be traded or sold:

- 1 1972 1/2 Ton Pickup, Chevrolet, No. 3
- 1 1970 1/2 Ton Pickup, Chevrolet, No. 7
- 1 1966 Carry All Pickup, Chevrolet, No. 11
- 1 1967 Super 300 Austin Western Motor Grader, No. 77
- 1 Single Deck Vibrating Screen

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2.8 acres in the city of Charlevoix, zoned commercial with all city utilities plus an older home also included. CHARLEVOIX PROPERTIES, 547-4111. (2-9-3-101)
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101 Announcements
WATER PILLS and laxatives may deplete your body's essential Potassium—ask for K Forte Central Drug, (1-26-51-101)
FIBER, VITAMINS, Minerals. Authorities say you need all 3 to maintain good health, as for Fiber Rich, Central Drug, (1-26-51-101)
WANTED: NEWS TIPS. If you see or hear news happen, call the W.V.O.D. NEWS CONNECTION. You could win \$12.70. Call 547-4455. (2-9-3-101)
108 Business Opportunities
HAIRWARE WANTED - in Charlevoix area. Have couple with \$50,000 savings. Would consider other merchandise. Write or call collect Joe Pesch, LaNoble Realty Business Brokers, 1516 E. Michigan, Lansing, MI 517-482-1637, home 517-694-3161. (2-9-3-108)
173 Personals
LOVE CAREFULLY DAY. Feb. 14. Call Planned Parenthood, 547-5692. (2-9-3-173)
179 Repair Services

Bogert's Real Estate
RESIDENTIAL COMMERCIAL
We handle all your real estate needs. Call 547-6316. 30 Westwood-Charlevoix
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181 Services Available
METAL POLE buildings. Residential buildings. Complete driveway and textured spray. Licensed builders. Drayton Builders, Inc. Free estimate. 547-4786, in Petoskey 347-6200. (11-10-1n-181)
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183 Services Available
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sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale, provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to-wit: IN THE CITY OF BOYNE CITY, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN: THE EAST HALF (E 1/2) OF LOT 325, BLOCK 29, OF NICHOLS AND MORGAN'S THIRD ADDITION TO SOUTH BOYNE, NOW CITY OF BOYNE CITY. The redemption period will be six months from the time of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying amount bid at the sale plus 7 percent interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale. Dated January 19, 1977. Mrs. Winifred D. Molony, Regional Attorney United States Department of Agriculture, Room 2920, 230 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60604. Attorney for Mortgage. For Additional Information, please contact: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Acting through Farmers Home Administration, Calvin C. Lutz, State Director East Lansing, Michigan 48823 Mortgage. (1/12/1977/26/22/9)

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NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
A Public Hearing will be held before the Common Council of the City of Charlevoix on Monday, February 21, 1977 at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Chamber in the City Hall of said city to discuss a preliminary plan for improved sewer services in the City of Charlevoix. All interested parties are invited to attend. Judy D. Prybylski City Clerk (2-2-2, 2-2, 16)

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Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 11th day of November, 1971, by Sally Ann DeRoche, as mortgagors, to United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on November 12, 1971, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Charlevoix County, Michigan, in Liber 130 of mortgages on pages 226-229, in which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Sixteen Thousand and Two Hundred Thirty-Six and 3/100 (\$16,236.30) principal and One Hundred Seventy-Nine and 4/100 (\$179.40) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default; NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that on March 8, 1977, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the east door of the courthouse in Charlevoix, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale, provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to-wit: IN THE CITY OF EAST JORDAN, COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX, MICHIGAN: LOT 7, BUSH'S ADDITION TO THE VILLAGE OF SOUTH ARM, NOW INCORPORATED IN THE CITY OF EAST JORDAN, ALSO THE NORTH 30 FEET OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY: A PART OF GOVERNMENT LOT 2 IN SECTION 22, TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, DESCRIBED AS COMMENCING AT A POINT IN THE SOUTH EAST CORNER OF SAID GOVERNMENT LOT 2; THENCE EAST 5 RODS; THENCE SOUTH 16 RODS; THENCE WEST 5 RODS; THENCE SOUTH 16 RODS TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING. The redemption period will be six months from the time of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying amount bid at the sale plus 7 percent interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale. Dated January 19, 1977. Mrs. Winifred D. Molony, Regional Attorney United States Department of Agriculture, Room 2920, 230 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60604. Attorney for Mortgage. For Additional Information, please contact: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Acting through Farmers Home Administration, Calvin C. Lutz, State Director East Lansing, Michigan 48823 Mortgage. (1/19/1977/26/22/9)

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Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 27th day of January, 1970, by F. Owen Moore and Arlene R. Moore, as mortgagors, to United States of America, as mortgagee, and recorded on January 27, 1970, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Charlevoix County, Michigan, in Liber 127 of mortgages on pages 385-389, and certain mortgage made the 15th day of October, 1970, and recorded on October 16, 1970, in Liber 128 of mortgages on pages 582-585, in which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Fifteen Thousand and Eight Hundred and Eighty-Four (\$15,884.85) principal and \$17,100 dollars (\$17,100.00) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default; NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that on March 2, 1977, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the east door of the courthouse in Charlevoix, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale, provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to-wit: IN THE CITY OF EAST JORDAN, COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX, MICHIGAN: LOT 7, BUSH'S ADDITION TO THE VILLAGE OF SOUTH ARM, NOW INCORPORATED IN THE CITY OF EAST JORDAN, ALSO THE NORTH 30 FEET OF THE FOLLOWING DESCRIBED PROPERTY: A PART OF GOVERNMENT LOT 2 IN SECTION 22, TOWNSHIP 32 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST, DESCRIBED AS COMMENCING AT A POINT IN THE SOUTH EAST CORNER OF SAID GOVERNMENT LOT 2; THENCE EAST 5 RODS; THENCE SOUTH 16 RODS; THENCE WEST 5 RODS; THENCE SOUTH 16 RODS TO THE PLACE OF BEGINNING. The redemption period will be six months from the time of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying amount bid at the sale plus 7 percent interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale. Dated January 19, 1977. Mrs. Winifred D. Molony, Regional Attorney United States Department of Agriculture, Room 2920, 230 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60604. Attorney for Mortgage. For Additional Information, please contact: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Acting through Farmers Home Administration, Calvin C. Lutz, State Director East Lansing, Michigan 48823 Mortgage. (1/19/1977/26/22/9)

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Community Calendar

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Tuesday, Feb. 15

Wrestling: Rudyard here 6:30 p.m.

American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m.

Coast Guard Auxiliary Boating Safety and Seamanship Course, Charlevoix High School, 7:30 p.m.

Men's prayer meeting, 7 a.m. Community Church of God.

Charlevoix Woman's Club will meet at Leuthauer's at noon for annual luncheon. Mrs. Robert Hooper, Director of Nursing, Health Department District 2, Mrs. Heinz Leuthauer and Mrs. Ernest Foster, co-hostesses. State of officers will be presented.

Wednesday, Feb. 16

Charlevoix Chapter No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet at the Masonic Temple 8 p.m.

TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towles, Loeb Rd. 6 p.m.

Volleyball: Petoskey at Charlevoix.

Thursday, Feb. 17

Freshman basketball: Petoskey here 7 p.m.

Senior Citizens potluck dinner at the Charlevoix High School Cafeteria 6 p.m.

Program: Clarence Way, post, will present several of his poems.

Mason-Odd Fellow Cribbage tournament at American Legion post home 8 p.m.

All cribbage players welcome. V.F.W. Auxiliary will meet at the V.F.W. post home 8 p.m.

Big Brothers-Big Sisters will meet 8 p.m.

Friday, Feb. 18

Basketball: Charlevoix at Petoskey 6:30 and 8 p.m.

Regional Ski meet at Schuss Mountain near Mancelona. Charlevoix will participate.

Al-Anon Family Group will meet at undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m.

Family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.

Friday-Saturday, Feb. 18-19

State Finals in Drama at Central Michigan University.

Saturday, Feb. 19

Charlevoix Middle School will host a regular Junior High Choral Clinic at the high school band room with vocal students from Petoskey, Grayling and Charlevoix participating. Clinician: David Jorlett of Detroit. Rehearsal: 8:30 a.m. until 3 p.m. with a break for lunch. Short concert for parents and the community at 3 p.m. Event is sponsored by M.M.E.A. and M.S.V.A.

Monday, Feb. 21

Washington's birthday is observed. Legal holiday.

Charlevoix Board of Education will meet at the high school study hall 7:30 p.m.

Band Boosters will meet at the high school band room 7:30 p.m.

Pearl Divers will meet at the Community Church of God 3:45 until 5 p.m.

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Sunday, Feb. 20

Struts Area Ostomy Association will hold its regular meeting at the First Presbyterian church in Petoskey 2 p.m. All ostomates and interested persons are invited. Call 582-8848 for further information.

Christian Brotherhood Hour, 8 a.m., Station WVOY. Education will meet at the high school study hall 7:30 p.m.

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William Austin, co-hostess. Program: Lively Arts: The Fabulous Flicks and Theatre. Mrs. Paul Stephan.

Kappa Sigma chapter, Beta Sigma Phi sorority, will meet with Mrs. Ronald Moore, 8 p.m. Mrs. Timothy Moore, Part 1, Mrs. Timothy Moore. Club Scout Blue and Gold banquet 6 p.m. K-6 school cafeteria.

LaLeche League will meet with Mrs. Timothy Doan, 302 Park-ave., 7:30 p.m. For further information call 547-4192 or 6255.

Tuesday, Feb. 22

George Washington was born at Wakefield, Va., on this date.

St. Mary's Board of Education will meet at St. Mary's school 7:30 p.m.

Rebekah Lodge will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.

Coast Guard Auxiliary

Seamanship and Boating Safety class will meet at the high school 7:30 p.m.

Men's Prayer meeting, 7 a.m., Community Church of God.

The men of Christ Episcopal Church will hold their annual Shrove Tuesday Panakea Supper at the undercroft of the church from 5 to 7 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 23

Ash Wednesday.

Michigan-Huron Shores Conference Ski meet at Gaylord.

Round Lake Lodge No. 293 I.O.O.F. will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at hangar tach room 8 p.m.

Charlevoix County Humane Society will meet at 8 p.m. in the East Jordan City hall.

TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towles, Loeb Rd., 6 p.m.

Broken Water Pipes Cause Drought at Carey Boot Shop

The drought which hit California has spread to Charlevoix.

Carey's Boot Shop on Bridge Street was without water for 10 days, but it wasn't due to the lack of water in the city.

Water was running in the shop on Saturday.

A water service pipe to the store froze and burst last week, cutting off the water supply.

When the city crews attempted to thaw out the pipe, they discovered it had been severed when the gas mains were put in and repaired with a rubber cuff.

City Administrator Allen Sandberg said the city was trying to repair the pipe without digging up the alley because the city would like to replace the entire line in the spring and doesn't want to dig up the alley twice.

"We've been carrying jugs of water from home," Mrs. Charles Carey, owner of the store with her husband, said explaining how they were coping with the situation. "We bring those plastic milk jugs in full of water every morning and they carry us through the day."

Less Furniture warehouse also suffered from the water shortage, but Ralph Iless said it had not affected working conditions.

Sandberg said several water services had frozen during the week along Petoskey Avenue and in the Dixon Avenue area. More than 90 customers were affected by the bursting pipes.

The city administrator said the city is planning to develop a program to lower as many of the water services as possible this summer.

"The pipes are only one inch or three-quarters of an inch and fairly easy to freeze," Sandberg pointed out. "Some of them have been giving us problems even in less severe winters."

Most tankers operating today have good safety records, according to the world's leading maritime insurer, Lloyd's of London. The few exceptions, however, cause dramatic disasters.

Coast Guard figures show 15,000 tankers called at United States ports during 1975, and 85 ran aground. Six of these accidents caused oil spills. Hearings at this session of Congress will consider how to reduce the number of accidents, even though America's oil imports continue to rise.

One petroleum company officer says that using 250,000-ton tankers to deliver Middle East oil to the United States would cut shipping costs by 30 percent.

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Letter People Make Learning to Read Lively



ANDY FORTIN works on one of the worksheets that accompanies the Alpha 1 reading program. First grade children have learned how to spell more than 450 words so far this year. Also in front of Andy is one of the meeting greeting cards used to introduce new letters and their sounds to the students at the Charlevoix Elementary School.



FIRST GRADE TEACHER Sue Tillotson explains the difference between letter boys (consonants) and letter girls (vowels) with the aid of a poster from the Alpha 1 reading program now in use at the Charlevoix Elementary School.

By PAULA HOLMES

"Now children, listen closely before you write this word down," the first grade teacher said during a spelling exercise. "This word has something special—a super squish."

"Now think—what's your starting clue box, the catch and the super squish?" she warned.

Sounds like a foreign language, but actually it is the sound of first graders learning how to read at the Charlevoix Elementary School under the new Alpha 1 program.

The Alpha program is a phonetic means of learning to read through the use of visual features which gives them a clue to the sound," Mrs. Tillotson said.

To reinforce the special features, the first graders have been involved in special activities as they were introduced to each letter. When the students met the letter boy T, who happens to have lots of teeth, they took him to the dentist. When they met letter boy V, they made vegetable soup.

"We did as many things as we could to reinforce the sounds of each letter and to introduce them to words that used that letter," Mrs. Tillotson said. "And the parents have been great about cooperating with us during these special activities."

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The children learn the various letter sounds by meeting letter boys and letter girls. Specially made 1 by 2 foot cards portray the picture of each letter person. The letter boys are consonants and the letter girls are vowels.

And each letter has its own special feature. For instance, the letter boy M, any first grader will tell you, makes an mm sound and has the special feature of munchy mouth.

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Editorials/Opinions

No New Taxes Needed On Tourist or Other Industry, Senator Davis

If the Michigan Legislature had its way, Northern Michigan businessmen would board up their windows and put closed signs on all their doors.

At least that's what it looks like with most recent Republican proposals to levy an additional, statewide 1 percent tax on hotel and motel room rates.

Democrats claim the prime backer is State Senator Robert Davis of Gaylord.

In a recent news release, State Senator Michael J. O'Brien (D-Detroit), chairman of the Senate Tourist Industry Relations Committee, criticized the proposed hike saying it is "a bad idea that would severely hamper Michigan's important tourist industry."

Michigan now levies a 4 percent statewide tax on motel and hotel rooms. The revenues generated by this tax, which last year amounted to \$6.1 million, go into the state general fund.

In addition, some counties have legislative authority to levy an additional tax on room rates up to 5 percent which must be used to help finance their tourist and convention business promotions.

"Adding on another 1 percent statewide tax to the four percent we now have constitutes a 25 percent increase and would, I am convinced, make it extremely difficult for Michigan to remain competitive in the tourist and conventional business," O'Brien said.

"That extra 1 percent is a lot of money when you're talking in terms of the convention business brought to Michigan by the big corporations and associations."

"Those people will start going elsewhere when they see the difference that 1 percent would make in their hotel and motel bills."

Tourism is Michigan's second largest industry and for our area it is number one.

It's almost hard to believe that a legislator from a resort-oriented area would even consider such an outlandish increase.

Small businessmen in this area are already feeling the pangs from Michigan's new Single Business Tax.

Under the present tax structure, our small businesses, which are heavily labor-oriented, are paying a greater proportion to its earnings than other businesses in metropolitan areas.

This proposed tax hike on motel and hotel room rates would only add an additional burden to an already troublesome situation.

We would hope that our state senator would do everything in his power to realize the taxpayer's burden in Northern Michigan instead of increasing it.

As with his efforts to repeal the Single Business Tax, we will be looking for Senator Davis to block any type of effort to increase the tax burden on our tourist-oriented business.

Schools Should Consider Setting Up Programs For Gifted Students

We urge Charlevoix School District to look into providing special education classes for the gifted children in our school district.

After attending an information session on the various types of programs that can be implemented for gifted children, we feel great strides can be taken to begin programs even without any funding. Phyllis Maul, consultant from the Kalamazoo Valley Intermediate School District, presented many thought-provoking ideas for ways to challenge the bright child on a limited budget during the session.

All such a program takes is some dedication and a little ingenuity on the part of the school district's administrators, counselors,

teachers and parents. Mrs. Maul stressed that no one knows the potential of the gifted child and we agreed with her when she said she was sure of one thing—the gifted child will never reach his or her potential if he or she is not challenged in school.

Much time, thought and money has been spent on providing special education programs for mentally, physically and emotionally impaired students. We feel that some time should now be spent to help the gifted student, too.

In the past, it has been thought that the exceptionally bright child could get along by himself or herself. But we don't believe this is true and we urge parents, teachers and administrators to take action to correct the situation.

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Coming home to roost.



Clockwise
by Bob Clock

After reading in the Sunday papers how the winter of 1976-77 is dealing a body blow to the psyche of American citizens, I decided to check out the story on my own. I pulled on my Mockinaw and my high buckle arctic and trudged through the latest blizzard to the home of my good friend and analyst, Dr. Seymour Heartache.

I punched the bell and seconds later a uniformed butler was standing in the doorway.

"Is Dr. Heartache in?" I asked stepping into the foyer.

"This is a personal or professional visit?" the butler asked stiffly.

"A little of both," I said.

"You'll find Dr. Heartache in the study," the butler said, motioning toward a massive oak door at the end of the hall.

I let myself in and found my good friend and confidant seated before a roaring fire and smoking a fat Havana cigar. A half filled brandy snifter stood at attention at his elbow and stacks of market quotations were piled on the sofa beside him.

Dr. Heartache seemed genuinely glad to see me and after exchanging pleasantries he pulled up a chair for me in front of the fireplace.

"You must be doing very well," I commented, sitting down and accepting a drink of brandy. "I've never seen you better before."

"It's the weather," Dr. Heartache smiled. "This is the best winter in years."

"It's the new! Brand new this winter," Seymour boomed. "Well I tell you, the money was rolling in so fast I just didn't have time to spend it. So I asked myself, why not a bigger? I found him in the Nieman-Marcos catalogue. It's a real gem."

"How come you're so busy all of a sudden?" I asked.

"It's the weather," Dr. Heartache smiled maliciously, looking out the window at the swirling snowflakes and trees bent double by the wind. "I have never diagnosed so many acute cases of cabin fever during my quarter century on the couch. It's almost an epidemic. My appointment calendar is booked solid through March and there's no end in sight."

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Letters to the editor

Urges Local Attendance At Energy Seminar

Dear Editor:

On February 17, at 7:30 p.m. a meeting on the subject of energy will be held in the Board room at Northern Michigan Electric Co-op, across from the High School athletic field. Clyde Johnston, of NMEC, will be the principal speaker. His subject will be power generation, not rates, but it should help everyone to understand the correlation between generators, lines and rates. If you use electricity, this meeting should be worth your time.

We have had personal dialog with Mr. Johnston, among others, on the whole problem for some weeks, and this meeting is a direct result of the dialog, so we are sure it can be a fruitful session.

In course of discussions with many people concerning energy, we have come across a phenomenon that needs exploration. It has two facets. First, there is a semantic problem, we say "energy," nine out of ten replies indicate the listener heard "nuclear." Reminds us of the priest who heard "money" when we said "charity."

Energy, like God, is everywhere. It is in sunlight, wind, water, earth, plants, animals and in our own living bodies. Nuclear energy is only one very exotic and powerful form of energy, and we would like to suggest it is time to clarify these word meanings. Otherwise, we can never get down to the essential task of communicating about either word.

The second facet of the problem is the effect of the word "nuclear" has on people. It's too bad we don't have a Mark Twain, or a Will Rogers to do this part, lacking that, we submit our humble effort. Nuclear energy has proponents and opponents who are very

strong, and after enough conversation with both sides, it begins to come across to us as a new form of the ancient "babe of the sea" story, although there are males and females on both sides. Simply expression, then, we shall call all pros "he" and all cons "she."

He sees nuclear power as something glamorous, exciting, a holy grail which will bring him straight to heavenly glory. If he can just get his hands on it, he calls it a "nuclear romance," a very love affair with an atom.

She sees nuclear power as something hideous, disgusting, an abomination, a desecration, a frightful thing. She does not want anyone to use it, she fears its effect on herself and her children. She calls it "nuclear fever," disease that will destroy life from the face of the earth.

The quarrels between this "couple" have repercussions that would put the biggest H-bomb to shame. Consider lawyers weeping or having violent temper tantrums in court. Judge treating the litigants and their attorneys as criminals in the course of civil actions. Newspaper headlines describe the action, "generating bitterness" instead of electricity.

Thus do puny creatures, floating on tiny grain of dust in the vastness of the universe, disrupt ourselves. It's enough to make one weep, but it might be better if we'd all snuff it each other and see if we can't find a place to start over.

A good place to start could be the above-mentioned meeting. Please come, and bring lots of good will and smiles.

Sincerely,
Bob & Lucille McKown
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Erma Bombeck

It was one of those days when I wanted my own apartment. Unlisted. My son was telling me in complete detail about a movie he had just seen, punctuated by "3,000." You know? "My teeth were falling asleep."

There were three phone calls—strike that—three monologues that could have been answered by a recording. I fought the urge to say, "It's been nice listening to you."

In the cab from home to the airport, I got another assault on my ear, this time by a cab driver who was rambling on about his son whom he supported in college, and in his last year, you put a P.S. on his letter saying, "I got married. Her name is Diana." I told him, "What do you think of that?" and proceeded to answer the question himself.

There were 30 whole beautiful minutes before my plane took off. Time I spent with a man with no thoughts, to open a book and let my mind wander. A voice next to me belonging to an elderly woman said, "I'll bet it's cold in Chicago."

Stone-faced I answered, "It's likely." "I haven't been to Chicago in nearly three years," she persisted. "My son lives there."

"That's nice," I said, my eyes intent on the printed page of the book.

"My husband's body is on this plane."

"I don't think I have ever detected myself more than I did at that moment. Another human being was screaming to be heard and in desperation had turned to a cold stranger who was more interested in a novel than the real-life drama at her elbow."

All she needed was a listener, no advice, wisdom, experience, money, assistance, expertise or even compassion, but just a minute or two to listen.

It seemed rather incongruous that in a society of super-sophisticated communication, we often suffer from a shortage of listeners.

We talked nonstop and steadily until we boarded the plane, then found her seat in another section. As I hung up my coat, I heard her plaintive voice say to her seat companion, "I'll bet it's cold in Chicago."

"I prayed," I said, "Please God, let her listen."

Why am I telling you this? To make me feel better. It won't help, though. (Copyright 1977 Film Enterprises, Inc.)

No Pictures Please

My pet peeve is newspapers that publish pictures of lost pets, trying to find homes for them. My wife doesn't need any help adopting strays, and I would appreciate it if the dumb newspapers would hush off.

You've seen those pictures. A cute little puppy with warm eyes has been dumped off at the dog pound by the meanest friend in town. The dog answers to the name of Adorable and loves little children, old people, and naturalized citizens. He hasn't been fed in three months and you can hang your heart on his ribs, please.

This lost dog is scheduled to be stomped to death and minced, not necessarily in that order, five minutes after you see his picture which was taken on death row. His only chance for salvation is you, the reader.

Is there room in your heart, and in your 15-hour home, for one cuddly little puppy who never hurt anyone and who wants nothing more than to live, to lick your hand, and to chew your furniture?

Will you let this puppy die?

The next day the newspaper brings that, as a result of its puppy story and whopping circulation, 3,456 people stormed the dog pound, screaming to

adopt Adorable.

Fortunately, the dog had already been minced, so everyone got some.

But, anyway, my wife doesn't need to look in the newspaper to find stray dogs. She can tell a lost dog from a found dog just by hearing it bark 15 blocks away.

AND SHE IS NOT UNUSUAL. I recently surveyed 22 men, all married and all sitting on bar stools. Each man admitted his wife was a pushover for unloved strays of all breeds.

In fact, 17 of the men said that's what caused their marriages. They had once been strays themselves. Ten of the men still wore collars with buckles. Five of them revealed broken leashes tucked into their pants. And one man swore his name was Prince.

According to my wife, stray dogs are always running away from cruel homes. They are never lost because they are dumb. They are lost because they had to flee 600 miles to escape viciousation, and they must travel without the aid of a road map. Did you ever see a dog with a glove compartment?

During a recent Sunday stroll, I asked my wife, "How do you know that

dog is lost? It's wearing a vest and a tie and appears well fed. It is trotting purposefully. How do you know it is not on the way to a happy home and a kettie of cats?"

"I can tell," she said. "That dog is lost. We should take it home."

THIS IS A REMARKABLE talent and she does not reserve it for animals. My wife can pass a stranger on the street and immediately tell you if he is lost.

"That man is not happy," she said one block past the dog. "I think his wife has left him and she won't let him visit the children. So he doesn't know what to do with himself on Sunday afternoons."

"Well," I said. "We certainly should take him home and give him some Alpo."

It's worse with children.

"Look at that mother," she said a few minutes later in a crowded shopping center. "She is yanking her little girl around by the arm. She boogies at her and she has been slapping her. I'll bet she beats the poor little girl every night."

"I know it belongs to that poor little girl. I can tell by the way she keeps peeping the air."

It was easy to find the husband. His broken leash was trailing out of his pants and rattling on the sidewalk.

Onward and Upward.

Meet Charlevoix

...Gene Steele

The Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce is an important part of our town. The chamber has been instrumental in bringing more tourist trade to the community and is making Charlevoix a nicer place to live.

This week Gene Steele, the newly elected president of the chamber board of directors, talks about the direction he would like to see the chamber take and about the upcoming Winter Cup Festival, which will be held Feb. 25-26-27.

COURIER: What would you like to see the chamber accomplish during your term of office?

STEELE: I would like to see us establish a better line of communication between the members, the board, Jacques (Marta, executive director), and myself. One thing we're planning to do is hold general membership meetings so that we can get the feeling of the people who belong to the

chamber. Also Jacques and I will be spending more time talking with various members to get their feelings on things.

COURIER: Do you have any other goals you would like to accomplish?

STEELE: I would like to see more local businessmen join the chamber and I would like to see the members become more active in participating in chamber activities. The chamber is just like most organizations, a few people carry the ball. I would like to see more people get involved.

COURIER: When Jack Wilson of the State Travel Bureau, spoke to the chamber he suggested that one way to increase an area's tourist business was to plan more events for the off seasons in the spring and fall. Is the chamber planning to do that?

STEELE: I would like to see us extend the tourist season to six months from the two and one-half to three months it is

now. People mean commerce and commerce means dollars. We're a tourist town and I would rather see us be that way than an industrial town. But, that means it is important for us to do things to get people up here. We are planning to extend the color cruises in the fall and I would like to see us add something in the spring. Also with the increased interest in cross country skiing we may be able to increase the market in the winter. I know the people are going to like the area once they get here. We have plenty of other things for them to do when they are here.

COURIER: Will you be able to accomplish all these things?

STEELE: We may not be able to get them all done during my term in office, but I think we will accomplish a lot. The chamber has a fine board this year and the members have a lot of enthusiasm. I see

great things happening here this year.

COURIER: Tell us about the Winter Cup Festival.

STEELE: It occurred to me that this is a good time of year to have some activity. A few years ago Dave Phillips started Marlin Gras to fill in the void and that was a good function. But I felt that a lot of people didn't participate in it because of the nature of the activity. Along with the Marlin Gras, the Charlevoix Lions Club has also been holding a winter carnival. Both activities were good ideas, but neither was doing very well. We felt it might be better to combine the two events and not have them conflicting with each other. It was natural to turn both events into the Winter Cup Festival.

COURIER: A lot of sporting events are included in the winter's winter festival, why?

STEELE: Because we are in the middle of the snow belt,



it is only natural that any type of winter celebration would include winter sports. It was only logical that we would use the facilities we have such as the McSaba and the hockey rink, to come up with a good fun weekend that everyone could be a part of.

COURIER: How long have you been a member of the chamber?

STEELE: I've been a

member ever since Charlevoix Properties started three years ago. I have been on the board of directors for two years.

COURIER: When did you come to Charlevoix?

STEELE: I moved here in 1971 with my wife Barbara and my two boys Michael, 10, and Charles, 7, from Grosse Pointe.

Needs Study Completed for Advisory Board

An evaluation of client needs at area centers for mentally impaired people has been completed. The Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Services Board learned at a recent meeting, Debbie Edwards, occupational therapist for the centers, reported "she had completed her evaluation of the needs and will now turn her attention to specific needs of clients."

The Program and Planning Committee will now visit each of the centers the board funds to review their 1976 evaluations. The centers involved include the Bergman Center and Charlevoix House in Charlevoix, the Lamp-

lighter in Cheboygan, and the Gaylord Opportunity Center. The committee is composed of Sam Kose and Lillian Bergman, chairman of the board from Charlevoix County, Pauline Menninger, Elmer County, Lonney Campbell, Oscoda County and Howard Randall, Cheboygan County.

The mental health board was also advised that CETA positions had been funded through Sept. 30, 1977. Each agency the board funds has at least one CETA employee.

The board meeting is scheduled for 8 p.m. March 3 at the administrator's office, 325 E. Lake St. in Petoskey.

Petition Due Date Set Earlier in School Board Race

Nominating petitions for school board positions will be due earlier this year due to a change in the election laws. Because of the change, nominating petitions will have to be filed nine weeks prior to the actual school election instead of 20 days before the election as in the past. Charlevoix Superintendent James A. McKinney has advised residents of the Charlevoix School District. Candidates seeking election to the Charlevoix Board of Education during the scheduled June 13 election will find their nominating petitions by 4 p.m. on April 11.

A second change in the election law requires circulating the petitions in each voter registration unit in the school district. For example, a

petition must carry the name of the unit of government where the petition was circulated—either the number of the ward in the City of Charlevoix or the name of each township in the school district. In the past, a single petition could be circulated any place within the school district.

The number of signatures needed to have a candidate's name placed on the ballot is based on 1 percent of the number of votes the largest vote-getter received in the last election. In the Charlevoix School District this amounts to 20 signatures.

Nominating petitions may be obtained at the school business office on Garfield Avenue or at the county clerk's office.

Special Ed Needed for Gifted Students, Too

Exceptionally intelligent students have been considered to be the children with the least problems in the classroom by teachers, administrators and parents alike.

But this is not necessarily true, according to Phyllis Maul, consultant with the Kalamazoo Valley Intermediate School District.

"Sometimes I think gifted students are the most handicapped of all students in the classroom," Mrs. Maul said while conducting a seminar on programs for the gifted child at the Charlevoix-Emmett

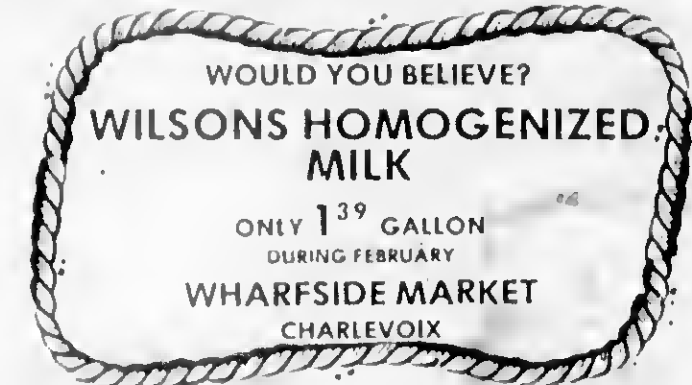
Intermediate School District last week.

"One of the brightest students I ever had was getting Ds in English," she continued. "He would play games with the teacher and answer the first three questions on a test perfectly and then quite down the test. He wasn't being challenged and he decided to play games instead."

Cakes 'n Candles



Steven Thomas was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph H. Avery of Charlevoix at the Charlevoix Area Hospital Feb. 4. He is the brother of twin sisters Stacy and Tracy, 18 months old. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Valois Avery and Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Mathews of Charlevoix.



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Heart Disease Major Killer in Area

Is the mortality from heart disease on the decline in Charlevoix County? How big a hazard does it continue to be, locally and in other areas of the country?

Special interest centers on the disease at this time because February has been designated National Heart Month and because of recent reports by the National Center for Health Statistics

and others, that a reduction in the heart toll has finally been recorded.

The number of deaths in the United States from heart disease, the general term that includes strokes and other ailments of the cardiovascular system, has dropped to less than one million a year, the figures for the last two years show. The mortality is now down to

979,000.

The reduction is attributed chiefly to the development of improved methods of diagnosing and treating the disease and to new surgical procedures, dietary controls and a cutback in cigarette smoking among older people.

In Charlevoix County, heart disease is responsible for some 56.1 percent of the total mortality, based upon an

average of the last three annual reports made by the U.S. Public Health Service. Elsewhere throughout the United States, by way of comparison, it accounts for 51.4 percent of the total. It amounts to 53.8 percent in the State of Michigan.

Despite the gains that have been made, however, heart disease remains the biggest threat to human life, causing

more than one-half of all deaths in this country. In Charlevoix County's area, where the official reports show the average annual mortality from heart disease, cancer, accidents and all other causes at 190 a year over the three-year period, some 110 are attributed to heart disease. Not included are deaths locally of non-residents.

The nation's economic loss

resulting from heart disease comes to approximately \$23 billion a year, according to an estimate made by the Health Insurance Institute. This includes medical expenses, loss of income, reduced production and the like.

The cost in Charlevoix County, on that basis, related to the incidence of heart disease locally, is about \$2,845,000 a year.

Many Men in County Choose Early Retirement

In Charlevoix County, as well as in most other sections of the country, a significant portion of the male population over age 18 is, by choice, not going to school, not working and not intending to work.

For the most part, they are able-bodied men who have sufficient sources of income or adequate financial backing to enable them to get along without working, many of them at a comparatively young age. Also among them are people who are unable to work because of poor health.

In this non-work category, based upon the latest figures from the Department of Labor and the Department of Commerce, are an estimated 1,110 local residents. Included are some 310 who are between 16 and 65 and 800 who are over 65.

They represent 19.4 percent of the county's population.

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"Watch" is scheduled for Tuesday, March 1, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. at the Northwestern State Bank in East Jordan and Wednesday, March 2, 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. at the Northwestern State Bank in Boyne City and East Jordan.

"Watch" is sponsored by MSU Cooperative Extension Service and the Northwestern State Bank in Boyne City and East Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Bruck are visiting interesting places in Florida this winter.

Mark Saunders has been a patient in the Charlevoix Hospital. He has the best wishes of his friends and neighbors.

Reba Parsons and son Bobby have returned home after spending ten days as guests of her mother Betty (Ziska) Fein and Mr. Fein in Sanford, Fla.

Chesler and Leonas Hide Out and Lunch Counter and Fishing Business seems to be a popular spot this winter to meet old and new friends to reminisce about better fishing days of years gone by.

The Carson family have almost been working around the clock on their new home on Fifth Street.

Snow and more snow. There are banks of snow on every road but I remember back in the early thirties on Old M 66, banks almost to the top of the telephone poles and it would take several days for a plow to come from Charlevoix to our community. It was cold also. I think our County plows are doing a wonderful job in keeping our county roads open this severe winter weather.

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Section 1, Act No. 206 of the Public Acts of 1893, as amended, being sections 211 to 211.157 of the Compiled Laws of 1948, is amended by adding section 34a to read as follows:

Sec. 34a The equalization director of each county shall prepare a tabular statement each year by the several cities and townships of the county, showing the tentative recommended equalization ratios and estimated multipliers necessary to compute individual state equalized valuation of real property and of personal property. The county shall publish the tabular statement in a newspaper of general circulation within the county on or before the third Monday in February of each year and furnish a copy to each of the boards of review in the county and to the state tax commission. All notices of meeting of the boards of review shall give the tentative ratios and estimated multipliers pertaining to their jurisdiction. The tentative recommended equalization ratios and multiplying figures shall not produce the equalization procedure of the county board of commissioners or the state tax commission.

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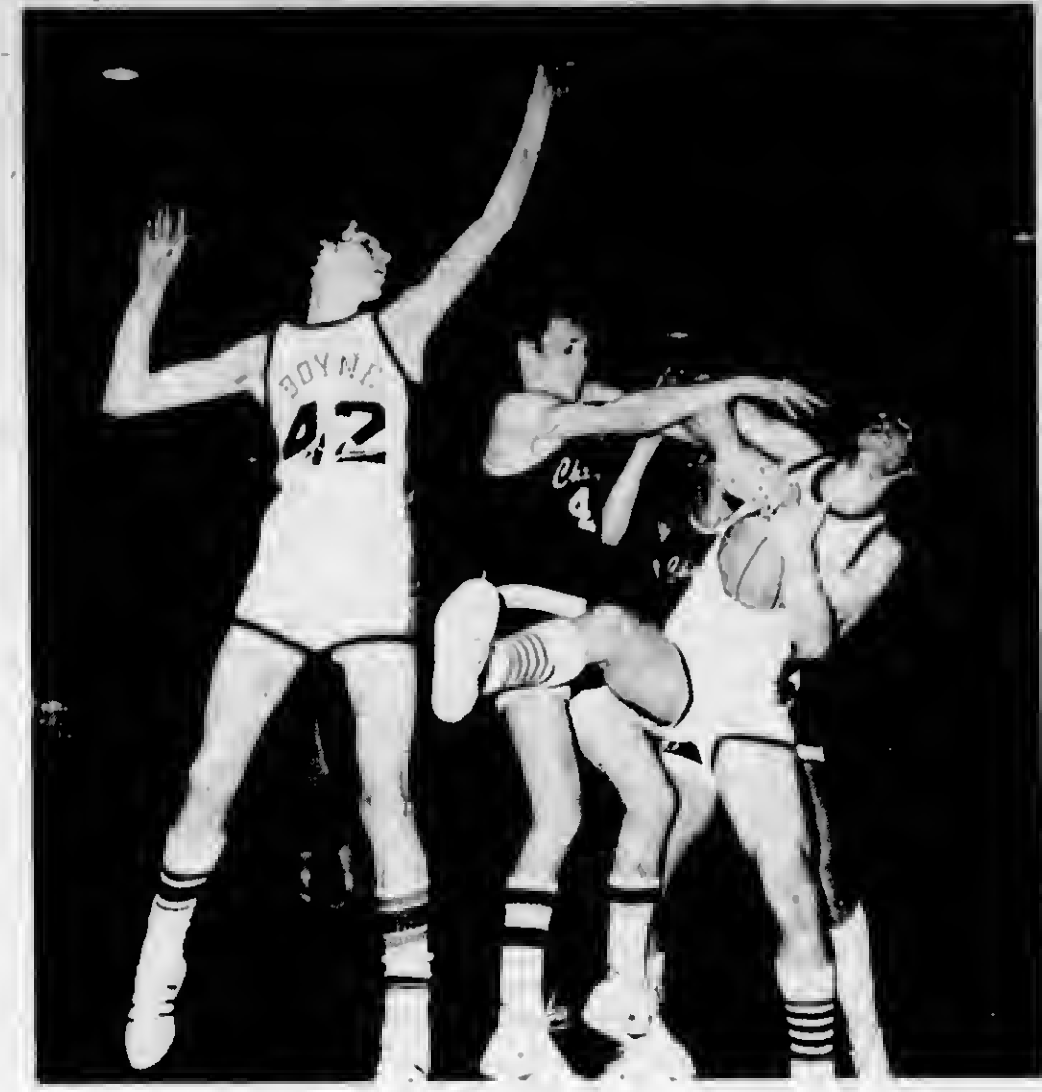
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BOYNE CITY'S Hal Lenz (42) was off the floor to stop this shot at the hoop by Charlevoix's Pat Schaefer (50). Charlevoix defeated the Boyne City team 58-52 in Friday night's action.



GETTING IN ON THE ACTION is Matt Doan (43) as he is sandwiched between Boyne City players and Hal Lenz (42) and a teammate.

Rayders Down Ramblers, Head for 1st Place



MATT DOAN (43) slips by this Rambler player on his way to a basket during the hotly contested Rayder-Rambler game. Rayders won 58-52.



HIGH OVER Rambler center Kendal Spohn (54) is Rayder Neil Dziedzic (31). It was a tough battle, but the Rayders came out on top with a 58-52 victory over the Ramblers.



IT WAS NEIL Dziedzic (31) high in the air over this Rambler defender Friday night as the Rayders moved closer to a piece of the Michigan Huron Shores Conference title with a 58-52 victory over Boyne City.



BUD KLOOSTER (45) and Matt Doan (43) were looking for the rebound, but it was grabbed away by this Boyne City player. The Rayders managed to defeat the Ramblers 58-52 in hoop action this weekend.



TAKING AIM DESPITE being surrounded by Ramblers is Matt Doan (43). Hal Lenz (42) attempts to block the shot as his teammates Kendal Spohn (54) and Dale Tims (34) watch.

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In Close 58-52 Battle

Rayders Rout Ramblers

By FRANK MARTIN
With two games remaining to be played, the Charlevoix Rayders assured themselves of part of the Michigan-Huron Shores basketball title Friday night with a 58-52 victory over Boyne City.

Charlevoix will travel to Petoskey on Friday and will host Gaylord in the final game of the season the following week.

The game between the arch rivals got off to a slow start with five minutes passing before either team found the

basket. Charlevoix went ahead 4-0 but the Ramblers came back to take an 11-6 first period lead.

Six baskets by the Rayders, including three by Klooster, two by Doan and one by Dave Tollas kept Charlevoix in the game as the third period ended 34-34. At this point

Three buckets each by Matt Doan and Bud Klooster and one each by Pat Schaefer and Neil Dziedzic brought the Rayders into the 22-22 half-time tie.

Charlevoix had not made a free throw, counting entirely on points from the floor. The Ramblers, on the other hand, had 13 buckets and eight free throws.

With the pressure on and the Rayders in control of the ball most of the time, the Ramblers sent Rayders to the free throw line to pick up 12 of their 24 points scored in the final period. The Ramblers had their best period from the floor scoring six field goals. Charlevoix had a total of 23 field goals and 12 of 22 free

throws. The Ramblers came through with 20 field goals and 12 of 21 free throws. The Rayders had 20 personal fouls and the Ramblers 21.

Charlevoix capitalized on 45 percent of their shots from the floor as the Ramblers connected on 40 percent.

Klooster again paced the game with 21 points followed by Matt Doan with 19, Schaefer with six and Doan, Tollas and Dziedzic with four each.

Boone's Greg Upton was held to 14 points. Ted Beyer had 11.

JVs Lose Squeaker To Boyne City Team

A last quarter surge by the Boyne City JV's cost the Charlevoix team a victory Friday night as the visitors won 60-59.

Charlevoix had taken a 12-7 first period victory and held on to a 25-22 halftime and 42-39

third period lead only to see it evaporate as time ran out.

The young Rayders had 23 field goals and 13 of 23 charity shots while collecting 20 personal fouls. Boyne City came through with 24 field goals and connected on 12 of 26 free throws. The team had 22 personal fouls.

Pat Schmidt and Doug Buday had 14 points each; Kevin Kratt 11, Barney Way eight and Gilbert Nolrot and Bob Plunin six each.

Tim Hartwick had 14 points, Dean Hicks 12 and Mike Anzell 11 for the visitors.

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Matmen Take 2nd in Class C Tourney

The Charlevoix Rayder wrestling team came in second behind Rogers City in the Class C District tournament at Grayling Saturday and qualified eight matmen for regional competition.

Rogers City won the meet with 73½ points and qualified 12 boys for the regional meet. Charlevoix had 57 points

followed by Grayling with 45 and six qualifiers; Onaway placed seventh with 21 points and three qualifiers and Boyne City, 12th, with 10 points and one qualifier.

Gary Probert (165) took his 26th straight first place by topping his weight class in the district meet Saturday. He

will be going for his 27th win Tuesday when Charlevoix hosts Rudyard Tuesday and an opportunity to tie the school record in dual competition.

Other Rayders who qualified for regional competition were Dave Golovch (120), Craig Golovch (138) and Gregg Chappuis (178), who placed second; Ron Hilton

(112) and Dennis Whitley (191) third and Mike Kiteley (132) and Ande Ketter (155), fourth.

Coach Norm Probert called attention to the fact that teams of the Michigan-Huron Shores league have dominated the district and regional meets in recent years. Rogers City won the title in 1974, '75 and '77; when four members of the Charlevoix won the title in 1976 and 1977. Don Trost and Chappuis will and '77. Michigan-Huron district meets qualified 27 8:30 p.m.

matmen as compared to 21 from the other 14 schools.

Coach Probert had praise for Rogers City whose wrestling program, like other sports programs in the school, has been financed by the students of the community.

Tuesday will be senior night the title in 1974, '75 and '77; when four members of the Charlevoix won the title in 1976 and 1977. Don Trost and Chappuis will and '77. Michigan-Huron district meets qualified 27 8:30 p.m.

Girls Lose to Ramblers In Tough Net Battle

The Charlevoix girls volleyball team now has a season record of 7 wins and 8 losses after losing two of three games to Boyne City on the latter's floor Wednesday night.

The Charlevoix squad will host Petoskey here at 6:30 p.m. Thursday.

Charlevoix got off to a good start and won the first of three games by a score of 15-4 before losing the next two by scores of 6-15 and 13-15.

The final game was a hard fought battle all the way according to Coach Pat Carland. The coach said Julie Wimmer

did an excellent job serving but the team couldn't seem to beat the Boyne City team at the net.

The Charlevoix JV's had better luck winning their matches by scores of 15-7 and 15-12. The JV's have a 7-5 record.

Tri-City Asphalt Toppled From Undefeated Ranks

By FRANK MARTIN
The Tri-City Asphalt cage squad was toppled from the ranks of the undefeated in a League action this week when they were defeated by Freedman's by a score of 57-52. In other action, Medusa defeated Bay Shore Steel 48-32.

In Division II, County State Bank closed out its season by losing to LaBiance Insurance, 53-44 and AlRay Cottages trimmed Hoskins 56-35.

Playing without their top scorers, Dave Norton, Tri-City Asphalt led Freedman Artcraft 14-10 before losing the lead by margins of 27-24 at halftime and 43-36 at the three-quarter mark to the victors. Paul Osterberg had 17 points and Terry Blissett 14 for

Freedman's. Mike Crain with 20 and Leroy Buchanan with 16 led the scoring for Tri-City. In a strong defensive battle, Medusa led Bay Shore Steel 10-5; 22-12 and 34-22 by quarters before posting a 48-32 win paced by Paul Parrish with 16 and Bob Holtzman with 12 points. Vince Left had 29 points for the Steels.

After trailing County State Bank 12-11 at the quarter and 29-22 at halftime, the Insurance-writers came roaring back to take a 40-34 lead at the three-quarter mark before posting the 53-44 win.

Jim Gels had 16, Joe Beaudoin 13 and Dave Novotny 10 for LaBiance's. Jerry Skipper scored 14 and Dennis Hickerson 12 for the Bankers. AlRay Cottages came through with its third win of

the season, a 56-35 victory over Hoskins. The Cottagers trailed 14-10 at the first period before tying the score 24-all at halftime and going ahead 38-28 going into the final period. Scott Blanchard with 20 points paced the game followed by Jay Masaryak with 14 and Dave Martinichuck with 10. Del Wood had 12 and Jim Potter 10 for Hoskins.

Division I Standings:
Tri-City Asphalt 12 1
Freedman Artcraft 9 3
Klooster John Deere 4 8
Medusa 3 9
Bay Shore Steel 1 11

Division II
County State Bank 9 4
LaBiance Insurance 9 3
Wojan Aluminum 6 6
Hoskins 5 7
AlRay Cottages 3 9

Kadens, Townhouse Continue To Lead in A League Action

Kadens' Emporium and Townhouse continue to lead the A League of the Charlevoix Independent Basketball League as the teams go into their last week of scheduled play.

Kadens defeated Way Oil 67-54 and Townhouse won over Credit Union 54-46 to retain the top spot in the league. In a third game, Swanson's defeated Willett Roofing 73-70.

It was Kadens' all the way as they led Way Oil 16-7; 28-20 and 43-33 by quarters. Top scorer for the victors was Jim Bauman with 20 followed by Al Looze with 16 and Mark Guitier

with 11. Roger Crain had 21 for the Oilers.

After trailing for two periods, Credit Union overtook Townhouse and went ahead 40-39 at the three-quarter mark. The Table Toppers, however, came back to outscore the challengers 19-6 in the final period for the win. Townhouse had led 10-8 at the first quarter and 29-26 at halftime.

Chuck Wright had 12 points and Bernie Ward and Ike Boss 10 each for Townhouse. Matt Blair had 14, Dean Ginter 12 and Steve Weir 10 for Credit Union.

Though Willett Roofing trailed Swanson's 14-9; 34-32 and 52-49 by quarters they came on strong in the final period to trim the Swanson win to three points, 73-70.

Bruce McGinnis had 35 and Jerry Pease 12 points for the victors. Jim Danbert had 24, Max Bolser 20 and Jack Danbert 13 for the roofers.

Standings
Kadens' Emporium 11 3
Townhouse 11 3
Way Oil 8 6
Swanson 6 8
Credit Union 3 11
Willett Roofing 3 11

Ski Team Takes Clean Sweep Over Gaylord, Lincoln Alcona

The Charlevoix Rayder ski teams made a clean sweep of all places in both the boys and girls events in a meet held Wednesday at Sylvan Knob, Gaylord.

The boys team won with 20 points to 79 for Gaylord and 101 for Lincoln Alcona. The girls defeated Gaylord with 21 points to 59 for Gaylord. Lincoln Alcona did not have a girls' team.

near Mancelona to participate in the Regional meet. In this event schools are not divided into class. Approximately 17 teams, including the defending champions, Traverse City, will be entered in the event.

In reporting the results of last week's meet, Coach Mike Bonelle said the team won not only the top three places but the boys took all places through the sixth. The girls captured four, six and seven in

the slalom and five, six and eight in the giant slalom.

Erik Lundteigen placed first, Lee Begrow second and Marc Malpell third in the slalom and giant slalom; Ginny Eby took third in the slalom and Jodi Alger third in the giant slalom.

CHARLEVOIX RECREATION DEPARTMENT Basketball Schedule B League Wed., Feb. 16	
6:30 p.m. Hoskins vs. Wojan Aluminum	
7:30 p.m. AlRay Cottages vs. Wojan Aluminum	
A League Mon., Feb. 21	
6:30 p.m. Medusa vs. Klooster John Deere	
7:30 p.m. Bay Shore Steel vs. Freedman Artcraft	
8:30 p.m. Division I winner vs. Division II winner (in first of a three game playoff for the title)	
C League Thurs., Feb. 17	
6:30 p.m. Way Oil vs. Swanson's	
7:30 p.m. Kadens' vs. Credit Union	
8:30 p.m. Willett Roofing vs. Townhouse	

Volleyball League Men's League Tues., Feb. 15	
7:00 p.m. Bartlett Decorator Center vs. The Team	
8:00 p.m. Car Care Crushers vs. Spikers	
9:00 p.m. Irish Boat Shop vs. Out In Town	
Women's League Wed., Feb. 16	
7:00 p.m. Setups vs. Trucks	
8:00 p.m. TT Fogal vs. Factory Team	
Thurs., Feb. 17	
7:00 p.m. LaFaceakis vs. Northwest Slugs	

CHARLEVOIX RECREATION DEPARTMENT Volleyball Results Women's League	
Volley Bees 2 Sunshine Kids 1	
Townhouse 2 Carols 1	
Medusa 3 Ohs Susanahns 0	
Men's League	
Bartlett Decorator Center 2 Irish Boat Shop 1	
Car Care Crushers 3 Out In Town 0	
Spikers 2 The Team 1	
Mixed League	
Setups 2 Trucks 1	
TT Fogal 3 Factory Town 0	
LaFaceakis 3 Northwest Slugs 0	
Lucky 8 2 Our Gang 1	
LaFaceakis 2 Lucky 8 1	
Streakers 3 Dodgers 0	
Final Standings Women's League	
Carols	30 6
Townhouse	27 9
Volley Boppers	21 15
Volley Bees	13 23
Medusa	9 27
Sunshine Kids	9 27
Ohs Susanahns	8 28

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Pat Schmidt and Doug Buday had 14 points each; Kevin Kratt 11, Barney Way eight and Gilbert Nolrot and Bob Plunin six each.

Tim Hartwick had 14 points, Dean Hicks 12 and Mike Anzell 11 for the visitors.

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Local Golfer Decides To Turn Professional

A former Charlevoix resident and well known Michigan amateur golfer has turned professional.

Keith Mohan will take a position as assistant professional at Oak Hill Country Club in Rochester, N.Y., beginning March 1. He will be working under Craig Harmon, head pro at the country club.

Pro Claud Harmon. As an amateur, Mohan collected many honors in state and national tournaments including the 1974 runner-up title in the Michigan Amateur Championship which is held annually in Charlevoix.

Most recently the young golfer was a 1976 medalist for the Michigan Section Qualifying tournament for the U.S. Golf Association (USGA) Public Links Championship. He was also a member of the First Place Harding Trophy

Team in the 1976 USGA Public Links Championship. He was named Player of the Year by the Michigan Public Links association in 1974 and in 1972 he won the Michigan Pro-Am Championship.

Mohan is expected to play in several New York state pro tournaments in the coming season. He is married to the former Cathi Baldwin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Baldwin of Charlevoix.

Courier Sports

Freshmen Lose Two Games

Last week was not a good one for the Charlevoix Freshman basketball team as they lost to Boyne City by a score of 60-53 on Thursday and 59-29 to the Harbor Springs Rams on Tuesday.

In the game with Boyne City, Charlevoix led 10-9 at the quarter and 29-26 at halftime before the young Ramblers

took command at the three-quarter mark by a 44-41 margin. Jeff Peters with 15 points and Gerard Doan and Bob Russell with 12 each were top scorers for Charlevoix.

In the game with Harbor Springs, the Rams led 19-10, 28-16 and 38-22 by quarters before posting the 30-point win.

Matmen Defeat Soo

The Charlevoix Rayder matmen piled up a decisive 53-6 win over the Soo Thursday night winning 11 of the 13 events, five by plus, five by decisions and one by forfeit.

The Charlevoix team will host Hudyard on Tuesday when seniors on the team are honored.

The result of Thursday's meet follow: 38 pound class: Dave Golovich pinned Ed Brown in 5:25.

105: Lee DeMitchell pinned Perry Cushman in 1:41. 112: Ron Hilton pinned Todd DeWeese in 1:45.

119: Jeff Skelton lost to Randy Milligan by an 8-14 decision. 126: Don Trost won over Richard Wood by a 12-4 decision.

132: Mike Kiteley won over Larry Lajole by a 10-4 decision.

138: Norbert Scharenbroch won over Rob Milligan by an 11-4 decision.

145: Craig Golovich pinned Mike Cushman in 4:53. 155: Ande Keller pinned Kevin Lawson in 2:55. 165: Gary Probert won by a

Varsity Downs Kalkaska

In a return game with Kalkaska Tuesday, the Charlevoix Rayders got off to a slow start but after one slow period came back to defeat the visitors 66-54.

The Kalkaska Blazers took a 14-13 lead in their game with the Rayders who poured in 20 points in the second period for a 33-22 halftime lead. As the second half got underway, Charlevoix outscored the visitors 18-8 to go ahead 51-30 at the three-quarter mark.

As Coach Dave Moyer emptied the bench, Kalkaska cut the Rayders lead to 66-54 at the final gun.

The Rayders, led by Pat Schafer with 19 points, scored 28 buckets and 10 of 13 free throws. They had 20 personal fouls.

Kalkaska had 16 from the floor and 22 of 28 from the line. They had 12 personal fouls. Tim Dalton had 12 points as top scorer for the Blazers.

Joining Schafer in the scoring column were Bud Klooster with 14 points; Matt Doan with nine; Scott Boss with seven; Dave Tollas, Brian Williams and Kip Cushman with four each; Neil Dziade with three and Jim Elzinga with two.

JV Wins In Tuesday Action

The Charlevoix JV's racked up an easy victory over the visiting Kalkaska Blazers Tuesday by a score of 65-37. With 10 players seeing action, the young Rayders led the visitors 13-6; 29-13 and 40-21 by quarters before posting the victory.

Barney Way with 13 points paced the victory for the Rayders. He was followed by Gilbert Noirt with 11; Pat Schmidt and Kevin Kraft with six points each; Todd Williams and Bob Plumm with four points each and Rick Russell with one. The Rayders had 13 from the floor and 16 of 29 from the line while collecting 16 personal fouls.

Mike Cunningham had 11 for Kalkaska, which had 13 field goals, eight of 14 free throws and 24 personal fouls.

Hoop Teams At Middle School Active Last Week

The Seventh and Eighth grade teams of the Charlevoix Middle School split their games with their counterparts from Cheboygan last week.

The Seventh grade squad won its game by a score of 37-28 after breaking a 16-16 halftime tie. Toss Carey and Joe Heaudon had nine points each. Martin LaHale and Curt Crisp had six points each for the Cheboygan Chiefs.

The Charlevoix Eighth grade team dropped its game by a score of 53-50 in an overtime after the regulation game had ended 48-48. Charlevoix had had a 27-20 at halftime before the visitors outscored the home team 28-21 to knot the score. In the overtime Cheboygan outscored Charlevoix 5-3 for the win.

Rich Lent had 12 points and Paul Hoffman 10 for Charlevoix. Tom Precord and Stan McNitt shared scoring honors for Cheboygan with 15 points each.

Boy Scouts Have Busy Schedule Ahead

By FRANK MARTIN

Charlevoix's Cub and Webelos Scouts have a busy schedule ahead of them as they prepare for their winter activities.

The first big event on the calendar will be the annual Blue and Gold dinner to be held at the K-5 gymnasium at 6 p.m. Monday when the Scouts, their Den Mothers, leaders and committee members and their families meet with members of the sponsoring organization, the Kiwanis Club, for the annual banquet which highlights winter activities. The banquet will also serve as a February Pack meeting.

The March Pack meeting will be held at the same site on March 17. Meanwhile, all 11 Cub Scout

Dens and two Webelos dens are preparing for the annual Pinewood Derby. The local run-offs will be held at the high school gymnasium from 2-4 p.m. Saturday, March 26. Boys are presently building their racers and practicing for the races. Kits are available from Den Mothers. The four top Cub Scouts and four top Webelos will advance to the Northern District Derby to be held at Petoskey April 2.

Later in the spring, on Saturday, April 30, these same young Scouts will go to Pellston to participate in the Northern District Olympics for Cub Scouts and Webelos.

At the most recent Pack meeting at which John Gagnon presented his report as Cub Master Terry

Salmonson the following awards were presented: Den 1: Mike Kamowski received the bobcat award; Den 5: Pat Curtis, gold and silver arrows and Wolf award; Tony Towlesley, Wolf award.

Den 8: Ken George, two silver arrows; Neil Britton, Wolf, gold and silver arrows; Jeff Smith, Bear and two silver arrows; Jimmy Smith and Wally Sylvester each received two silver arrows.

Den 7: David Miller, Wolf and a gold arrow; Den 8: Shawn Slattery, Wolf and gold and silver arrows. Den 9: John Loder, Bob Norman, Steve Gauthier, David Gibson, Ken Carson, Larry Drost and Kevin Persall each received Wolf awards; Den 10: David



Gagnon, a silver arrow. Webelos Den 1: Allard and Mark Hodgson, athlete awards; Neil LaCroix, naturalist, outdoorsman and artist; Craig Glass, naturalist, athlete, sportsman and forester; Jeff Novotny, artist and sportsman awards. Webelos Den 2: Norman Carlson, Citizen's award; Robert Malison and Norman Carlson, artist and outdoorsman; Rick Gallant and Dwayne Bean, citizen, artist, outdoorsman and forester awards. Gallant also received the engineer, geologist, naturalist and scholar awards and Bean the geologist, naturalist and scholar awards.

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Mrs. Rosendahl To Serve on Committee

Diane Rosendahl wife of the late Jack Rosendahl has agreed to sit on the Big Brothers Sisters committee to administer the Jack Rosendahl Memorial Fund.

The fund was established in memory of the late Mr. Rosendahl who was a Big Brother, Director secretary and treasurer of the Charlevoix County Big Brothers Sisters, Inc. and was invaluable in establishing the local organization.

The fund is used to further the education of Little Brothers/Sisters who are in need of some financial assistance and is maintained by an annual grant of \$200 from Big Brothers/Sisters and contributions.

They also presented the Scout rank to Tim May and

COUNCIL MINUTES

FEBRUARY 7, 1977 8:00 p.m. The Common Council of the City of Charlevoix met on the above date and time with Mayor Hansen presiding. Aldermen present: Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, and Wallace. Absent: Alderman Erber.

Mayor Hansen corrected the Council Minutes of January 24, 1977, changing the motion to appoint Robert Timms, Dan W. Genei, and Robert A. Barnum as "members" of the Board of Review, rather than "candidates" as it now reads. The minutes were approved as corrected.

Enter Alderman Erber. Several residents of the Southside Apartments appeared before the Council to ask Council's assistance in their effort to block an increase in their rent. Mayor Hansen informed the General Public present that ownership of Southside Apartments had changed hands and the City may not have the right to interfere legally in this matter. He suggested the residents try to get the status of the Southside Apartments changed by F.H.A. from low income housing, as it is currently, subsidized housing, which would put a ceiling on rent charges equal to 25 percent of a resident's income. The Mayor will try to determine if a large enough percentage of the present residents have incomes that would justify the change of status by F.H.A.

Hill Vogel appeared before the Council, representing the Charlevoix Lion's Club and the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, to request use of the City sidewalks, streets, and park property for a cross country ski race on February 26, 1977. The event, part of the Winter Cup Festival to be held February 25-27, 1977. Mr. Vogel also said events would be held at Mt. McSaba Ski Hill and the Middle School hockey rink.

A motion was offered by Alderman Wallace and supported by Alderman Morris to allow the Charlevoix Lion's Club and the Chamber of Commerce use of the City sidewalks, streets, and park property for a cross country ski race on February 26, and Mt. McSaba Ski Hill, and the Middle School hockey rink for Winter Cup Festival events February 25-27, 1977. Motion was adopted by the following yeas and nays: Yeas: Aldermen Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, Erber, and Wallace. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Wayne Boss appeared before Council to request that they consider the purchase of a small tractor, with a broom mounted on a hydraulic front lift for sweeping the ice skating rink and the hockey rink. The matter was referred to the Utility Committee for their consideration and recommendation.

A written request submitted by Bruce McPhillips, raising his fee for plowing snow at the Airport from \$2.00 per hour to \$3.00 per hour was referred to the Airport Committee for their study and recommendation.

Resolution No. 77-24 to waive the residence requirement for Alderman Black, full-time secretary for the Office of City Administrator, was referred to the Ordinance Committee to determine if the present residency requirement is adequate and/or desirable.

The following Resolution was offered and moved for its adoption by Alderman Wood, and supported by Alderman Whitley.

RESOLUTION. RESOLVED, that the City of Charlevoix absolutely abandon that portion of former State Street from North of Stover Road to M-46 and U.S. 31, being 350 feet of the City of Charlevoix Street System.

SUBJECT: HOWEVER, to a reservation of an easement over and/or across and under property as may be necessary for the purpose of constructing and/or maintaining sewer mains, water mains, gas mains, and/or electric light or telephone conduits.

Resolution was adopted by the following yeas and nays: Yeas: Aldermen Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, Erber, and Wallace. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Council adjourned.

July D. Przybylski, City Clerk

Boy Scouts Celebrate At Blue, Gold Banquet

By FRANK MARTIN

Charlevoix Boy Scout Troop 11, their families and all adults associated with the troop gathered at the Charlevoix High School Cafeteria recently for the annual Blue and Gold banquet celebrating the 67th anniversary of Scouting.

The presentation of the rank of Star Scout to three members of the troop, Steve Schuch, Mitch Martin and Kevin Whitley highlighted the banquet attended by the Scouts, their families, Scoutmaster Louis Edwards, Assistant Scoutmaster, John Houting, members of the Scout committee and the sponsoring organization, the Charlevoix Kiwanis Club.

Making the presentations were Frank Schuch, to Kevin Whitley, Gary Lange, Northern District executive, to Mitch Martin and Valois Avery to Steve Schuch. Schuch and Avery are members of the Scout committee. The Star rank in scouting is the third highest of ranks available to Boy Scouts.

Lange presented the Scout Charter to the Kiwanis Club. Scoutmaster Edwards and his assistant, Houting, presented Badges of Office to Scoutmaster Louis Edwards, the leader; Schuch, Junior Assistant Scoutmaster; Donald Avery, librarian; Kevin Whitley, William Ranger, Jim Landon and Steve Young, Patrol Leaders and Shane Wade, David Buday, Joe Smith and James Duke, Assistant patrol leaders. They also presented the Scout rank to Tim May and

Dan Buday, David Novotny, committee member, presented Tenderfoot rank to David Buday, Paul Stangis, Steve Young, Joe Smith, Patrick Avery, William Ranger, James Duke and Mike Paul. Skill awards were presented by Jeff Mays of Gaylord, former troop member, and Greg Wojan, Roy Fortin, institutional representative, and Houting presented merit badges.

Edwards presented perfect attendance badge to Martin, David Buday, Paul Stangis, Scoutmaster Louis Edwards, Assistant Scoutmaster, John Houting, members of the Scout committee and the sponsoring organization, the Charlevoix Kiwanis Club.

The Kiwanis Club presented the following awards: The Dwi patrol is composed of Kevin Whitley, P.L., David Buday, Stangis, Dan Buday and Gerald Zettler; Eagle patrol: Steve Young, P.L., Smith and Patrick Avery; Jun Landon, Patrick Avery, and William Ranger, one P.L., Duke, May and Paul, Flaming Arrow Landon, one year; Kevin Whitley, four years and Greg Wojan, four

Schuch presented one year pins to all troop members. The troop color guard advanced the colors and led the pledge of allegiance.

Mitch Martin served as master of ceremonies.

The troop has four patrols.

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Wallace Nays: None. Absent: None.

The following Resolution was offered and moved for its adoption by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Whitley.

RESOLUTION 77-22

RESOLVED that the Common Council of the City of Charlevoix hereby authorizes the Mayor and City Clerk to sign a purchase agreement, on behalf of the City, with the Trison Company, wherein for the sum of \$15,000.00 (fifteen thousand) dollars cash, the Trison Company agrees to purchase that certain parcel of land situated in the City of Charlevoix in Charlevoix County, known and described as follows:

Beginning at a point where the North line of Section 24, Town 34 north, Range 8 West intersects with the North and South 1/4 line of said Section; thence South along said North and South 1/4 line 336 feet to the point of beginning; thence continuing South along said North and South 1/4 line a distance of 277.2 feet; thence West 758.42 feet; thence North 277.2 feet; thence East 758.42 feet to a point of beginning, being a part of the Northeast 1/4 of the northwest 1/4, Section 24, Town 34 North, Range 8 West.

This agreement shall also stipulate that the Grantee shall erect a manufacturing building of not less than 7000 sq. ft. on or before February 1, 1978, and further that the City reserves an easement along the southerly 33 feet of the parcel for road and utility purposes.

Resolution was adopted by the following yeas and nays: Yeas: Aldermen Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, Erber, and Wallace. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Council discussed appointment of members to an Ad Hoc Committee for establishing charges for sewage treatment for Townships that may be serviced by City facilities. Mayor Hansen stated his belief that any charges should be determined by the Council. Any action on this matter was postponed until after the Public Hearing on sewage treatment facilities scheduled for February 21, 1977.

A motion was offered by Alderman Morris and supported by Alderman Wood authorizing Mayor Hansen and the City Clerk to enter into a contract with R.B. Lyons, Inc. for crib restoration at the Ferry Avenue swimming beach at a cost of \$16,307.00. Work to be completed by 7:17. Motion was adopted by the following yeas and nays: Yeas: Aldermen Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, Erber, and Wallace. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Bills in the amount of \$204,239.74 were presented to Council for payment. The Deputy City Clerk advised Council that approximately \$79,000.00 in additional cash was needed to cover these bills and that the City Treasurer advised cashing Certificate of Deposit No. 3935 for \$95,000.00, due February 9, 1977, and depositing it in the General Fund.

A motion was offered by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Wallace to cash Certificate of Deposit No. 3935 for \$95,000.00 and deposit it in the General Fund. Motion was adopted by the following yeas and nays: Yeas: Aldermen Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, Erber, and Wallace. Nays: None. Absent: None.

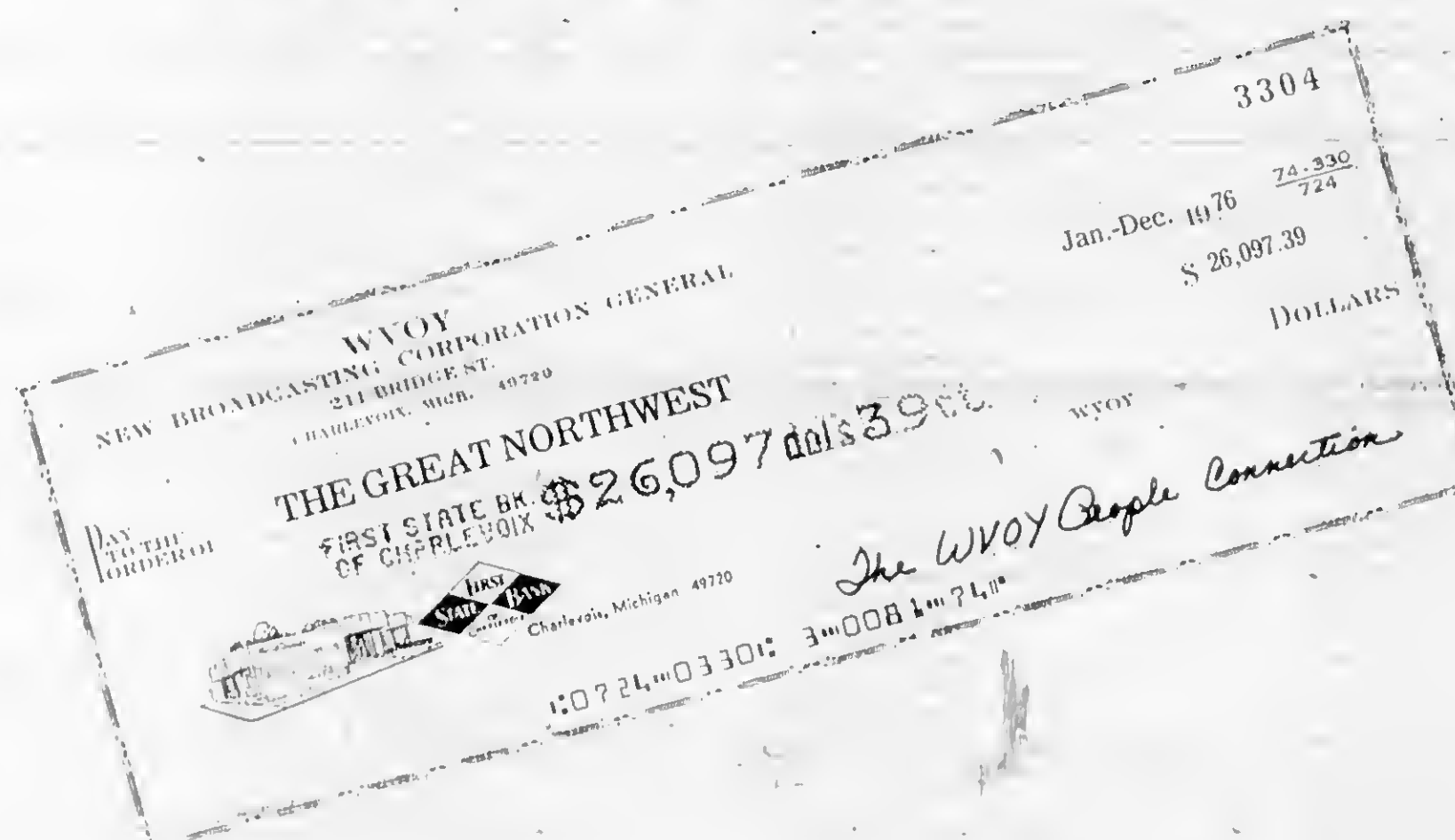
The Council withheld payment of two bills of \$1,250.00 each to Arthur A. Hanger and Wayne Boss for their work on the area sewer facilities study. Payment was withheld at the suggestion of the City Attorney pending approval completion of the study and payment by the Townships involved of their share of the cost of the study.

The Finance Committee having examined bills totaling \$24,739.74 find them correct and recommend the bills be allowed. Moved by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Wood that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for their amounts. The motion was adopted by the following yeas and nays: Yeas: Aldermen Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, Erber, and Wallace. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Council adjourned.

July D. Przybylski, City Clerk

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1977 Charlevoix WINTER CUP Festival

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Friday — Feb. 25, 1977

Ice Sculpture Contest (Charlevoix High School Students) East Park Judging 4:00 to 5:00 P.M.
Charlevoix High School Basketball Game—Gaylord (Here)
Charlevoix High School Gymnasium 6:30 P.M.

Saturday — Feb. 26, 1977

Cross Country Ski Cup Races East Park Parking Lot Register 9:00-10:00 A.M.
Races Begin 10:00 A.M.
District II Band and Orchestra Festival Charlevoix High School Gymnasium All Day
Ski Cup Races Mt. McSaba Ski Hill Register 12:00 to 1:00 P.M.
Races Begin 1:00 P.M.

Mardi-Gras Ski Competition (Boys and Girls under 18) Mt. McSaba Ski Hill Following Ski Cup Races
Mardi-Gras Jazz Festival Charlevoix High School Gymnasium 8:00 P.M.
Mardi-Gras Night in Charlevoix (visit participating Restaurants and Nightclubs)

Sunday — Feb. 27, 1977

Cross Country Olympic Ski Clinic Charlevoix Municipal Golf Course 1:00 P.M.
Hockey Tournament Middle School Ice Rink 3:00 P.M.
Charlevoix Lions Club Drawing of Prizes Middle School Ice Rink 4:00 P.M.

Charlevoix Winter Cup Festival Sponsored by Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce and Charlevoix Lions Club

Participants of Events can pre-register at Charlevoix Chamber Office

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Join The Fun At The Winter Cup Festival Feb. 25-26-27

For Dinner-Theater Presentations

City Denies Grey Gables Permit

By PAULA HOLMES
Charlevoix Common Council may end up in court over its decision Monday night to deny an entertainment permit for the Grey Gables Inn.

"We'll just have to take this to court," Dave Phillips, owner of the establishment, calmly told friends and supporters as he left the common council chambers following the 4-2 vote upholding the denial of the permit.

Phillips had been seeking council approval of an entertainment permit would allow him to continue holding the dinner-theater presentations he started last summer. The performances were held in the banquet room addition to the Grey Gables.

Alderman Susan Erber reported to the council that following committee investigation of the situation, she was recommending denial of the entertainment permit because of the parking problem on Belvedere Avenue.

Mrs. Erber said she had received seven letters from Grey Gables neighbors, and other aldermen, particularly Joe Morris and George Plumm who represent the ward, said they had received numerous phone calls complaining about the parking problem.

However, the council chambers Monday night held about 20 people who had come to support Phillips in his bid for the permit.

Michael Gibbons, Phillips' attorney, pointed out to the council that the State Liquor Control Commission had approved the permit following its own investigation. Gibbons also pointed out that the state committee had not taken into consideration in its study of the permit application.

"Council has a chance to act innovatively with this permit," Gibbons urged. "Denial of the permit doesn't serve the citizens that have complained about the parking and it deprives others of the dinner-theater, a thing of a cultural nature that has not been

available in our city."

Another city resident added: "Dave Phillips has done more for this town than anyone else and if this council does not pass this they should all be taken off it."

But common council was unmoved and upon motion by Mrs. Erber, which was supported by Morris, denied the permit. Aldermen Erber, Morris, Plumm and Ivan Whitley supported the denial while Aldermen Jeannine Wallace and Ray Wood opposed it.

Mayor Edward Hansen pointed out that the council had been assured two previous times that adequate parking would be provided for Grey Gables customers.

"But it has never materialized," Hansen said. "For council to approve this for a third time, is not prudent."

Council members did say they would be open to suggestions from Phillips over parking improvements.

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School Board Hires Presnell, Evans as Track Coaches

By FRANK MARTIN
The Charlevoix Board of Education hired a track coach and an assistant track coach, selected a realtor to sell the Building Trades house, and approved a Code of Ethical Relationships Monday night.

Plas Presnell, who has been a member of the Charlevoix High School faculty for three years, was named track coach and Hal Evans, who has been with the school system four years was appointed assistant track coach. Both have served as assistant football coaches.

The Thomas Real Estate Co. was selected as the realty agency to handle the sale of the building trades project house located in Hampton Village. A second bid was received from Charlevoix Properties but since this firm had handled the sale for two years it was decided to go with the Thomas agency. There is an arrangement, however, whereby either realtor may sell the property and share in the commission.

The board approved the Code of Ethical Relationships for Board of Education members and educational administrators as per recommendation of the Michigan Association of School Boards. The policy had been presented at an earlier meeting.

A proposed policy for procedures for boards of education business were introduced for study and will be acted on at a later date.

Supt. James A. McKinney reported on a request made earlier regarding the possibility of having a member of the board become a candidate for the Char-Etu Intermediate School District Board of Education. There had been a question regarding conflict of interest but under a recent court ruling, upsetting a 1965 opinion, it would be possible to serve on both boards.

After hearing the opinion, Max Novak, president of the board said "This end of the county is long overdue for representation on the board. I think we should support such a candidate."

In reporting on the high S.E.V. school districts consortium which Charlevoix joined earlier in an effort to halt the loss of state aid revenue, Supt. McKinney reported that the appeal to have the issue heard by the Supreme Court had been denied.

In reporting on the recent meeting with the Charlevoix County Road Commission regarding snow plowing on weekends so school buses could run on Monday, Supt. McKinney said that the experience was "frustrating." However, the road commission decided later to use funds made available by the Board of Commissioners from anti-recessional fiscal funds to keep roads open so the problem was solved for this year.

March 7 was set as the date for the next meeting.

Winter will reign supreme over Charlevoix this weekend as the community celebrates the Winter Cup Festival.

Sponsored by the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce and the Charlevoix Lions Club, the event will feature a variety of winter sports for which trophies, medals and patches will be awarded.

Many Pavech, former Red Wing hockey player, will be in town to present the trophies and other awards.

The ice sculpture by Charlevoix High School students will be staged in East Park. The judging Friday afternoon will officially launch the festival. Prizes in the amount of \$100, \$50 and \$25 are being offered for the best sculpture done by classes, clubs or individuals affiliated with the school.

Saturday's events are designed for winter sports enthusiasts who wish to participate. These events will include the Cross Country Ski Cup races at 10 a.m.; the open ski cup races at Mt. McSaba for 15-19 year old boys and girls at 1 p.m. followed by the Mardi Gras ski competition for boys and girls under 18 years of age. This event is sponsored by the Grey Gables Inn.

The cross country races at 10 a.m. will begin at the municipal dock where entries may register beginning at 9 a.m. The races will feature three races, the one kilometer for the kids plus 10 and 25 kilometers for all entries. The races will start from the dock and travel a route out Park ave. to Lake Michigan, along the lake to Melissa and return via Grant st. to Park ave. and to Bridge st. and north across the bridge and out Michigan ave.

Registration for the downhill races at Mt. McSaba at 1 p.m. will begin

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BILL CUNNINGHAM describes where the expanded sewer treatment system will go in the city of Charlevoix, during a public hearing on the topic Monday night in the common council chambers.

Few Objections Raised Against Proposed Sewer

By PAULA HOLMES
Few objections were raised during the unveiling of a proposed expanded sewer treatment system for Charlevoix Monday night.

At a public hearing on the proposed expansion, Wayne Bross and Bill Cunningham, engineers connected with Shadko and Associates, engineers for the project, suggested the city complete separation of the combined storm and sanitary sewer system, increase the capacity of the May Street interceptor, service the Terrace Avenue area, the Robinson Street area, the Stover Road area from May Street to Ferry Avenue and extend service along the east side of U.S. 31.

The engineers explained that the separation of the combined storm and sanitary sewer systems was necessary to provide increased sanitary sewer capacity so that outlying townships could connect into the Charlevoix system.

The city has been designated as part of a sewer facilities area which includes: Charlevoix, Haynes, Marion, Norwood and Eveline townships, by the Department of Natural Resources (DNR). The governmental units have been given a special grant to study the most effective means of handling waste materials in the area.

According to the engineers, the most effective means of taking care of sewage is to have the outlying townships connect with the city sewer treatment facility.

The engineers also pointed out that separation of the storm and sanitary sewer system would prevent the raw sewage overflows that now occur in the Pine River channel during the rainy season.

The men said the sewer system had been expanded into certain areas of town because it was needed.

"Who needs it," one couple asked. "We own most of Westwood Avenue and we didn't ask for it."

However no one else voiced any objections to having the sewer system expanded into their area.

The completion of the separation of the storm and sanitary sewers is expected to cost \$671,000, the engineers said, with the local share amounting to \$134,000. The city would pay 50 percent of the cost and the townships would foot the rest of the bill.

The total cost of the proposed extension of the sanitary sewer to Terrace Street, Ferry Avenue and Eaton Street would cost \$25,500 with the local share amounting to \$10,500. The cost

of expanding along Bridge Street from Carpenter Street to the south city limits would cost \$131,438 with a local share of \$26,288.

Sewer expansion along Robinson Street and Westwood Avenue would amount to \$46,575 with a local share of \$9,315 and along Belvedere Avenue from May Street to Bridge Street would cost \$50,019 with a local share of \$10,004, which would be born by the townships.

Sewer costs would be born by the residents through a fee schedule set by the city. The engineers recommended setting up an ad hoc committee to figure out the costs the township residents would have to pay.

Raiders Face East Jordan

The District Class C Basketball tournament will open at Boyne City Monday with the Charlevoix Raiders clashing with the East Jordan Red Devils at 7:30 p.m.

The tournament will continue through the week with six teams entered. The finals will be played at 7:30 p.m. Saturday.

Boyne City and Rogers City will meet in the second game of the playoffs at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

WEATHER

The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant:

Date	High	Low	Snowfall
Feb. 15	19	2	1 inches
Feb. 16	17	-1	0
Feb. 17	31	-4	0
Feb. 18	26	18	trace
Feb. 19	28	8	.1
Feb. 20	29	7	0
Feb. 21	28	-8	0

There have been 114.4 inches of snow so far this year, with 15.3 inches falling during February.



WINTER will reign supreme over Charlevoix this weekend during the Winter Cup Festival just as these icycles reign over their own domain on the roof.

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Community Calendar

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Wednesday, Feb. 23
Ash Wednesday.
Michigan-Huron Shores Conference Ski meet at Gaylord.
Round Lake Lodge No. 293 I.O.O.F. will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at hangar 7 on 8 p.m.

Thursday, Feb. 24
Freshman basketball: Charlevoix at Gaylord 8:30 p.m.
Mason-Odd Fellow cribbage tournament at American Legion post home 8 p.m.
Cub Scout Committee meeting, community room, First State Bank, 7 p.m.
Area Mental Health Clinic Executive Board will meet at 604 Lake St. Petoskey 7 p.m.
FRI, SAT, and SUN.
Feb. 25-26-27
Charlevoix Winter Cup Festival Snow Sculpture in East Park. Cross country races 10 a.m., open ski races 1 p.m. and Mardi Gras ski races at Mt. McSaubie following Saturday. Cross Country Olympic clinic at municipal golf course 1 p.m. Sunday. Hockey tournament at Middle School rink 3 p.m. sponsored by Chamber of Commerce and Lions Club.

Friday, Feb. 25
Basketball: Gaylord here 8:30 and 6 p.m. in final game of the season.
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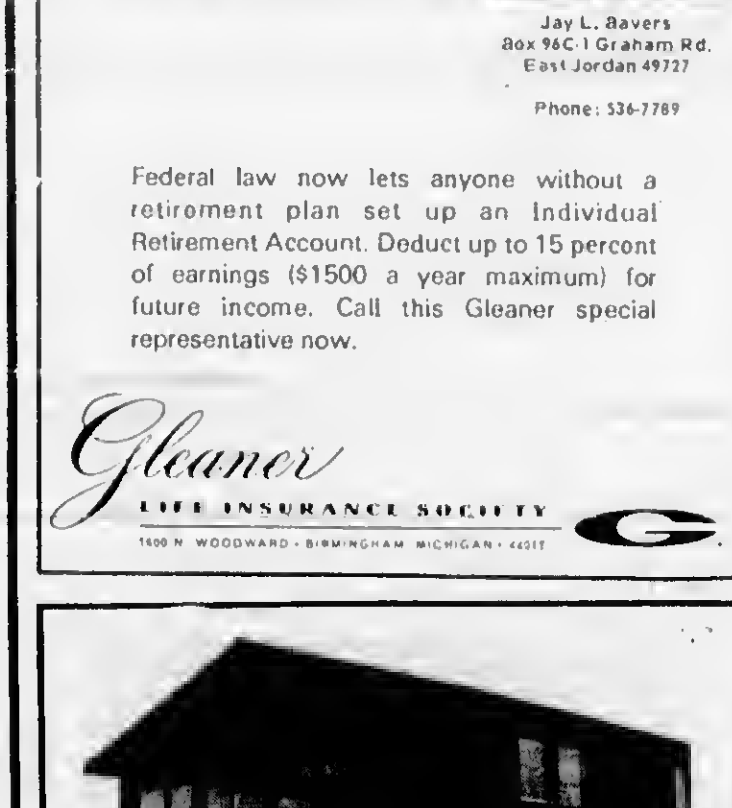
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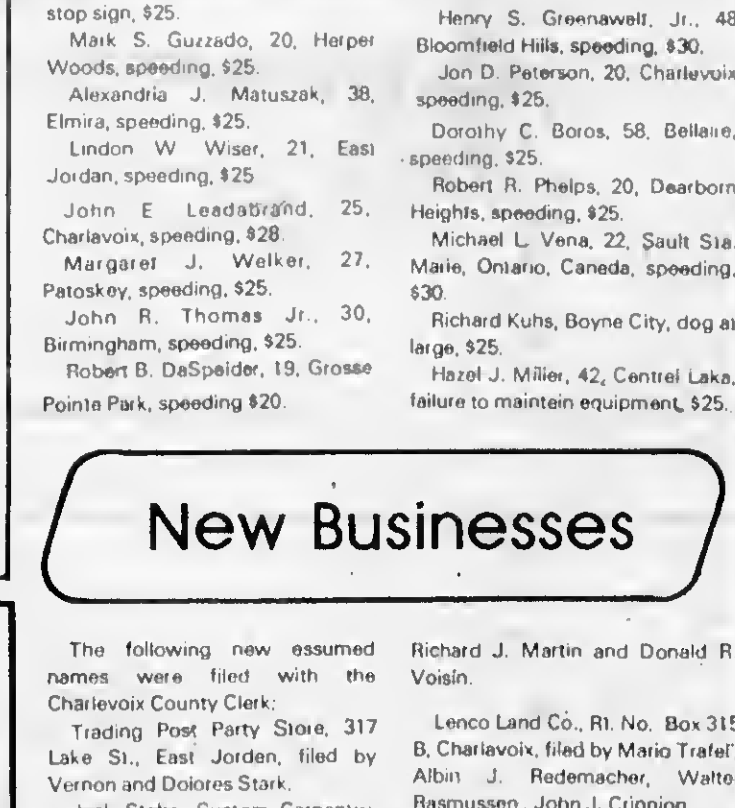
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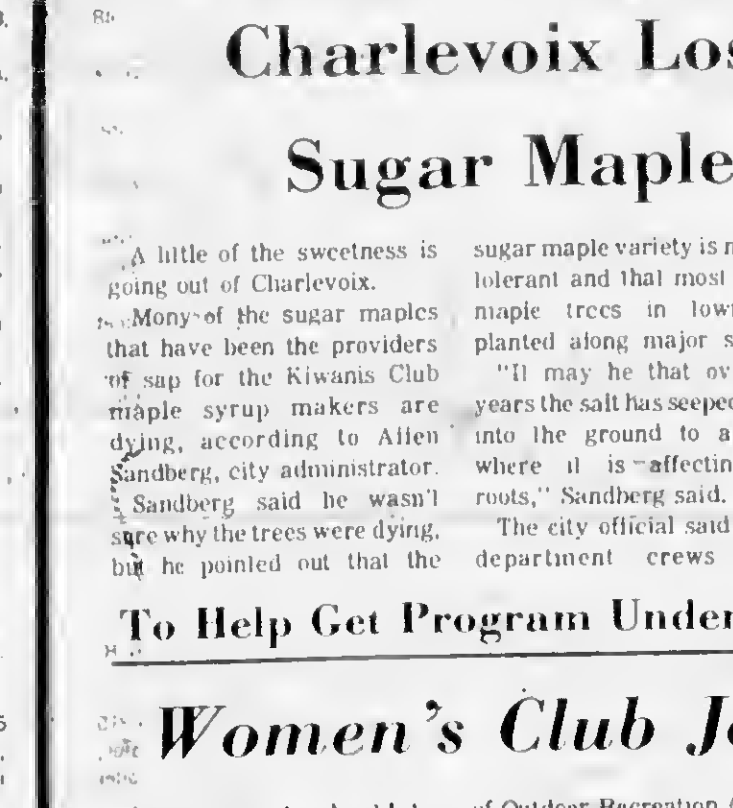
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Letters Help to Break Down Walls

By PAULA HOLMES
He walked quickly into the room and took a seat next to the strangers.
The blue of his shirt was reflected in his blue eyes which were somehow distant and guarded. They looked at the strangers and they then darted quickly away.
His youthful face belied his years and concealed the eagerness he had learned, but his body did not. He slouched carefully in the vinyl chair writing up an invisible and yet constructive wall between him and the visitors.
For Robert Powell, 1973, an inmate at Marquette State Prison, life is a series of walls and bars, real and imagined. In the four years Powell has been in prison serving a life sentence for second degree murder, he had learned to be careful of everything.
Yet as guarded as he is, Powell still seeks contact—

meaningful relationships—with the outside world as he copes with life on the inside.
It was his desire for this outside contact that led him to participate in a pen pal relationship with a Charlevoix family, the Ron Ritsmas.

"When you are in prison you have a real need for contact with the outside world," Powell explained. "The only way you can get it is by corresponding with someone on the outside."
And that search for outside contact can bring involvement with a variety of different people, Powell said.
"I was involved in a pen pal program with the Worldwide Church of God before I met the Ritsmas," the inmate explained.
He answered a request for minutes looking for pen pals and got 70 responses from various people.
"Of course I had trouble

writing to all of them," he said. "I would just get a batch of letters done and it was time to start all over again."
"Some of them got mad and quit writing," he continued. "Others had problems of their own and would write to discuss them with me."
"I ran into a lot of people that had problems and didn't know where to look," he recalled.
He even received a letter from a divorced woman saying that she wanted to marry him. She came to the prison to meet him and brought her children along, too.
"I could have married her and made it look good on the record," he mused. "But I told her she didn't need me."

So Powell was wary when he again put his name in the list as an inmate who would like to correspond with someone in the congregation of the Atwood Christian Reformed Church. But he found the Ritsmas interesting and kept up the letter exchange.
"I didn't know what to think about them," he recalled. "I was beginning to wonder with the others if a good relationship could exist through correspondence and I began to wonder about the Ritsmas, too."
"I wondered what their interest was," he said.
But the correspondence flourished and soon Nancy Ritsma had plunged into helping Powell develop the thesis he was working on for his masters degree in elementary education.
A former elementary school teacher, Powell began work on his masters almost as soon as he entered Marquette Prison.

"If you have had an education, the prison system offers you nothing," he explained soberly. "I had to work on my masters. I had to do something."
Northern Michigan University (NMU) offers undergraduate courses at the prison and Powell saw them as his chance to get started with his advanced degree.
So he enrolled in a masters program at the university and began a course that took him all the way to the University of South Dakota in an attempt to complete classes that would qualify him for that degree.
Now he is working on his thesis on tutoring, again with the help of correspondence. A teacher in Nebraska, who corresponds with another inmate at Marquette, has agreed to carry out whatever experiments he needs to complete the paper.
And for one man, through correspondence and concern, the walls are tumbling down.

THE WALLS of this castle-like building separate the inmates of Marquette State Prison from contact with the outside world. Several Charlevoix residents are trying to help him stay in contact through a penpal program.

...And to Show People Care

By PAULA HOLMES
"There's one basic human need and that is to know that someone cares for you," the woman said in a soft voice.
And in her own small way Nancy Ritsma is trying to let one person—a complete stranger to her—a few short months ago, know that she cares about him and wants to make a difference in his life.
Nancy, her husband Ron, and her four children participate in a pen pal correspondence with Robert Powell, an inmate at Marquette State Prison. The family knew nothing about the man when they started writing to him. He was just a name on a list of people who needed friends.
The letter writing began as a project of the Evangelical Committee at the Atwood Christian Reformed Church. Another couple at the church was writing to an inmate in an Ohio prison and suggested that they write to him, too.
Mrs. Ritsma said her family had gained a lot from the pen pal experience, too. "I wanted the children to learn about the importance of caring for other people," she explained. "This was their learning something that was caught rather than taught."
Mrs. Ritsma said the family had learned a lot about the corrections system, through the correspondence, too. "Rehabilitation doesn't exist," she said. "The men need to have better work opportunities so that their time is occupied with worthwhile things to do."
The Narwood resident feels one way people on the outside can help in the rehabilitation process is through a pen pal correspondence.
When we talk about rehabilitating crime, we should be willing to do something about it," she said. "And the problem stems from no rehabilitation and no follow up once the person is out of jail. When a person gets out of jail he goes right back into the situation that got him in jail in the first place," she continued. "One thing that citizens for you is to keep up these correspondences and help the person get reeducated."
Mrs. Ritsma suggested anyone interested in corresponding with an inmate write to the prison chaplain and ask for a list of names of people who would be interested in correspondence.

Charlevoix Losing Its Sweetness, Sugar Maple Trees Dying Off

There's a new sound coming across the airwaves in Northern Michigan.
"WJML radio station in Petoskey is under new ownership and is trying some new things."
The Harrington Broadcasting Company, owner of the station, was sold to a group of Muskegon investors, called Greater Muskegon Broadcasters Inc., and has been renamed Petoskey Broadcasting Company. The sale was effective Feb. 1.
"Since the purchase some changes have been made in the news presentation, the 'Sound Off' and 'Instant Ads' programs and in the music format."
Most of the major changes that were going to be made have already taken place," Dave Walker, operations director, explained.
"From now on WJML listeners will be hearing network news at five minutes before the hour and local and regional news a few minutes before that, Walker said.
"And there will be more emphasis on news in the morning," Walker said. "We have added programs of entirely local and regional news at 6:25, 7:25 and 8:25 a.m."
Walker said the changes had been made to better serve the listeners.
"Most people have to be at work on the hour—7 a.m., 8 a.m. and 9 a.m. so they would miss the newscasts," he pointed out. "Now they can hear the news on their way to work."
Changes were also made in the "Instant Ads" program so that working people would also be able to participate in the program, Walker said. Instant Ads will now be aired seven days a week at 10:20 a.m. and 11:20 and 2:20 p.m.
Walker said the same number of calls will be taken just at three different times.
"We believe in the theory of the program it was just that it was at a set time and not everyone could take advantage of it," Mike Harrington said while discussing the changes.
The "Sound Off" program has also been changed to Action Line. Under the new program, a phone line is left open between 5 and 6 p.m. for area listeners to call in their concerns and questions about issues in Northern Michigan.
"The questions will be recorded and then the next day the news department will contact someone that can answer the question," Walker explained. "Then the question and answer will be aired during the day."
"Instead of just listening to complaints we're willing to solve problems," Walker said.
As far as the music is concerned it will be the same that has always been played.

Charlevoix Losing Its Sweetness, Sugar Maple Trees Dying Off

A little of the sweetness is going out of Charlevoix.
Many of the sugar maples that have been the providers of sap for the Charlevoix maple syrup makers are dying, according to Allen Sandberg, city administrator.
Sandberg said he wasn't sure why the trees were dying, but he pointed out that the sugar maple variety is not salt tolerant and that most of the maple trees in town are planted along major streets.
"I may be that over the years the salt has seeped down into the ground to a point where it is affecting the roots," Sandberg said.
The city official said utility department crews were currently in the process of removing about 50 dead trees from city streets, most of them sugar maples. Sandberg said the trees had been checked in the fall and marked with an orange dot so that the city crews could cut them down during the winter months.
The city administrator said that many of the trees would be replaced with new ones, although it will depend on the spacing as to where the new trees are planted.
He also said the sugar maples would not be replaced. "Their root systems are too large and they crack the sidewalks and get into the sewer pipes," he explained.

To Help Get Program Underway

Improvements should be completed at Lake Michigan Beach Park by the end of the year thanks to the efforts of the city and the Charlevoix Women's Club.
The city has received a \$5,000 grant from the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation (BOR) for driveway repair, drinking fountain construction and the construction of ramps to the bath house for handicapped people.
The construction must be completed by the end of the year and the city and the women's club are working together to get the program going.
The city is also considering seeking another grant from the BOR which is designed to prevent erosion in critical areas. These funds would be used to develop hiking paths in the park to prevent erosion by walking where no path exists. Development of a parking area would also be included in the application for the second grant.

Sheriff's Department Busy This Week

The number of complaints received by the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department increased to 45 the week of Feb. 11-18 according to the report released Friday by Sheriff George T. Lavater. Of the number received, 35 were closed and the remaining 10 are still under investigation.
A breakdown of the 45 complaints shows six were felonies, eight misdemeanors, one civil, 20 under other categories and one was unfounded. Six male inmates were booked.
Seven accidents, including five property damage and two personal injury accidents, were reported. Ten traffic arrests were recorded; seven warnings issued; one notice to appear issued and 17 traffic assists made.
Dog complaints were up to 35 last week; three summons were issued; eight warnings issued and 18 animals disposed of.
Twenty-five civil papers were processed; 59 telephone calls received; 145 meals served to inmates and two doors on business places in the county found open.

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Participate in Activities Of Winter Festival and Chase Away Winter Blahs

We're hoping everyone in Charlevoix will get out next weekend for Charlevoix's Winter Cup Festival.

The festival, co-sponsored by the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce and Charlevoix Lions Club, will be jam packed with activities for people of all ages.

It's a chance for Charlevoix residents to knock off those winter blues and have some fun. Everyone should find something that will suit his or her fancy.

The carnival opens with an ice sculpture contest in East Park. Charlevoix High School students, who will hold their winter homecoming during the same weekend, will place their sculptures in the park.

And while the high school students will be busy with their homecoming game and festivities, others will want to join in with local restaurants in their own special celebrations.

Both downhill and cross country skiers will be interested in the competitions taking place on Saturday.

Those looking for more of a

cultural reprieve may want to listen to several hundred young musicians who will be at Charlevoix High School for the annual District II Band and Orchestra Festival being hosted by Charlevoix High School.

Saturday night has been designated Mardi Gras night with restaurants and nightclubs planning special events for the entertainment of their guests.

Sunday rounds off the weekend with a cross country ski clinic and afternoon hockey tournament.

As you can see, the Charlevoix Winter Cup Festival will be a weekend for people of all ages.

It represents an effort of a lot of people, who have been trying to put together an event where everyone can have a good time.

All the festival planners need now is you to come out and have a good time.

So, if you haven't already

country skiers, do so and we will see you at the Charlevoix Winter Cup Festival this weekend.

City Should Reconsider Effects of Changing Bridge Opening Hours

A move to adjust the Pine River Channel bridge openings needs to be reexamined.

Already recommended by the Charlevoix City Council, the Michigan Highway Commission is considering a request to eliminate the noon, 1 p.m. and 5 p.m. bridge openings.

Those behind the move have indicated that this schedule change would lessen traffic flow interruptions during peak summer periods.

While on the surface the move appears to have merit, we wonder if there might not be serious disadvantages.

For example, Charlevoix has developed an international fame for being a summer boating resort community with people traveling for miles to enjoy our natural harbor and beauty.

If they learn that it is going to be difficult to get in and out of the town during the lunch hour,

will they take their trade some other place?

We would hate to see our fine image of hospitality altered.

Bridge Street has traditionally had a summer traffic problem because of the bridge openings.

However, the problems caused by the bridge openings have also meant economic benefit for us with the boat traffic.

During the heat of the summer, it is easy to get upset with the traffic congestion. We feel that the traffic flow should be looked at in different lights, instead of blaming it all on the boaters and bridge openings. Perhaps we want to look at alternative traffic routes.

We urge both the Charlevoix City Council and other residents to reconsider their existing view to change the bridge openings and remember the benefit of our summer boating economy.

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Letters to the editor

Consumers Urges Care In Thawing Out Pipes

Dear Editor:

The very severe cold weather has caused water services to freeze in many areas as you are no doubt aware. Across Michigan, we have experienced a number of potentially hazardous situations as a result of electric welders or similar high wattage direct current devices being used to thaw these frozen services.

Some of the resulting problems from the use of this method are as follows: Any uncontrolled current can follow the gas service line and discharge back to ground possible causing an arc-burn hole in the gas system and a gas leak. This same current could also follow the customer's electric service entrance ground back through the service neutral drop to Consumers' Power Company grounds because this could be

a lower resistance path than the water pipe. This could cause a house fire or damage to the customer's or Consumers' Power Company's grounding system. In order to prevent the current flowing in the electrical grounding systems or the gas system it is necessary to isolate the water service from the customer's water system and also to disconnect the ground wire to the water system to the customer's ground system. We strongly recommend this procedure be used; to do otherwise would create a potentially dangerous situation to life and property.

If you have questions, please feel free to contact me at 941-1789. Wendell B. Eby
Regional General Superintendent

New Nuke Plant Will Raise Electric Costs

To the Editor:

Consumers' Power Company's ratemakers should begin to be aware of the excessive and needlessly high burden they will bear if Consumers' Power persists in continued construction of the Midland nuclear plants which they are unable to finance to completion.

The Attorney-General and the Public Service Commission have been informed of the starting disclosure from the Midland n-plant suspension hearings.

The Attorney-General's concerned response is, I believe, worth sharing with the public and about the threatened impending financial disaster for ratemakers.

He writes: "I am as concerned as you are that Midland will develop into an economic disaster for Consumers' Power Company's ratemakers, in the same way that the Palisades Plant has, but on a larger scale."

"I agree with your sentiments that any action by the Public Service Commission that would require ratemakers to pay any portion of the cost of the Midland Plant before that plant actually goes into commercial

operation, would mean that the ratemakers would be paying something for which they may never receive any benefit.

"My staff attorneys are presently analyzing the issues to be considered by the Commission at the hearing commencing in March, concerning construction work in progress and deferred tax accounting with respect to various construction expenditures."

Joseph Temple of Dow Chemical's operating board has stated in sworn testimony that the plants are "a bad deal" for Dow—disadvantageous to the Midland division, the employees and the community. If the n-plants are a detriment to Dow Chemical how can they be of any value to the small businessman and ratemayer of Michigan?

I urge citizens and ratemakers to write their legislators, the Public Service Commission, Attorney-General Frank Kelley and Governor Milliken, asking them to halt the ruinous course that Consumers' Power Company is pursuing.

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If it Fitz
by Jim Fitzgerald

Bob died the other day. He was my closest link to the tragedy of the Vietnam war.

I knew Bob for 26 years. We belonged to the same poker club for most of these years. We belonged to the Holiday Duffers Club which was 8 men who met every warm holiday to play terrible golf together.

I don't think Bob agreed with half of the stuff I wrote through all those years. Certainly he didn't go along with my constant cooing during the Vietnam war. And for good reason.

But Bob never jumped on me for writing dumb things. Not seriously. He would call me a lousy golfer and a stupid poker player. He wouldn't call me a pinko traitor for urging amnesty for Vietnam draft dodgers. And he had good reason to call me worse than that.

A good friend can disagree with you without being disagreeable. Bob was a good friend. He was only 58 when a heart attack suddenly killed him. I find now, typing these inadequate words, that I cannot think of him without getting wet eyes.

I am thinking about a poker night in May of 1970. It was at Bob's house. It was the night I was struck by the big

difference between 2 trips.

The Apollo 13 astronauts were then on their way back from moon country. That's one of the trips. Between beers and shuffles, there was considerable talk about the 3 men risking their necks in space.

And later, when the space task faded, Bob was asked the whereabouts of his wife. He explained that she was out of town but "she'll walk through that door at 10:20 p.m."

Which brings us to the second trip.

None of the other players asked Bob how he could be so certain of the time his wife would return. We knew. She had made the trip so many times before, and so had he, that it was easy to set the clock by their departures and arrivals.

At 10:20 p.m., she came through the back door.

For the umpteenth time, she had been visiting her son Ed at a nearby veterans hospital. A year earlier, he had suffered a head wound in Vietnam. Now he was almost totally paralyzed, almost speechless.

That was 7 years ago. Ed is now 29, and still spending most of his time in a hospital bed. That's the way it is going

Clockwise by Bob Clock

Seed catalogues have started turning up regularly in the mail, a sure sign that spring is almost here.

It is also a sure sign that the lowly adjective, doomed to extinction during the heyday of the late Ernest Hemingway, is alive and well and living in a hothouse somewhere in Illinois.

For my money, a trip through a seed catalogue is the next best thing to a mid-winter vacation in Florida. Although you remain physically bound in this frigid zone, your mind wanders months into the sunny future.

The bleak drifts that presently inhabit the back forty disappear mysteriously and in their place stand rows after rows of early peas in "plump, well-rounded pods four to five inches long. Extremely heavy bearing. Pods and foliage bright green. Bears long after other varieties are finished. Absolutely our best."

No! No! Send me a dozen packets. We'll dry what we don't eat and have pea soup next winter.

I know salesmen are supposed to put their best foot forward, but it seems that the seed people oversell everything from salsify to horseshall. Anyone would be a fool not to buy what they offer. "Sturdy young plants will be covered with a multitude of blossoms."

"Climbs to more than seven feet tall."

"Can be grown with the very best results under a wide variety of soil and moisture conditions."

"Early bearing." "Drought resistant." "That's one I like." "Drought resistant."

I also like catalogues which show where in North America such and such can be grown. There's a little outline of the United States with a purple overlay. Most of the seeds offered will do well as far north as Hudson Bay. "Vigorous young plants can withstand early frost and temperatures as low as 23 F."

These are the little annoyances the seed catalogues let you discover for yourself.

One catalogue we received this winter is pushing peanuts for North Central states, including Michigan. It also suggests a variety of cotton for use in northern gardens. "Attractive fluffy white pods are a conversation piece north of the Mason-Dixon line."

Perhaps the nicest feature of the catalogues are the honest-to-goodness photographs of tomatoes, cucumbers and green onions. But, my friends, I'll wager you have never seen such garden produce in real life. The seed companies certainly have cornered the market on the best color presmen in the nation.

Tomatoes come through particularly well. They are a deep red, smooth skinned, dimpled with dew and wearing little green berets on top.

Cucumbers are a deep velvety green, as smooth as ice cream. Sometimes they are pictured languishing under a huge cucumber leaf.

Green onions usually are photographed in bunches, with clean white stalks tapering into brilliant green tops.

The problem with the catalogue pictures is that my garden produce never looks the same. Where are the ugly black zipper marks around the tomato? Where is the fat green tomato bug that squishes when you pick him by mistake? Where are the aphids and the grubs and the corn borers? Are they unworthy of a photographer's talents?

Lastly, where is the fat brown rabbit with a leaf of Black Seeded Simpson lettuce clenched between his fat brown jaws? That would make a dandy picture.

These are the little annoyances the seed catalogues let you discover for yourself.

I have a friend who has been trying to sell his house for six months and frankly, I'm worried about her.

The other morning, while having coffee, I excused myself to use her bathroom. She threw her body across the door and said, "Do you really have to use this? I mean, you could wait and stop at the service station on the way home, could you?"

"Get hold of yourself, Gloria," I said. "Ever since you listed your home you've developed a clean fetish."

"Are you finished leaning back on that pillow?" she asked, grabbing it and pinching it up with her fist.

"See what I mean? You're going crazy with neatness. What happened? We never see a newspaper at your door any more. I almost hate to ask, but where are your children?"

"I laundered and stored them until after we move," she said, grabbing the cup and saucer away from my lips and rinsing them under the faucet. "Face it. No one buys a house that looks like it's inhabited."

"That's a dumb thing to say."

"It's true. Take your average model home. The light switches might not work, the walls smell like paste, there is no water, and the doors are hung backwards. No problem. The house will

sell. But if the lids are up on the bathroom commode—forget it!"

"I don't believe that at all."

"It's true. Take this house. Please, it was a model home when we bought it. I'm here to tell you a virgin house is the most beautiful sight in the world. There was even a bowl of waxed fruit on the coffee table. Then we moved in. First, it was a basketball in the foyer, handprints around the light switches, a cardboard box in the utility room to hold the dog, cup dispensers on every wall, a calendar over the stove, notes on the refrigerator, an ironing board in the dining room, a boot in the flower bed, rolled-up newspapers in the spout, 50-pound bag of fertilizer on the porch, a bread car in the window..."

"And the waxed fruit?"

"It's still in the bowl with initials carved into it, along with a brush battery, two marbles and a transistor radio. The illusion is gone."

Just then the rector came up the drive with a prospective couple. "Quick," yelled Gloria, grabbing her sweater. "Put the coffee pot in the oven, the mail in the freezer and follow me to the basement. Just pray they don't stop in the driveway. I waxed it yesterday."

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A Tale of Two Trips

to be the rest of his life. And his mother and 2 brothers will spend the rest of their lives visiting him and bringing him home weekends and taking him to concerts.

That's how Bob spent the last 8 years of his life, which ended way too soon. But Bob would not have complained about his burden if he had married it until he was 35.

I haven't fully identified Bob's family because that's the way they want it. Their friends already know. They see no reason to parade their trouble before strangers. They don't want to put their hearts out. They don't want publicity for what they gave for their country.

I hope they'll understand why I find myself wondering, again, the same thing I wondered on the poker night of Apollo 13.

Three astronauts soared away and returned to the adulation and tears of an entire nation.

Thousands of boys went to Vietnam and returned battered, or in boxes. And only their families wept and really cared. And still care, and ache.

Sure, I was awed by the incredible

technology and courage that put us on the moon. But I was saddened by a nation that sweat blood with the astronauts but didn't care that 369 men were killed in Vietnam the same week, and didn't care that hundreds more had been doomed to hospitals for life.

Who gave the most for his country? Who received the most in return? The astronauts now own airlines and make TV commercials. Ed is still paralyzed, and thousands of his fellow soldiers are still dead too young.

In 1970 I wrote: "Shoot me if you will, but I don't give a damn about trips to the moon. Not as long as my friends are making trips to that hospital."

I feel the same way today. Bob has made his last visit, but his son is still in the hospital. And this is still an armed world where we must point guns at us.

In memory of all the Bobs, and all the Eds, someday the guns must be put down. Someday there must be an end to the flag-draped caskets and the trips to the hospital.

Then it will be time to take a trip to the moon.

Meet Charlevoix

...Judy Przybylski

Just keeping a checkbook balanced can be a herculean problem for some people and they couldn't imagine having to keep the finances of an entire city up to date.

But when you mention keeping the books for a \$3 million business like the City of Charlevoix to Judy Przybylski, she doesn't bat an eye. This week Mrs. Przybylski discusses her job as city clerk with the Courier.

COURIER: What types of things does the city clerk's office handle?

PRZYBYLSKI: The clerk's office takes care of the first of the month we are generally pretty busy balancing everything out. And everything has got to be just perfect when you do that. If you make a mistake you've got to find it. It's a lot easier to find those \$100,000 errors than those \$1 ones. Usually it was the operator and not the machine that made the mistake, too. It's hard to be a machine is smarter than you, but that's the way it works.

COURIER: How does the bookkeeping and accounting for a public unit differ from the bookkeeping for private business?

PRZYBYLSKI: The bookkeeping for the city is different in the types of transfers that you make.

COURIER: What do you like best about your job?

PRZYBYLSKI: I like working with figures and I have a lot of them to work with here. Also I like the people that I work with.

COURIER: Do you have much contact with city residents?

PRZYBYLSKI: Not usually. The clerk's office deals with people that do business with the city.

COURIER: How long have you worked in the Charlevoix clerk's office?

PRZYBYLSKI: I have worked here since October, 1972. Ida Heise appointed me deputy clerk in 1974. I was appointed city clerk last November.

COURIER: Have you worked for any other cities?

PRZYBYLSKI: I worked for two and one-half years in the Petoskey clerk's office with the elections.

COURIER: How do you like being a city official?

PRZYBYLSKI: I'm really busy. I like the job I never thought I would be in an elected official, though.

COURIER: How do you feel about running for office for the first time this April?

PRZYBYLSKI: It's a big step. But, I'm into it now. It's kind of scary, too.

COURIER: Are you a Charlevoix native?

PRZYBYLSKI: Yes and my father Robert Sonnierville worked for the city, too, in the police department I guess working for the city runs in the family. I don't know where it's running in, but I guess you could say it runs in the family.

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such as voter registration, publishing public notices and the transfer of funds.

COURIER: Besides yourself, who helps you keep track of the city's finances?

PRZYBYLSKI: Arietta Bergmann handles all of the election related jobs and then I have another full time person working with me and a part time person.

COURIER: On a typical day what do you do?

PRZYBYLSKI: Well there's always bills to take care of and we spend a lot of time handling transactions and doing accounts receivable. Also everything we do has to be posted on the machine so

metals and plastics follow in that order.

Charlevoix County's contribution to this mountain of trash is estimated at 13,500 tons a year.

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According to the Environmental Protection Agency, it is a growing problem. The nation's trash pile has been rising steadily and now amounts to more than 100 million tons of solid waste per year.

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Space Age Technology Part Of Health Care System, Too

Space age technology has done more than put a man on the moon.

It has also improved man's health, according to Jim Hooper, associate supervisor of the Charlevoix Area Hospital laboratory.

"The machinery we are using in the lab is a direct spin off of the space age technology," Hooper said. "The solid state electronics perfected for the rockets are also used in the microcomputers and other equipment we use to diagnose diseases."

And it is the same space age technology that has allowed the Charlevoix hospital to expand its lab facilities and to provide better care to the residents of the Charlevoix area. For the last two years, the laboratory department has been acquiring the specialized equipment

necessary to complete intricate lab tests for the physicians and patients at the hospital.

"Our machines are small, but they are efficient and they have helped us go from being a lab that was handling 1,000 procedures a month to a lab which does 3,000 procedures a month," Hooper said.

The medical technologist said that the equipment has also allowed the lab to complete more tests at the hospital instead of sending them to Little Traverse Hospital or another laboratory for completion.

When 1,000 procedures a month were being sent to the lab two years ago, only about 50 percent of the tests were actually completed at the hospital, Hooper said. Now about 80 percent of the 3,000

procedures sent to the lab are handled at the hospital.

"We have changed from being in the position of a forwarding lab to a lab that can handle the routine tests and the more complicated ones, too," he explained.

"There are still some tests that are sent out," Albert Hunter, also an associate supervisor of the lab, explained. "And there always will be some tests that we will send to someone else. There are some things where it is less expensive for us to send it out than to purchase the equipment to complete the tests."

Hunter and Hooper said that in addition to giving the lab the capability to handle more tests and more types of tests, the special machinery has also given the lab the capability to insure that the

tests are accurate.

"You get a much better quality test now than you did 10 years or even five years ago," Hunter said. "And because of the efficiency and volume the machines can handle, the costs have remained about the same."

The Charlevoix hospital lab is associated with the Little Traverse Hospital lab. The pathologists at the Petoskey hospital serve as the directors for the Charlevoix lab. They are in telephone consultation with the lab's associate supervisors and they visit the facility several times a month to make sure that things are running smoothly.

In addition to the two associate supervisors, two medical technicians and one part-time secretary help run the laboratory.



JIM HOOPER, medical technologist at the Charlevoix Area Hospital, checks one of the machines in the lab that is the result of the current space age technology. Advanced technology has made lab machines more sophisticated and has improved lab tests.



STAN WARNER, lab technician, completes a blood count during a test at the hospital laboratory.

No Cure for Common Cold, Just Relief

What could be more miserable than that stopped-up, full-headed feeling of a cold? No wonder people are quick to seek relief in different over-the-counter medications—hoping to speed up the cold's departure.

Well, no matter what you do, a panel of experts called on by the Food and Drug Administration says none of these products will cure or even shorten the course of the common cold. But, they can relieve some of the symptoms. To find out which ingredients are safe and effective, send for a free fact sheet called The Common Cold. Drop a postcard to the Consumer Information Center, Dept. 6425, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

Here are some general information to help you choose

when you shop. These ingredients were found to be safe and effective and not mislabeled.

-Cough suppressants (antitussives): Codeine, codeine alkaloid, codeine phosphate, codeine sulfate, dextromethorphan, dextromethorphan hydrobromide, diphenhydramine hydrochloride.

-Nasal decongestants: 1. In nose drops, sprays or rubs: ephedrine, ephedrine hydrochloride, ephedrine sulfate, racemic epinephrine, hydrochloride, naphazoline hydrochloride, oxymetazoline hydrochloride, xylometazoline hydrochloride. And phenylephrine hydrochloride which can also be in oral medications.

2. In inhalants:

prophylhexedrine.

3. In oral medications: phenylpropanolamine bitartrate, phenylpropanolamine hydrochloride, phenylpropylamine maleate, pseudoephedrine hydrochloride, pseudoephedrine sulfate.

Since most over-the-counter drugs lack specific information on proper dosages for children, a group of experts on pediatric drug therapy developed the following recommendations: the dose for children 6 through 11 should be half the adult dose, and for youngsters 2 through 5 it should be one-quarter of the adult dose. Asthma and cough preparations should not be given to children 2 through 5 in any amount except on the

advice of a physician. Any product with an alcoholic content of more than 10 percent is not for children under 6.

For infants up to 2 years of age, the dosage should be determined by a physician and the labels on non-prescription drug products should make this clear.

The Common Cold (free) is one of over 200 selected Federal consumer publications listed in the current edition of the catalog, Consumer Information Center, published quarterly by the Consumer Information Center of the General Services Administration, the catalog is free by sending a postcard to the Consumer Information Center, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

Mineral Role in State History Topic at Meeting 8 p.m. Tuesday

The role of minerals in Michigan history will be discussed at the regular meeting of the Charlevoix Historical Society to be held at the Community Room of the First State Bank at 8 p.m. Tuesday.

Edward Beutner, president of the Society and a geologist long associated with exploration and mining of iron ore and other minerals, will relate how the state's many

resources were discovered and developed during the 19th century and the impact this had on the industrial development of the state.

Salt springs at the surface provided a clue to immense deposits that were found underground. The copper artifacts and nuggets exhibited by Indians led to the discovery of the important deposits of native copper in the Keweenaw Peninsula. The

presence of iron ore near Negaunee was first noted by a land surveyor when he investigated the reason for the wild deflection of his compass needle. Coal, gypsum and limestone also contributed to the early economy of the state.

One successful gold mine operated before the turn of the century.

Later on the scene, dating from about 1925 and responding to advanced ex-

ploration techniques, were the oil and gas discoveries. Following World War II, uranium exploration in the Upper Peninsula created considerable excitement. However, only the low grade ore was indicated.

All persons interested in the mineral heritage of the state are invited to attend this meeting of the Historical Society.

Hearings on Deaf, Blind Education Slated

A series of public hearings will be held this week to review preliminary recommendations of a state wide study of educational programs and services for visually impaired and hearing impaired students.

Each of the four hearings will last two hours with the first 40 minutes devoted to a review of the study and the preliminary study recom-

mendations by Educational Management Services, Inc. and State Department of Education representatives.

A 20-minute coffee break will then be provided to allow people to prepare written questions and to sign up for oral reactions to the plan. The last hour will be used for the presentation of the oral reactions, which are limited to

three minutes a piece.

The meetings will be held from 7 to 9 p.m. Thursday in Lansing at the Michigan School for the Blind auditorium, from 10:30 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. at the Kent Intermediate School District Administrative Center in Grand Rapids, at 7 to 9 p.m. at the Bay de Noc Community College in Escanaba and at 1:30 to 3:30 p.m. at the

Michigan School for the Deaf auditorium in Flint.

Written comments will be accepted for one week after the hearings by Educational Management Services, Inc., at 4310 W. 77th St., Suite 150, Minneapolis, Minn., 55435.

An interpreter for the deaf will be present at each public meeting and a Braille summary of the recommendations will be available.



ALSO HONORED were the 10-year employees. Pictured here are: John Lachman, manager, Barbara Watros, Florence Blanchard and Ed Purvogel, chairman of the board.



HOSKINS MANUFACTURING Company honored nine employees for their many years of service last week. Pictured here with the 15-year employees are: John Lachman, manager, Mary Ann Hamilton, Mary Reibel, Barbara Skeel, and Ed Purvogel, chairman of the board, in the back row. In front are Edna Gallagher and Mary Wertman.

Hufford Industries to Take Part In Trade Mission to South America

Hufford Industries, Inc., is one of nine Michigan firms in the metalworking field, making up a trade mission to Venezuela and Columbia.

Dick Sayward will represent Hufford Industries on the mission organized by the Michigan Department of Commerce's Office of Economic Expansion. Other firms making up the mission are in the Detroit, Lansing and Kalamazoo areas.

The trade mission, which will leave Feb. 27, is one of the state's first to Latin America. Venezuela and Columbia were selected because both countries offer mature markets for metalworking equipment, are experiencing rapid industrial growth and as a result of rising prices for raw materials, have large reserves of hard currency.

Venezuela, the largest single foreign supplier of petroleum to the United States, is reaping the benefit of a dramatic fourfold increase in oil prices over the last four years. Colombia has profited in recent days from the rise in the world price of coffee.

Since 1972, the state has maintained offices in both Tokyo and Brussels to aid Michigan companies in penetrating the European and Asian markets. The Office of Economic Expansion believes increased exports from Michigan not only aid the total American economy in its current balance of payment problems, but provide local firms with more profit and employment. Exporting also helps Michigan businesses by allowing them to better utilize production facilities, and by cushioning the effects of domestic business cycles.

Norton Herman, OEE director, said

Training Session Slated March 2 On Pesticides

A training session for anyone interested in being certified as a private pesticide applicator will be held at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 2, in the 4-H Center in Petoskey.

Tramling materials, study bulletins and application forms for the certifying test will be available at the meeting. Certifying exams will be given in this area at 7:30 p.m. Monday, March 14 in the 4-H Center at Petoskey and at 1:30 p.m. Monday, April 4, at Whiting Park.

Ed Robman, Charlevoix County extension director, said all individuals must be certified by the Michigan Department of Agriculture in order to purchase restricted pesticides after Oct. 1. Restricted pesticides will include all fumigants, aquatic pesticides, materials for forest areas, those materials used in aircraft and all materials with a skull and crossbones marked "Danger-Poison," Robman said.

Waterfront owners planning construction, dredging or filling below the ordinary high water mark of Michigan lakes and streams should plan ahead to allow time for obtaining the needed permit from the Department of Natural Resources.

If property owners think they will be involved in con-

struction activity, shoreline or bottomland alterations this spring or summer, they should apply now to avoid the seasonal rush and a possible delay in receiving a permit. Craig Smith, administrator of the Inland Lakes and Streams Act at the DNR Regional Office in Roseconm, said because of established

procedures required by the law, the DNR must take a period of 30 to 45 days to complete the processing and issuance or denial of permits. Many times because of the large volume of applications, it is difficult to provide responses to the applicants as soon as the department would like, Smith said.

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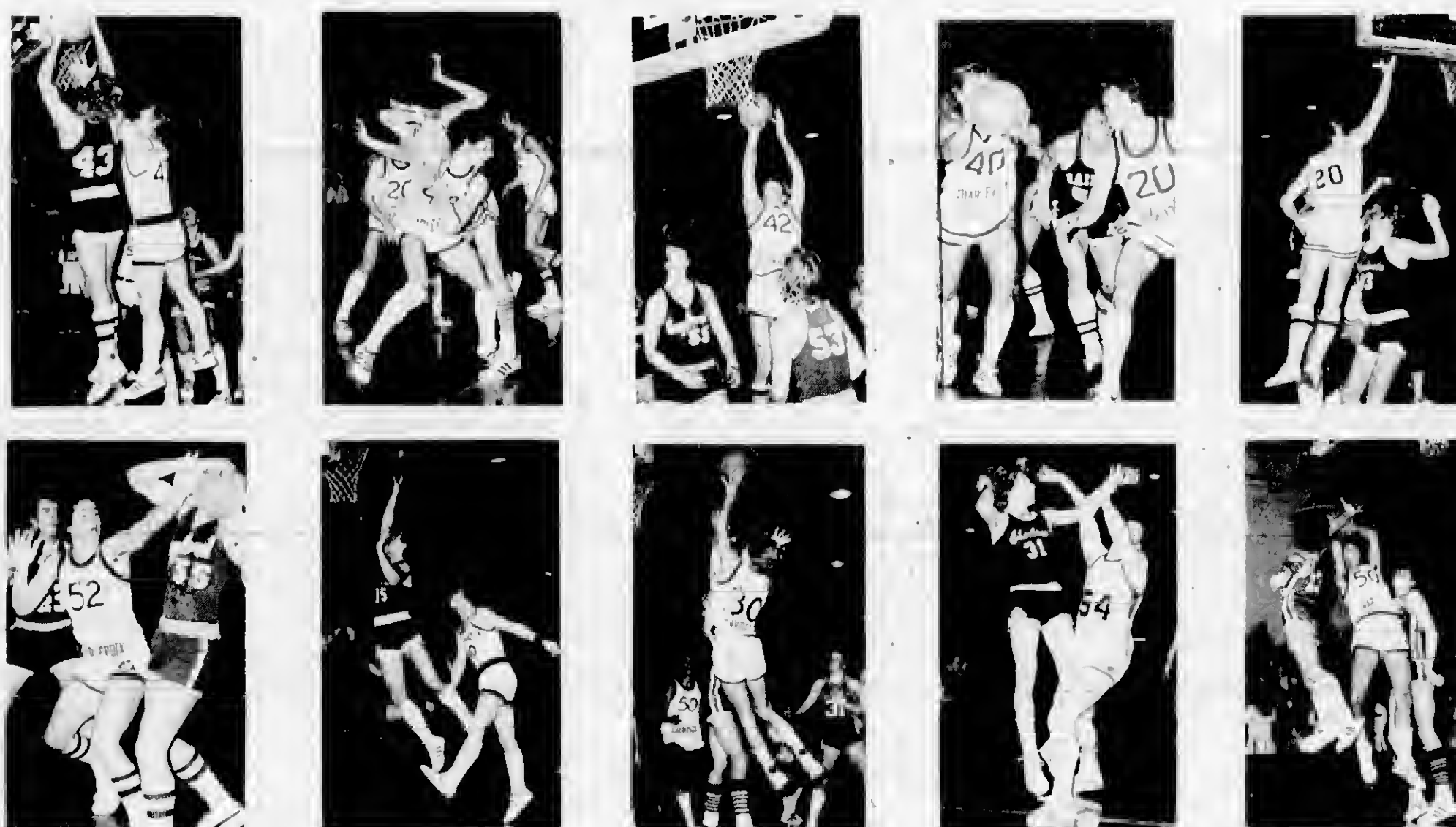
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Iceboats Replace Tugboats On Frozen Waters of Ohio River

Iceboats have displaced tugboats on the Ohio River in this winter, and it's no fun for industry.

One of the most important inland waterways in the nation has been frozen from bank to bank for the first time since 1948. The phenomenon has attracted thousands of sightseers, iceboaters, and skaters.

But while they enjoy the rare scene, hundreds of barges loaded with needed fuel oil, coal, deicing salt, chemicals, and steel have been immobilized, creating shortages that have closed schools and factories and killed hundreds of thousands of workers.

In a normal year, the Ohio has neither ice nor time for winter sports. Day and night,

towboats herd strings of barges up and down the 961 miles between Pittsburgh, where the Ohio is formed by the confluence of the Allegheny and the Monongahela, and Cairo, Illinois, where it flows into the Mississippi.

"The Ohio is, above all, a working river," observes Phil J. Vesilind in the February issue of National Geographic. Before the freeze, the author obtained a first-hand look at the river's thriving commerce by shipping as a "novice deckhand" on an Ohio tow.

"The Ohio hauls more freight than the Panama Canal and carries more water than the upper Mississippi where the two rivers meet," he writes. "Some rivermen even insist it's the Ohio that flows into the Gulf of Mexico."

Mr. Vesilind points out that nearly 25 million people in parts of 14 states live in the 203,900-square-mile Ohio Basin, one of the world's most productive land areas.

"About 33 percent of this nation's recoverable bituminous coal underlies the Ohio Basin," he adds. "And of the nearly 116 million tons of coal moved on American river systems in 1975, about 86 percent was carried on the Ohio and its tributaries."

He notes that 33 coal-fired power plants line the Ohio and more are planned as the United States strives for energy independence. One plant, Kyger Creek, burns hundreds of tons of coal an hour to supply electricity for a nuclear-fuel processing facility 50 miles away.

"In the mystical arithmetic of steam and atoms," Mr. Vesilind says, "a kilowatt generated by Kyger Creek can help manufacture enough uranium fuel to produce 40 kilowatts in a nuclear power plant."

The author found that since 1946 nearly 150 chemical plants, making everything from plastics to painty hose, have been built in the Ohio Basin and today chemicals account for more and more river tonnage.

But now the river's traffic is down to less than 10 percent of normal, and Army engineers worry that a quick thaw later may send heavy ice flows rushing downstream, endangering the commercial craft forced to tie up at the Ohio's banks.



KEEPING TRAFFIC MOVING before the Big Freeze, a deckhand tightens the cables that lash together a string of 1,000-ton barges on the Ohio. The normally bustling river, supplying the productive industrial and agricultural Ohio Basin, has been choked with ice, halting shipments and forcing factories to shut down, idling workers in several states.

Winter May Lose Grip on Country During Predicted Mid-February Thaw

The January thaw will be a little late this year.

Like late February, Or, acknowledging the apparent potential of winter's bear hug on the nation, maybe early August.

Every town in the country, except up in unseasonably warm Alaska, seems to have discovered it hasn't been this cold since back in the winter of whenever—since before World War II, since the last time oranges froze in Florida snowstorms, or since the fabled winter of '88, the National Geographic Society says.

The winter of '77 won't let go until the middle of February, overmost of the United States, according to Dr. Donald L. Gilman, who is chief of the long-range predictions at the National Weather Service. It will be abnormally cold and

windy at least until then.

All this, including the coldest fall since 1880, is being caused by a huge mass of unusually cold air that has oozed down from Canada and has stayed sitting in place for the last four months. Usually there is a lot more fluctuation in weather patterns.

For the record, a January thaw comes about two winters out of three during these fluctuations when a big, lazy high pressure system drifts across the country between storms.

For a few sunny days, the January thaw permits a crack in the icebox door, giving a glimpse of April as temperatures jump perhaps 30 degrees.

However, around the country it is February that is remembered in frigid fact and fable.

"Winter lingered so long in the lap of Spring that it occasioned a great deal of talk."

"The most serious charge which can be brought against New England is not Puritanism," reckoned writer Joseph Wood Krutch, "but February!"

The Red River Valley of the western border country of Minnesota usually enjoys the coldest winters south of Canada, just above zero.

In nearby North Dakota, a farmer's wife claims, "It gets so cold around here that when you toss out the kitchen dishwater it freezes hard before it hits the backyard."

The Arctic air may slide down the middle of the country, and cowboys say, "When a norther blows, the only thing between the North Pole and Texas is barbed wire."

One chuck wagon tale claims a good norther blows so cold it will freeze a skunk of ice across a pot of boiling campfire coffee.

February in Alaska may have been on the mind of Robert W. Service when he wrote, "Talk of your cold, through the parka's fold it stabbed like a driven nail."

Alaska's Barter Island regularly records February's coldest averages in the United States: nearly 20 below.

This is the time of year when some remember the key necks that once grew on milk bottles left on frigid doorsteps, or when every northern schoolroom steamed with radiators burdened by wet wool mittens.

In February—for Alaskans and others—winter begins to seem endless, with the certainty of a slowly thawing spring still far ahead.

Or, as the 19th-century comic Bill Nye once said, a time when "Winter lingered so long in the lap of Spring that it occasioned a great deal of talk."

Contact IRS About Late W-2 Forms

Taxpayers who have not received a Form W-2, "Wage and Tax Statement," from each of their employers by January 31, 1977, should contact the employers immediately. The Internal Revenue Service said.

Employers are required to supply the forms to all employees from whom they have

withheld Federal income and Social Security taxes. Taxpayers must attach the Forms W-2 to the 1040 or 1040A individual income tax returns that they file, the IRS explained.

If employers have not provided the missing W-2 forms within a reasonable

period of time from the date the taxpayers contacted them, the taxpayers should call their local IRS office for assistance, the IRS said.

Although some of their employers may not have supplied W-2 forms, taxpayers must still file their tax returns on time. Taxpayers who do not have all their W-2 forms should report all of their income and attach a statement explaining how they figured any tax withheld for which they claim credit, but for which they have no Form W-2.

The IRS said. Taxpayers who receive a Form W-2 after they filed their income tax return, and find that their estimates of income and withholding taxes are incorrect, should file a Form 1040X, "Amended U.S. Individual Income Tax Return," with the IRS Service Center where they filed their return. The 1040X should include a copy of the formerly missing Form W-2 plus a check or money order, if any additional tax is due, the IRS added.

Armed Forces News

Edward Spence Selected For Technical Training

Airman Edward C. Spence, whose mother is Mrs. Glenda L. Gilbert of Las Cruces, N.M., has been selected for technical training at Chanute.

AFB, Ill., in the Air Force aircraft maintenance field. The airman recently completed basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex., and studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations.

Airman Spence attended Central Lake (Mich.) High School. His father, James C. Spence, resides at R.R. 3, East Jordan, Mich. B. 9.

George Baldwin Graduates From Special Training Course

Airman George E. Baldwin III, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. George E. Baldwin of 404 Michigan Ave., Charlevoix, Mich., has graduated at Sheppard AFB, Tex., from the U.S. Air Force technical training course for air cargo specialists.

Airman Baldwin, who was trained in special handling and storage of air freight, is

being assigned to Tempelhof Central Airport, Germany, for duty with a unit of the U.S. Air Forces in Europe. Completion of the course enables the airman to receive academic credits through the Community College of the Air Force.

Airman Baldwin is a 1976 graduate of Charlevoix High School. R11



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REGISTRATION NOTICE FOR THE CITY OF CHARLEVOIX FOR SPRING ELECTION

HELD MONDAY, APRIL 4, 1977

To the Qualified Electors of the City of Charlevoix, Michigan:

NOTICE is hereby given that in conformity with "Michigan Election Law," I, the undersigned Clerk, will upon any day except Sunday and a legal Holiday, the day of any regular, special or official primary election, receive for registration the names of any legal voter not already registered who may Apply To Me Personally for such registration. Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the Thirtieth day before any regular, special or official primary election and the day of such election.

Notice is hereby given that I will be at my office Monday, March 7, 1977 last day for registration.

From 8 o'clock A.M. to 8 o'clock P.M. on said day for the purpose of reviewing the Registration and Registering each of the qualified electors as shall properly Apply therefor.

The name of no person but an Actual Resident of the precinct at the time of said registration, and entitled to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

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1977 Charlevoix WINTER CUP Festival

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS:

Friday - Feb. 25, 1977

Ice Sculpture Contest (Charlevoix High School Students)
East Park Judging 4:00 to 5:00 P.M.
Charlevoix High School Basketball Game - Gaylord (Here)
Charlevoix High School Gymnasium 6:30 P.M.

Charlevoix High School Winter Homecoming Dance
K-5 School Gymnasium After Basketball Game

Saturday - Feb. 26, 1977

Cross Country Ski Cup Races
East Park Parking Lot Register 9:00-10:00 A.M.
Races Begin 10:00 A.M.

Mardi-Gras Ski Competition (Boys and Girls under 18)
Mt. McSaubia Ski Hill Following Ski Cup Races

District II Band and Orchestra Festival
Charlevoix High School Gymnasium 8:00 P.M.

Ski Cup Races
Mt. McSaubia Ski Hill All Day
Register 12:00 to 1:00 P.M.
Races Begin 1:00 P.M.

Mardi-Gras Night in Charlevoix
(visit participating Restaurants and Nightclubs)

Sunday - Feb. 27, 1977

Cross Country Olympic Ski Clinic
Charlevoix Municipal Golf Course 1:00 P.M.

Hockey Tournament
Middle School Ice Rink 3:00 P.M.

Charlevoix Lions Club Drawing of Prizes
Middle School Ice Rink 4:00 P.M.

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MEMBERS OF the 1977 Winter Homecoming Court at Charlevoix High School are: (front row from left to right) Amy Potter, Sue Winchester and Kay Currey, (middle row) Dave Tollas, Wally Drenth and Matt Doan, (back row) Brian Williams and Tracey Sell.

Winter Homecoming Slated For This Friday Night

Winter Homecoming activities will highlight the week at Charlevoix High School.

Festivities will open Thursday as the student body selects a king and queen to reign over the weekend's celebration. The coronation of the lucky couple will be a feature of the halftime activities during the Charlevoix-Gaylord basketball game Friday night. It will be the last

game of the regular scheduled season.

Candidates for the second annual Winter Homecoming Queen are: Kay Currey, Sandra Hodge, Teri Hufford, Amy Potter and Sue Winchester.

King candidates are: Matt Doan, Wally Drenth, Tracey Sell, Dave Tollas and Brian Williams.

Following their halftime

coronation, the king and queen will reign over the Winter Homecoming Dance sponsored by the high school at the Charlevoix Elementary School. Charlevoix High School alumni are invited to attend the dance.

The Winter Homecoming King and Queen were nominated by the senior class and will be selected by the entire student body.

Also during the week, freshmen, sophomore, junior and senior classmen may be seen working on snow sculptures in East Park. The snow sculptures will be a part of the Winter Cup Festival activities which are also slated for the coming weekend.

The homecoming activities are sponsored by the Charlevoix High School Student Council.

Middle School Band Draws Good Remarks



THE CHARLEVOIX Middle School Jazz Band received compliments on its performance at a recent festival. Members of the band pictured here are: (front row from left to right) Tim Shupert, Vicki Faling, Sheri Johnston, Kay Russell, Kevin Purvis, Bill Harriman and Ann Biddick. In the back row are: Bruce Phail, Shari Gibbs, Sue Smith, Sheri Cook, Dennis Morgridge, Eric Fiedler, Mike Zedneck, Dave Hockendorf, Geoff Gentle and Todd Edger.

Charlevoix's eighth grade jazz band drew good comments from the judges at the Jazz Festival held at Boyne City recently, the director, Steve Stargardt, has announced.

The consensus of the judges was that the Charlevoix group was one of the most exciting bands in the festival to listen to.

The local 17-piece jazz band was the youngest entered in the festival. The other seven were of high school age. The bands played for comment rather than rating, Stargardt said.

Judges were Dave Sporny and Jerry Ludwig of Interlochen and Tim Anthony of Central Michigan University.

4-H Achievement Day Set for April 23

The Charlevoix County 4-H Council has chosen Saturday, April 23, as the date for the 4-H Spring Achievement Day.

The program, which will take place at the Charlevoix High School Cafeteria, is scheduled to start at 8 a.m. Projects will be open for public viewing from 2:5 p.m.

Dress review will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the gymnasium, after which square dancing will take place in the cafeteria until 10 p.m.

Youngsters 9-18 who have an interest in showing a particular project, should enroll for 4-H immediately, simply by phoning the County Extension Office at 582-6232.

Elementary to Hold Talent Show on Friday

Ever wonder how creative the Charlevoix Elementary School students are? Parents, friends and interested people will have a chance to find out at 2 p.m. Friday when the students present a talent show called "Give Music a Hand."

The program will consist of talent acts by students in the second through fifth grade. The acts, which range from singing and dancing to gymnastics and baton twirling, are original creations of the students.

"It's the first time we've ever tried this and it looks like it's something we're going to do every year," Mrs. LaBlanc said.

COURIER Youth Beat

State Bar Sponsors Law Day Contest

Essays are now being accepted in the fifth annual Michigan Law Day Essay Contest.

Seventh, eighth and ninth grade students in public, private and parochial schools are urged to submit essays on the theme "Partners in Justice." The essays will be judged on content, originality, sincerity of thought, clarity of expression, accuracy of information and ability to follow the directions of the contest, sponsored by the

State Bar of Michigan and the Lawyers Wives of Michigan. The essays must be limited to 300 words or less and must be postmarked no later than midnight, March 15. Prizes of \$100, \$75, \$50 and \$25 in U.S. Savings Bonds will be awarded in each of the grade categories with 12 winners selected from across the state. Entries may be sent to: Fran Ryan 234 Tecumseh River Dr., Lansing, Mich. 48906. The essays must have the student's name, address, phone number, grade, school and teacher's name.

Bourke Named Winner

Edmund J. Bourke has been named the 1977 General Mills Family Leader of Tomorrow for Charlevoix High School.

Bourke won the honor by a written knowledge and attitude exam administered to the high school students here and throughout the country. Bourke will be awarded a certificate from General Mills and will be considered for state and national honors.

The state winners will receive a \$1,500 college scholarship and the second-ranking student will receive a \$500 scholarship. The national winner will receive a \$5,000 college scholarship. Second, third and fourth place winners receive scholarships amounting to \$4,000, \$3,000 and \$2,000.

Charlevoix High To Host Band Festival Saturday

The Charlevoix High School will be host Saturday to the District II Qualifying Festival of the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association. The festival has attracted 16 bands who will play at given intervals throughout the day before four adjudicators: Dr. Harold Wright and Dr. Loren Richtmeyer of Northern Michigan University, Edsal Farnum of Clio and Jack Brewster of Oscoda. Qualifiers will then advance to state competition.

The times of their appearances follow: 8:00 a.m., Petoskey Symphony, Class A; 8:25 a.m., Charlevoix Symphony, Class B; 8:50 a.m., Charlevoix Symphony, Class B; 9:30 a.m., Alanson, D. Alan Cox; 9:55 a.m., Harbor Springs, D. Douglas White; 10:20 a.m., Mackinaw City, D. John Zielinski; 11 a.m., Charlevoix Concert, D. Stutzman; 11:25 a.m., Onaway Junior, D. Karen Pregitzer; 1:00 p.m., Bellaire, D. Terry Isenberger; 1:25 p.m., Central Lake, D. James Schoensee; 1:50, Cheboygan Junior, D. Smith; 2:25 p.m., Elk Rapids, C. Betty Post; 2:50 p.m., East Jordan, D. Thomas Stegall; 3:15 p.m., Boyne City, C. James Hegetto; 3:50 p.m., Petoskey Concert, C. Brian; 4:15 p.m., Onaway High School, C. Pregitzer.

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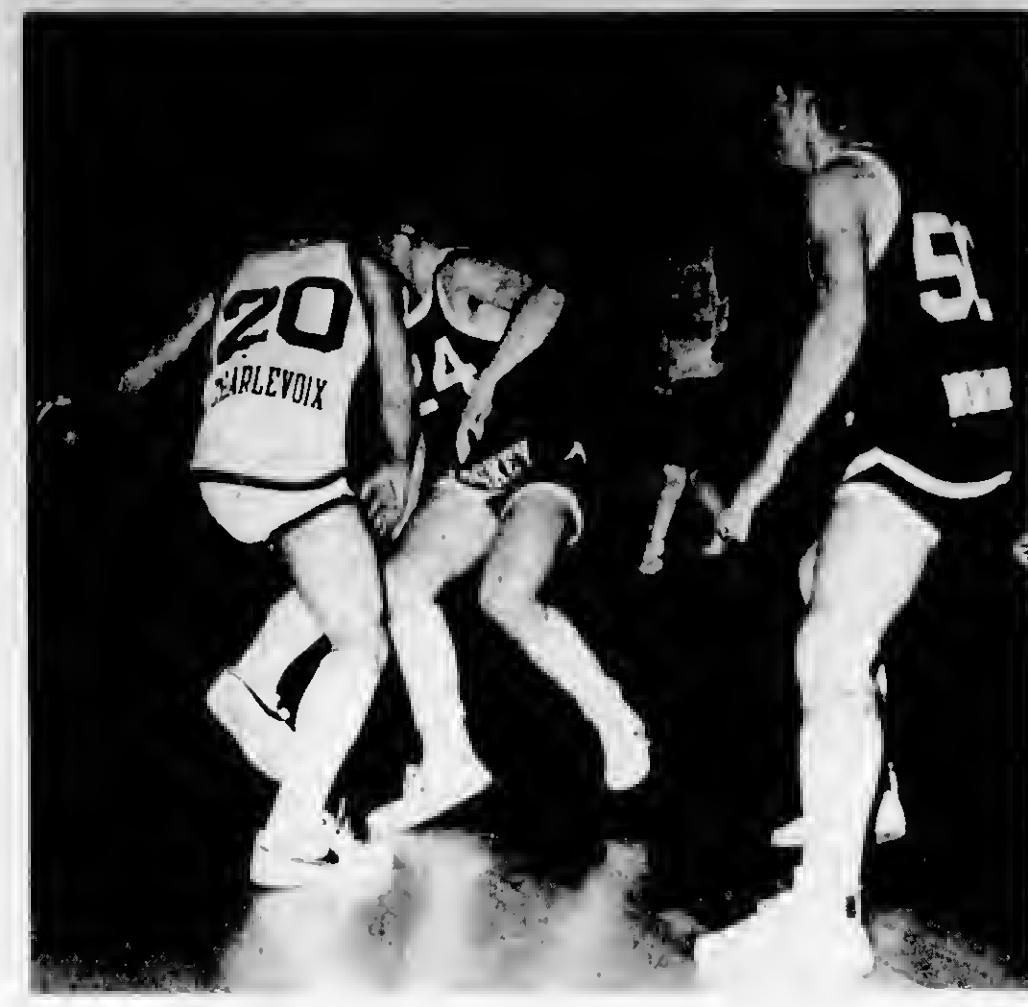
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SCOTT BOSS (20) uses some lacy ball handling to get around Petoskey's Bob Johns (24) as Charlevoix's Pat Schaefer (50) comes to the rescue and Petoskey's Kevin Griffin (50) watches.

Rayders Clinch Conference Title



THE PETOSKEY Northmen did have a slight height advantage over the Rayders Friday night, but that didn't bother Matt Doan (42) who used his jumping ability to get this one into the hoop. Charlevoix defeated Petoskey 66-62.



DAVE TOLLAS (40) had a clear path to the basket for this shot leaving Petoskey's Mike Buday (32) in his dust. Watching the shot are Charlevoix's Scott Boss (20) and Pat Schaefer (50). Charlevoix defeated Petoskey 66-62.



CHARLEVOIX'S BUD KLOOSTER (44) slips between Petoskey's Jeff Vratnina (30) and Waley Coffey (10) to grab the pass.



IT WAS A MAD SCRAMBLE for the ball at this point in the game and Petoskey came out ahead as Jerry Cosens (22) grabs the ball as his teammates Jeff Vratnina (30) and Vern Nickerson (14) and Charlevoix's Neil Dziedzic (30) and Matt Doan (42) watch.



COACH DAVE MOYER gives some advice to team captain Bud Klooster (44) during the Petoskey-Charlevoix game. Charlevoix took the lead early in the game and held on to it to win 66-62.



MATT DOAN (42) dribbles down court at full speed past Petoskey's Spence Damschroder (54) and Tom VanAllen (22). Charlevoix won 66-62.

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Varsity Makes It 15-5, Takes Huron Shores Title

By FRANK MARTIN

The Charlevoix Varsity, under the tutelage of Coach Dave Moyer, captured their first Michigan-Huron Shores Title Friday night after defeating the Petoskey Northmen by a score of 66-62.

The victory, which was in doubt a couple of times in the last five minutes when Petoskey trimmed the Rayders lead to three points, gives the new champions a 12-1 record in league play and a 15-5 overall record with one game remaining. Gaylord will be here Friday in the final game of the season.

"We're really happy" was all Coach Moyer could say after leading the Rayders to their first basketball title since Charlevoix joined the Michigan-Huron Shores conference in 1968.

He went on to say that "The boys deserved to win. It has been fun to work with boys who give so much time and effort to a game."

The game got off to a good start for the Rayders who ran up a 16-7 first period lead. Though they scored only 10 points in the second period, the Rayders were still ahead

26-17 at halftime.

Twenty-two points went in as the second half got underway, had the Rayders with as much as a 16-point lead at various times for a comfortable 48-36 advantage as the third period drew to a close.

In the meantime, Bud Klooster had gotten into foul trouble and with less than three minutes gone in the final period he picked up his fifth foul and went to the bench. Up until this time, he had been scoring from outside in addition to helping control the board and serving as floor manager.

With 2:15 remaining, Petoskey had whittled the Rayders lead to three points but two free throws by Dave Tollas padded the Rayders advantage to five. Another pair of free throws by Tollas put the Rayders ahead 62-55 but the Northmen came back with two quick baskets to cut the lead back to three points when Matt Doan, playing his best game of the season, dropped in two more from the line making the score 64-59 before Petoskey dunked in another two-point shot.

Don had 20 points for the game. Klooster scored 19; Tollas 10; Scott Boss, seven; Pat Schaefer and Brian Williams, four each, and Neil Dziedzic, two. Keith Nickerson had 14 points and Spence Damschroder 10 for the Northmen.

Girls Defeat Petoskey In Volleyball Action

The Charlevoix Girls Volleyball Team defeated a stubborn Petoskey squad in close games played here Wednesday night.

The Charlevoix team won the first two games by scores of 15-5 and 15-6, but were unable to sweep the series as the visitors fought back, throwing the game into air

overtime before emerging the winners by a 15-17 score.

Coach Pat Carland said it was the strong serving on the part of the entire team as well as team cooperation which saved the victory for Charlevoix.

Charlevoix now has a 9-9 record in league play. They will close out the regular

season at Gaylord Wednesday.

The Charlevoix JV's were also successful, winning by scores of 15-3 and 15-3 to bring their record to 9-5.

The playoffs in this sport will begin March 2 with the Class C tournament scheduled to begin at Elk Rapids March 12.

Kadens Team Walks Off With A League Title

By FRANK MARTIN

Kaden's Emporium walked off with the A League title in the Independent Basketball League Thursday night after Willett Roofing upset Township by a score of 70-67 to knock the latter out of a first place tie with the new champions.

In other games, Kaden's squeaked past Credit Union 65-63 and Way Oil won over Swanson's 63-57.

In the Willett Roofing-Townhouse game, the Roofers took an early nine point lead to open the game and never relinquished the advantage as they led the Table-Toppers 20-12 at the quarter; 37-26 at

halftime and 55-50 going into the final period. The win was only the fourth in 15 games for the Roofers of Ellsworth.

Ken Deryn with 18 points, Roger Balbus with 12 and Max Holser with 11 spearheaded the upset. Steve Smith had 14 points and Dennis Dominic and Dan McKenzie 12 points each for Township.

In the Kaden-Credit Union game, the latter poured in 18 points in the final period to 13 for Kaden's to pull within two points, at the final horn after trailing 16-10, 34-28 and 52-45 by quarters. Al Loez came through with 16 points and Jim Sauman and Jeff Belford with

15 points each for Kaden's. Matt Blair had 22, Steve Weir 21 and Dean Ginter 14 for Credit Union.

After trailing 26-24 at halftime, Way Oil outscored Swanson's 20-10 in the third period to go ahead 44-36 at the three-quarter mark before coasting to a 63-56 victory. Roger Crain had 17 and Mike Bode 14 for Way Oil. Bruce Meggison with 23 and Randy DeYoung 18 for Swanson.

Final Standings
Division I
Tri-City Asphalt 12 1
Freedman Artcraft 9 3
Klooster John Deere 4 8
Medusa 3 9
Hay Shore Steel 1 11
Division II
LaBlance Insurance 10 3
County State Bank 9 4
Wojan Aluminum 7 6
Hoskins 5 8
Manufacturing 3 10
AIRay Cottages 3 10

Mixed League Volleyball Tourney
Opens Play This Wednesday

The single elimination volleyball tournament for the Mixed League of the Charlevoix Volleyball League will open Wednesday with the Dodgers and the Turkeys meeting in the opening game at 7 p.m. followed by a game between Lucky 8 and North-west Slugs at 8 p.m. In the upper bracket, our Gang and Factory Town will clash in the first game in the lower

bracket at 9 p.m. Wednesday. Play will continue Thursday with the Set-ups and the Streakers of the lower bracket meeting at 7 p.m.; TT Fogal and the winner of the Our Gang-Factory Town game at 8 p.m.; also in the lower bracket, LaBlance will take on the winner of the Dodgers-Turkeys in the nighttime at 9 p.m. in the upper bracket. On the following Wednesday, March 2, Hightous will meet the winner of the Lucky 8-Northwest Slugs game at 7 p.m. in the upper bracket with the finals in the lower bracket scheduled for 8 p.m. the same night.

The finals in the upper bracket will be played at 7 p.m. Thursday March 3 with the winners in the two brackets meeting at 7 p.m. March 9 for the title.

Courier Sports

JV Rayders Lose To Petoskey Team

The Charlevoix JV's, with only one more game to play this season, lost to the young Petoskey Northmen Friday night by a score of 54-56.

In winning the game, the Petoskey JV's went to the free line period for the 10-point spread at the final horn.

Pat Schmidt had 12 points for Charlevoix; Doug Buday 11; Kevin Kratt, nine; Bob Plumm, six; Gilbert Norret, five; Barney Way, two, and Todd Williams, one.

Jim Cosens had 25 and Joe Bourie 10 for Petoskey.

Seventh Grade Wins, Eighth Loses Last Week

Charlevoix's seventh grade teams won a pair of games over the Petoskey teams Thursday night while the eighth grade teams, playing at Petoskey, dropped both their games.

Charlevoix's seventh grade A team took their game by a score of 42-39 after leading 27-20 at halftime. Jim Buchanan had 14 and Mark Morgan eight points for Charlevoix. Al Southwood had 13 for Petoskey.

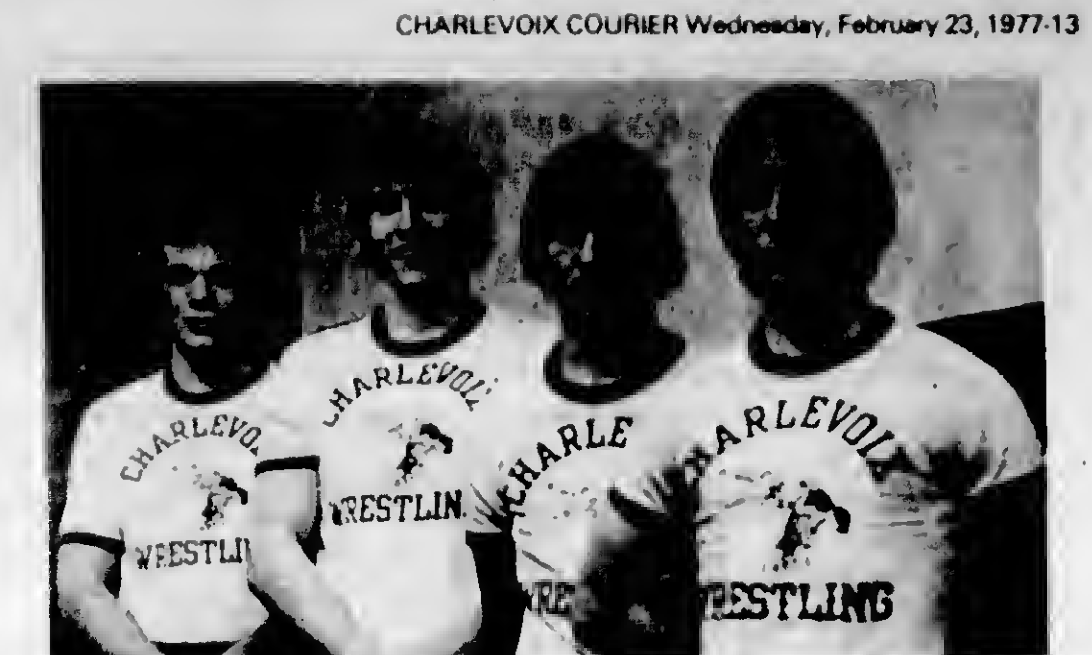
The B team jumped to a 22-5 halftime lead before defeating

the Petoskey B team 30-22. Jeff Mogridge had eight points for the victors. Daryl Hamlin had nine for Petoskey.

In the second game, Petoskey came through with a 34-22 win for the B squad.

Both the Charlevoix Seventh and Eighth grades teams will participate in a Junior High tourney at Chelwygan this week.

The tourney will be a 22-5 halftime lead before defeating



THE SENIORS on the Charlevoix Wrestling team were honored during the last home meet. Pictured here are: Gregg Chappuis, Gary Probert, Don Trost and Jeff Skelton.

Wrestlers Close Out Season With Victory

By FRANK MARTIN

The Charlevoix Rayder wrestling team closed out its regular 1976-77 schedule Tuesday night with a 64-10 victory over Rudyard.

Tuesday's win gave the team a 9 win-2 loss record for the season. Coach Norm Probert said. The team also had three cancelled meets because of weather which would have given the squad a better average Probert added.

In winning over Rudyard, Charlevoix posted seven pins, three decisions and one forfeit.

The results of the meet follow:

96 pounds: Dave Golovich won by forfeit.

105: Lee DeWittell lost by a pin in 1:39 to John Mayer.

112: Ron Hilton won by a pin over Jerry Torak in 3:47.

119: Jeff Skelton won by a pin in 1:33 over Vic Whaley.

126: Don Trost won by a 5-3 decision over Reth Williams.

132: Mike Kiteley won by a 6-2 decision over Mike Crawford.

139: Craig Golovich won by a pin in 2:30 over Marc Shepperson.

155: Andre Keller won by a pin in 1:56 over Joe Cyr.

165: Gary Probert won by a pin in 2:51 over Bill Holland.

178: Gregg Chappuis pinned Jim Lymbaugh in 5:46.

191: Dennis Whitley pinned Jim Ewing in 3:34.

Hyatt: Jerry Sladek lost by a 10-0 decision to Ross Burry.

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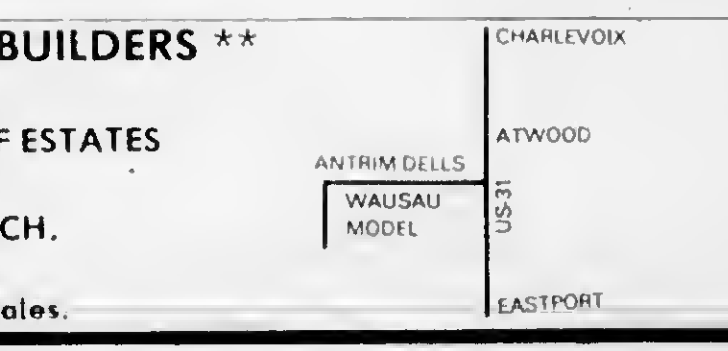
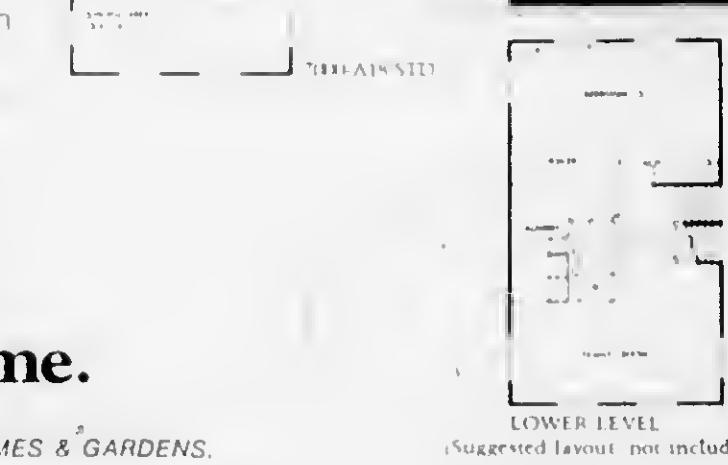
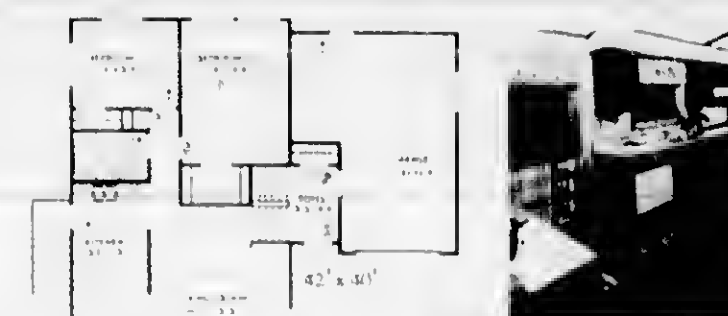
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Four Wrestlers Qualify for State Competition Feb. 25

By FRANK MARTIN

Four Charlevoix Rayder wrestlers qualified for state competition at the regional finals held at Lakeview on Saturday their coach, Norm Probert has announced.

They are: Gary Probert (165) who set a new school record of 29 wins; Ron Hillon (112); Craig Golovich (138) and Dennis Whitely (191).

In qualifying, Probert had run his victory string to 29-0 before being dethroned 8-3 by John Kehl of Lakeview in the 165 pound final. Juniors Ron Hillon placed third with a win over Casey Gordon of Shelby by a 2-1 decision and Craig Golovich placed fourth after losing to Fred Gottschalk of Shelby by an 11-10 decision.

Whitley, a sophomore, also placed fourth after losing to Rick Voss of Whittemore-Preseott.

A wrestler must win a minimum of two matches to qualify for further competition, Probert said.

Other area wrestlers who will advance to the state meet at Middleville south of Grand Rapids on Friday are Burt Partello, Bill Kellug and Grant Byce, Grayling; Pat Lamb and John Belmore, Rogers City; Byron Nolde and Fred Dempsey, Onaway, and Jim Veluquette, Elk Rapids.

Coach Probert had high praise for the four other matmen who lost their bid for berths on the state squad.



Craig Golovich



Gary Probert



Dennis Whitely



Ron Hillon

Men's Volleyball To Hold Meet

The Charlevoix Men's Volleyball League will open its double elimination tournament at the K-5 gym Tuesday.

The team will meet Bartlett Decorator Center in the opener at 7 p.m. Tuesday with Out in Town clashing with Irish Boat Shop at 8 p.m.

Car Care Crushers, the league champions, will play the winner of the Team Bartlett game at 7 p.m. the following Tuesday, March 1; the Spikers will take on the winners of the second game, Out in Town-Irish Boat Shop, game at 8 p.m. with the losers

of games 1 and 2 meeting in the first game of the loser's bracket at 9 p.m.

The tournament will continue on March 3 with games in the loser's bracket scheduled for 7 and 9 p.m. and the finals in the winner's bracket set for 8 p.m.

The last game in the loser's bracket will be played at 7 p.m. March 15 and the finals in the tournament between the finalists in both the winner's and loser's bracket to be played at 8 p.m. March 15. If an eleven game tie is necessary, it will be played at 8 p.m. Monday, March 21.

Bowling Tourney Slated for March 5-14

The Charlevoix Bowling Association's City Tournament will be held at Paul Hurvan Lanes in Charlevoix, March 5-14.

Bowlers interested in participating are asked to get

entries in by February 12th, 1977. No entries will be accepted after that date.

For more information call James Hansen, Association Secretary, at 442-6862.



HAMMING IT UP for the WVOY's Guys Panthers are: (front row) Tim Moore, Rick Duison and Bob White, (middle row) Terry Edger, John Carlisle, and Bill Vogel, (back row) John Fische, Brian Maurer and John Yaroch.

WVOY's Guys Panthers A Hit on Basketball Courts

A very unlikely looking basketball team has joined the faculty-sports boosters league in Northern Michigan.

And even with their unblemished record of 6-3 (at the time of this interview), the WVOY's Guys Panthers have dribbled their way into high demand for special fund-raising games at area high schools.

Composed of Tim "Meadowlark" Moore, "Dr. J" Yaroch, "Tyronne" Duison, "Hammer" White, "Curly" Carlisle, "Flash" Edger, "Booker" Maurer and "Captain" Bill Vogel, the team has helped raise more than \$500 for special school projects throughout a four-county area.

"We also bring in several other 'ringers' from the surrounding area to help us with certain key games," Willie explained.

"We are looking for a new staff member here at the station, too," he continued. "The qualifications we're looking for include: he must be 6 foot 8 inches, and at least an All American at a major college."

Although the WVOY team didn't really get under way until fairly late in the basketball season, the response has been tremendous. Yaroch, organizer of the team, said,

"Right now our biggest drive is to survive our schedule," he said looking over the three games scheduled for this week.

"We take each game one at a time," he continued. "And we've been up against some of the most physical fit, well-rounded teams you've probably ever seen."

Yaroch said the radio station has been looking for a way to provide a community service and a way to gain more recognition for the station and had come up with the basketball team idea.

"Really there was no way that the schools could draw large enough crowds to make the type of money we've made at some of the games," he pointed out. "The area needed to have something like this."

The radio announcer said that the team doesn't charge for the games, not even for traveling expenses.

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The tragic part of the story is that she moved into the apartments because she believed, mistakenly at first, the complex was low income housing and that the rents would not be increased until her income was.

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Senior Citizens Still Fighting Rent Hike

By PAULA HOLMES

"I've worked all my life and I never thought I'd end up like this with no place to go," the elderly woman said.

"This whole thing worries me because I've never been out of any place," she continued. "Now, I don't know what's to become of me."

The woman, who asked that her name remain anonymous, is a resident of the Charlevoix Apartments on May Street.

She, along with the 40 other residents in the apartment complex, is facing a 25 percent increase in her rent. Unfortunately, the woman's social security check is not increasing 25 percent.

So she will become one of at least 20 of the residents who will be forced to look for housing somewhere else or

who will have to give up funds for food and clothing in order to pay the rent. Three tenants have already moved out of the complex.

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problem has been bounced from one governmental unit to the next, often as a basketball during tournament time and now the rent is due.

County Prosecuting Attorney Roy Hayes has completed his investigation of the situation and blames its occurrence on "tax and ineffective measures on the part of the federal government to insure that the money loaned for elderly or low income housing is actually expended for the elderly and those of low income."

Hayes turned the matter over to the Charlevoix Common Council to have the city look into whether or not there were misrepresentations made at the time of the approval of this project for zoning and occupancy by city officials. Mayor Edward Hansen said he would take up the matter.

James Storey, assistant to U.S. Rep. Philip Ruppe, said the Congressman's office has not yet received a letter from the senior citizens describing the details of the situation, but that the office would look into the matter as soon as it received the details.

Storey said that if the money loaned to Developer Frank Vaydick for the construction of the apartment complex came through the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), Rep. Ruppe might be able to do something. However, if the money came through Farmers Home Administration (FHA), which Vaydick has said it did, then the state

legislators would have to investigate the problem.

In the meantime, interested citizens have not given up the battle.

"I'm determined to pursue this until I find some answers, even if I have to go straight to Washington, D.C.," Shirley Roloff, volunteer advisor to many of the senior citizen tenants of the apartment complex, said. "I will not give up working against this 25 percent rent increase."

"I just can't believe that we can sit back and watch things like this happen to our elderly people and not try to help them in some way," she said.

"There's nothing out there of these tenants and already some of them are paying the rent increase."

"This problem is not only affecting them financially, but it's also affecting their health," she said.

Mrs. Roloff urged any senior citizen living in the complex who are earning under \$4,000 a year to get in touch with her.



WINTER HOMECOMING KING Tracey Sell bestows a kiss on Queen Teri Hufford during halftime ceremonies at the Charlevoix Gaylor basketball game Friday. The winter homecoming was a part of a weekend of Winter Cup Festivities. For more pictures dealing with the weekend, turn to the back page.

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They've Filed Suit, Too

Cadillac PBB Case Interests Two Charlevoix Families

By PAULA HOLMES

When the state's first PBB-related trial opened Tuesday in Cadillac, two very interested Charlevoix County residents were in the audience.

Marty Jb Warner of Charlevoix, and Donna Hart of East Jordan, travelled to the Wexford County Courthouse to observe the proceedings of the civil suit filed by Roy and Marilyn Tacoma of Falmouth, against Michigan Farm Bureau Services, Michigan Chemical Co., and several other associated companies.

Both Mrs. Hart and her husband, LaVern, and Mrs. Warner, her husband, Doug, and mother-in-law, Grace Warner, have filed suit against the same companies with the Charlevoix County Circuit Court for damages caused to their livestock and themselves by PBB.

The Harts are represented by the same Grand Rapids law firm as the Tacomas, Law, Weathers, Richardson and Dutcher. Although no damages have been set in the Tacoma case, it is expected that the request will exceed \$1 million for the loss of up to 200 head of Holstein dairy cows due to feed contamination caused when PBB, a toxic fire retardant chemical, was accidentally mixed with livestock feed in 1973.

The Warners are seeking damages in excess of \$25 million for the loss of their 200-head herd and for the severe health problems they have encountered since being exposed to PBB. No trial date has yet been set in the Warner case. The family is represented by a Hancock law firm.

In addition to Farm Bureau and Michigan Chemical Co., the Warner suit also names the Charlevoix Co-op, ELLsworth Farmers Exchange, Michigan Salt Co., Northwest Industries, Inc., Vestical Chemical, Inc., and Vestical Chemical Corporation.

The Warners were one of the first families in the state to have PBB found in their blood during Michigan Department of Health testing. Since then they have participated in several other tests to determine the affect of PBB on human beings.

The far-reaching controversy over PBB was started when the chemical, also known as Firemaster, was accidentally mixed with livestock feed in 1973.

The chemical, manufactured by Michigan Chemical Co., was apparently mistakenly sold to the Farm Bureau instead of Nutrimaster, a feed additive. Farm Bureau then mixed the toxic chemical with feed and distributed it to farmers throughout the state.

Approximately 550 farms have been quarantined since then with thousands of cows, chickens, hogs and sheep either dying or killed because of the contamination.

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Vincent Chew, Middle School Principal

No New Teachers Hired
Charlevoix School District officials called to inform the Courier that it has not hired any new employees since the millage was passed as was stated in last week's Hotline. The officials pointed out that the school board has appointed coaches for track teams, but it has not hired any additional staff. The coaching positions were included in this year's budget.

P.S.
Bill Vogel betcha' never thought you'd make the front page!

WEATHER
The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant:

Date	High	Low	Snowfall
Feb. 22	37	24	0 inches
Feb. 23	23	13	0 inches
Feb. 24	43	15	3 inches
Feb. 25	30	22	1 inch
Feb. 26	30	22	0 inches
Feb. 27	26	15	0 inches
Feb. 28	25	5	3 inches

There have been 121.4 inches of snow so far this year, with 22.3 inches falling during February.

STATE OFFICIAL SAYS NO CONNECTION BETWEEN PBB, HEALTH

By PAULA HOLMES
There is no scientific evidence that PBB (polybrominated biphenyl) has caused disease in humans, according to a disease control officer of the Michigan Department of Health.

"We have no discrete, scientific evidence of harm to humans as a result of PBB," Dr. John L. Isbister, of the state health department, told more than 30 people attending the Twin Valley Community Schools Community Forum Monday night.

Isbister said PBB has been found to be a weak cancer-inducing chemical in animals, but he quickly pointed out that animals differ from human beings in the way their bodies process chemicals. He also pointed out that PBB (polychlorinated biphenyl) is also a cancer-causing chemical in animals, but it has not caused any harm in humans. PBB and PBB are closely related chemicals.

"Since PBB is fat soluble, we know that it will be stored in the body for many years and we're not saying that harm won't be caused by the chemical," Isbister continued. "We're proposing to start a

long range study to find out what does happen."

The health official said the state is embarking on a study which will involve three groups of people. The state hopes to enroll 2,000 people from quarantined farms, who ate their own meat and dairy products in one group, 2,000 people from farms that were not quarantined and who did not eat their own meat and dairy products, but who did eat meat from other farms in another group, and 2,000 people who have no experience with PBB in a third group.

John Isbister

Neil Dziedzic (31) says it all as he drops one through the hoop during the Rayders 92-46 routing of East Jordan during the first leg of the district tournaments Monday night.

Coach Dave Moyer emptied his bench before the game was

over and 10 of his 14 players scored after the Rayders caught fire in the second period.

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Community Calendar

Frank Martin
547-4433

Tuesday, March 1
Charlevoix Historical Society will meet at the Community Room, First State Bank, 8 p.m. Edward Beutner, retired geologist, will speak on the role of minerals in Michigan history.

Save Those Tonsils

The Creator has blessed each individual with a set of tiny but powerful organs, tonsils. Nature has provided this wonderful protective ring around the throat so that undesirable organisms are forced to cope with the resistance of this strong, lymphatic tissue. Occasionally tonsils are so overworked from lowered resistance they become swollen, filled with depressions and emit a foul odor.



Dr. Ricks

The wise parent readily understands that if the tonsils are sick there must be some reason for this condition. They would not consider having them removed unless everything had been done. If a child had an infected finger, would a parent cut it off at the slightest provocation, or would he try desperately to save it at all possible costs? The body does not grow a new finger, it does repair inflamed, overworked tonsils, once the cause of the trouble is removed.

According to the book The Medical Runaround by Dr. Andrew Malleon, children

Dr. Jeffrey Ricks
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Wednesday, March 2
Norwood United Methodist Women will meet with Mrs. Albert Smith 7:30 p.m.
Little Flower Guild will meet with Mrs. Eugene Dziedzic, Eaton ave. 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Soaring Club will meet at Tach Room, Airport hangar, 8 p.m.

Women's Fellowship at First Congregational Church will meet at Fellowship Hall 7:30 p.m. for a workshop. Hostesses: Mrs. Eugene Bergmann and Mrs. Russell Lewis. Program: Kay Curry, Experiences as an exchange student.

Coast Guard Wives will meet with Mrs. James V. O'Neill, North Point, 8 p.m.
TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towley, Loeb Rd. 6 p.m.
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"Over the Counter Drugs" will be the title of the program being offered at the Senior Citizens Center in East Jordan at 1:15 p.m. Ma. Worthington and Mrs. Maureen Fochtman of Petoskey will present the program. All senior citizens are invited.

Thursday, March 3
Charlevoix County Planning Commission will meet at the county building annex at 7:30 p.m.
Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Services Board will meet at 8 p.m. at the administrator's office at 325 E. Lake st., Petoskey.

Northern Michigan REACT No. 3433 will meet at the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department 7:30 p.m.
Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club pancake supper at clubhouse 6:30 p.m. followed by business meeting 8 p.m.

Potoskey Birth Control Clinic, 7:30 p.m. 311 Waukazoo, Petoskey.
V.F.W. Auxiliary will meet at post home 8 p.m.

Center, 206-207 Bridge st., Charlevoix. Members are asked to bring a dish to pass. All C.A.R.I. members are urged to attend this important meeting.

Tuesday, March 3
Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will meet at Grey Gables Inn, 8 p.m.
Hebech Lodge will meet at the American Legion Post Home 8 p.m.

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Class C regional basketball tournament at Roscommon this week.

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Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at the county building annex 9:30 a.m.
Charlevoix Chapter of the Michigan Association for the Blind will meet at the Community Room, First State Bank, 8 p.m. Hostesses: Mrs. Dale McCandless and Mrs. Walter Hufford. Program: Lions Club film, "Michigan Eye Bank," 8 p.m.

Pearl Divers will meet at Community Church of God 3:45 p.m.
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This Winter's Been Busy for Cutter Sundew

By PAULA HOLMES
The U.S. Coast Guard Sundew has been a rare sight around these parts this winter.



WIND ROWED ICE has many passage difficult through the Great Lakes this season. Here a ship can be seen in the distance plugging through the ice (Photo by Paul Bennett)

The harsh weather has made it one of the busiest winters for the ice breaker in recent memory.

But it has been an interesting as well as a busy winter for the 40 enlisted men and seven officers aboard the ship, according to Lt. Cmdr. James V. O'Neill.

"There's always something going on," O'Neill explained. "Even when we get sent out to do one thing we never know where we will end up or how long we will be gone."

Mostly the Sundew has been and will be involved in ice breaking activities while escorting the oil tanker Amoco Wisconsin and her sister ships into Traverse City and Escanaba. But the Sundew has done more than just break ice.

"There was one day in January where we did every operation for which the Sundew was built," Cmdr. O'Neill recalled.

The Sundew is involved with anything that aids navigation on the Great Lakes. These operations include: fueling and repairing lighthouses, setting buoys, search and

rescue and ice breaking.

On this particular day in January the cutter was out refueling a lighthouse when it got a call that a tugboat was disabled in Lake Huron. So off went the ship to the rescue.

As the Sundew was pulling the tug to safety, the crew members spotted the blinking light of a list buoy. So after dropping the tug off, the ship returned to pick up the buoy, which was more than 35 miles from its original location. The buoy had been moved by the force of the ice, O'Neill explained.

Following the pick up of the buoy, the Sundew was sent to break ice for a Canadian carrier that was stuck in the St. Mary's river for its last operation of the day.

Following that busy day, the cutter went back to simple ice breaking, which is no slick operation. The Sundew, which is basically a buoy tender with a reinforced hull and additional horsepower to give it ice breaking capabilities, has

found it a struggle to navigate the Great Lakes this winter.

"Normally the run from here to the mouth of Grand Traverse Bay takes about one hour," O'Neill explained.

"During the last few trips it has been taking us about two days."

Except for 10 miles on the western shore of Lake Michigan, the body of water is completely frozen, O'Neill said. The ice is about 4 to 5 inches thick in the middle of the lake and 18 to 24 inches thick in the field ice with about a foot of snow on top of that.

"We have seen some wind-drowned ice that was piled about 10 feet above the surface and was probably frozen 5 to 6 feet below the surface," O'Neill said.

"We try to avoid going through that type of ice," he joked.

The Sundew breaks ice by riding up on top of it. Then the weight of the ship breaks through the ice. However this method doesn't always work. Especially this winter.

"We carry 12,500 pounds of cement on our buoy deck," O'Neill said. "If we get stuck we lift the concrete with a boom and swing it back and forth. It usually takes three or four times before the ship is freed."

"If we get really hung up, then we will transfer fuel," he continued. "Both methods rock the ship and loosen it up."

The type of ice not only determines how the Sundew will break through it, but also how it will assist a stranded ship. If the ship needs to go through field ice, the cutter will break a track and have the ship follow through.

"If there is any wind-drowned ice, it's too much pressure on the hull of the carriers, which are older than the Sundew's, to follow us through a track so we usually break a second track and then have the ship go through," O'Neill explained.

"It's a very slow procedure," O'Neill explained. "The only time it goes fast is when we are in flat ice fields."

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School Evens Score, Honors Feindt

By FRANK MARTIN
In recognition of 15 years of dedicated service as score

keeper for the Charlevoix High School, Larry Feindt was honored at a brief ceremony during the Charlevoix-Gaylord game Friday night.



DALE BURGE, Charlevoix athletic director, honors Larry Feindt for his many years of service as a scorekeeper. Standing in the center is Mary Feindt, Larry's wife.

In presenting him with a plaque, a duplicate of which will be expressed the appreciation of the high school and the athletic department.

The plaque read "Presented to Larry Feindt for his years of service, support and interest in Charlevoix High School athletics."

Mrs. Feindt was presented with a corsage.

After the presentation, Feindt said it was ironic that he should receive the plaque at a Charlevoix-Gaylord game because it was at such a game at Gaylord in 1962 that he first was asked to keep score for the first time. He recalled that Terry Rice, JV coach at the time, spotted him keeping score for the Charlevoix Courier, a service he had done for the newspaper for several years, and asked him to fill in for the regular score keeper who was not at the game.

Thus began a one-time service that developed into what might be considered a career of sorts. During the next 15 years he has traveled thousands of miles to schools of Hooper opponents during the regular season and to tournament sites.

At an average of 20 games per season, he probably attended a minimum of 300 games plus many tournament games. Only during the last couple years did he travel by team bus on long trips. Until then he had driven his own car.

Snow Days Keep Piling Up, Worst Month Yet to Come

By PAULA HOLMES
This year's harsh winter weather has taken its toll on more than just the street crews and the gas bill. It has affected the school system, too.

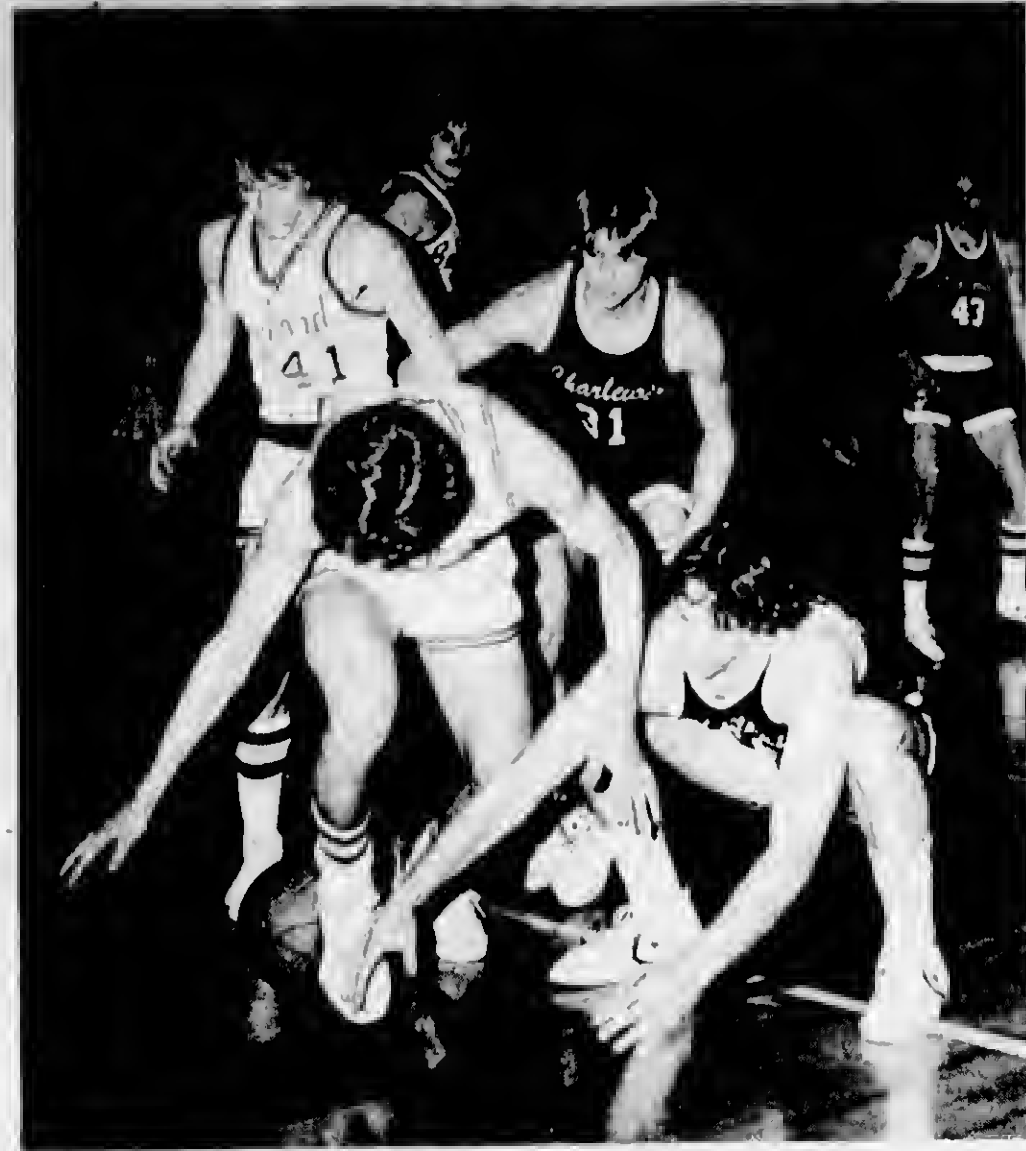
Strong winds and heavy snowfalls have caused the county's four school districts to close their doors for more than an entire school week so far this year. Many districts have had as many snow days already this year as they had during all of last winter. And it doesn't look like the end is in sight.

"Even as this story was being written, the weather changed again and added another one or two snow days, depending on the school district, to this season's tally."

"We've had six snow days so far this year and we had six days in total last year," James McKim, superintendent of the Charlevoix Public Schools, said. "Unless we get Florida sunshine next week, I'd say we have a good chance of surpassing that mark this year."

"We have off of March to go through yet

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KIP CINNAMON (55) reaches for the ball by a Gaylord player's foot as Neil Dziedzic (31) comes into help along with Gaylord's Gary Galbraith (41).

MATT DOAN (43) was up in the air to tip one in following a missed shot by his teammate. Kip Cinnamon (55) was in to help.



NEIL DZIEDZIC (31) leaps in the air to get past this pass over the three-man Gaylord defensive line. The Rayders defeated Gaylord 64-60 in a hard fought battle.

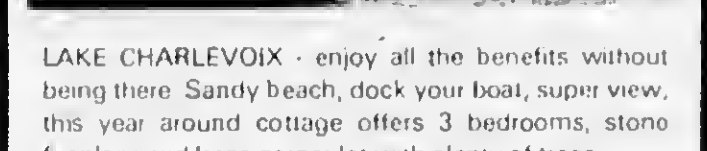
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Winter Cup Festival--Something for All

By FRANK MARTIN

Despite threats from the weatherman on Thursday, temperatures dropped below freezing and new snow fell making a perfect setting for the Winter Cup Festival sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce and the Charlevoix Lions Club.

All the events were well planned and went off without a hitch. Jacquie Merta, executive director of the Chamber said.

The first outdoor events were the cross country ski races which attracted 35 entries, the majority of them from downstate. Mike McManus of Bloomfield Hills claimed first place in the 25 kilometer race over a course laid out at Bell's Bay; Mark Gustafson of Grand Rapids

took first place in the 10 kilometer race and Matthew Ready of Charlevoix, the one kilometer event. Cups were awarded to the top winners.

In the downhill races sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, Jodi Alker won top honors in the giant slalom followed by Lisa Weiner, second, and Hope Malpeli, third. Rob Steb took first places in the boys' event with Tom Left coming in second and Greg Krueger third.

The Mardi Gras races for youngsters in various age groups sponsored by the Grey Gables attracted 70 entries the results of which follow: Eight years and under: boys: 1. Wes Cumberland; 2. Karl Erber; 3. Patrick Lallance; girls: 1. Susan Miller; 2. Nonie Pace. 9-11 years: boys: 1. Peter Cockfield; 2. Tom Egler; 3.

Sam Supernaw, Jr.; girls: 1. Kim Snitzik; 2. Kathy Lignell; 3. Jackie Erber.

12-14 years: boys: 1. Dennis Morridge; 2. Bill Pels; 3. Scott Morgan; girls: 1. Hope Malpeli; 2. Karen Snitzik; 3. Sandy Miller.

15-17 years: boys: 1. Craig Krueger; 2. Mark Lignell; 3. Pat Stangies; girls: 1. Jodi Alker; 2. Lisa Weiner; 3. Corinne Ronger.

As part of the festivities, Tracy Sell and Terri Hufford were named Winter Homecoming King and Queen by the student body of the Charlevoix High School. Their coronation was a feature of the halftime events at the Charlevoix-Caydon basketball game which Charlevoix won by a score of 64-60.

A hockey game between Charlevoix and St. Ignace skaters of the Little Traverse Hockey League, concluded the activities for the weekend. Snow sculptures in East Park, for which the Chamber of Commerce offered \$100 in

prizes, were won by the senior class at the Charlevoix High School with their golden lion; Winnie the Pooh made by the sophomore class took second place and Mickey Mouse by the freshman class, third place. Judges were Susie Reis, Gene Steele, president of the Chamber, and George Duke representing the Lions Club.

King and Queen Rex, Jim and Paula Thomas, held forth at the Grey Gables Inn. This couple met when both were students at Cornell University 16 years ago. King Rex now has his own firm, Thomas Realty. His Queen is a teacher with majors in English and speech. They have two children, Mike and Lara.

During the evening, they judged the costumes worn by the guests at the two clubs and dance contests.

winning the top prize, a color television set.

Reigning as King and Queen Neptune at the Weathervane during Mardi Gras were Dick and Cheryl Georgi. King Neptune is widely known in the real estate business as an officer of Ski and Shore Realtors. Queen Cheryl, an interior decorator, has her own shop here.

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HOCKEY GAMES HIGHLIGHTED Winter Cup Festival activities, Sunday afternoon. Here the St. Ignace goalie goes after the puck following a trip by the Charlevoix player.

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THE SOPHOMORE CLASS snow sculpture "Winnie the Pooh" took second place in the contest. Here two sophomore class members put the finishing touches on the legendary bear.



TERI HUFFORD (center) smiles with surprise as it is announced that she is the 1977 Winter Homecoming Queen. Other members of the court include: (from left to right) Amy Potter, Matt Doan, Kay Currey, Dave Tallas, Sandra Hodge, Brian Williams, Miss Hufford, Wally Orenth, Sue Winchester and Tracey Sell, Homecoming King.



SIX-YEAR-OLD Matthew Ready shows the cross country ski form that made him the winner.

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Pearls of Australian origin are found in shells of large size, often as much as 15 inches across. The pearls taken from these shells are often large, up to 18 and 20 millimeters in diameter. The color is generally silvery white or light grey. Japanese pearl culturists, from time to time engage in growing pearls from the waters off the northern coast of the Lord Howe Island. Pearls of Burma origin are cultured pearls grown in the waters off the coast of western Burma. Some of these pearls in the 15 to 20 millimeter size are the most beautiful of any ever produced. It is not unusual for these pearls to have very tiny cores. In recent years, fifteen occasionally stricken Burma pearl necklaces. The retail price \$110,000 a strand for more popular price and styled pearl necklaces, see Reusch Jewelry.

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PARTRIDGE & ASSOCIATES

COUNCIL MINUTES FEBRUARY 21, 1977 8:00 p.m.

The Common Council of the City of Charlevoix met on the above date and time with Mayor Hansen presiding. Aldermen present: Wallace, Morris, Plumm, Wood, and Whitley. Absent: Alderman Erber.

Enter Alderman Erber.

A Public Hearing was held on the Greater Charlevoix Sewer Facilities Plan - Step 1 Study Grant. Ben Cunningham and Wayne Bos, representing Shadko and Associates, appeared before the Council to present the Sewer Plan for the City of Charlevoix and surrounding township. They answered questions from Council members and the General Public present regarding the proposed plan and the estimated cost of the project.

The Minutes of the February 7, 1977 regular meeting were approved as presented in writing and as recorded in the Council Minutes Book.

John Campbell appeared before the Council to request their decision regarding the purchase of 200 trees as recommended by the Shade Tree Commission. The matter was referred to the Committee of the Whole, scheduled to meet on February 28, 1977, for their study and recommendation.

Attorney, Michael Gibbons, representing the Grey Gables Inn, appeared before the Council to request their decision in regard to the application for an Entertainment Permit submitted by the Grey Gables. Mr. Gibbons presented a letter from the State Liquor Control Commission stating they had no objection to the permit pending the recommendation of the Council. Members of the General Public present made their presentations for and against the proposed permit. Alderman Erber, Chairman of the Ecology, Development, and Land Use Committee, stated her Committee recommended the permit not be allowed due to lack of parking facilities in the area, and advised the General Public that several letters had been received from property owners in the neighborhood of the Grey Gables objecting to the proposed permit.

Moved by Alderman Erber and supported by Alderman Morris that the Entertainment Permit requested by Dave Phillips, owner of the Grey Gables Inn, not be recommended. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote: Yeas: Aldermen Morris, Plumm, Whitley, and Erber. Nays: Aldermen Wallace and Wood. Absent: None.

The following Resolution was offered and moved for its adoption by Alderman Wood, supported by Alderman Wallace.

RESOLUTION 77-23

WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City of Charlevoix that the mileage allowance for use of personal cars on City business by City Employees and City Officials be established at fifteen cents (.15) per mile effective March 1, 1977.

Resolution was adopted by the following yea and nay vote: Yeas: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Nays: None. Absent: None.

The following Resolution was offered and moved for its adoption by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Wallace.

RESOLUTION 77-24

WHEREAS, it being in the best interest of the City of Charlevoix, the Common Council has provided for the distribution of No. 7 Entitlement Period, General Revenue Sharing Monies amounting to \$43,200.00 as follows:

Public Safety 11,300.00
Public Transportation 14,000.00
Recreation 1,900.00
Financial Administration 17,000.00
Total 45,200.00

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the Common Council of the City of Charlevoix authorizes the Actual Use Report, consisting of said amounts, to be submitted to the Office of Revenue Sharing, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that a copy of the Actual Use Report be released to a local newspaper of general circulation.

Resolution was adopted by the following yea and nay vote: Yeas: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Motion was offered by Alderman Wallace and supported by Alderman Wood to accept the Site Plan presented to the Site Plan Review Board by John C. Malpeli, Jr. for remodeling of a building on Round Lake off Belvedere Ave. into a two family dwelling provided no additional construction takes place on the property. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote: Yeas: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Nays: None. Absent: None.

The finance Committee having examined bills totaling \$194,987.92 find them correct and recommend the bills be allowed. Moved by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Wood that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for their amounts. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote: Yeas: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Council adjourned.

Judy D. Przybylski, City Clerk

School Board Amends Contract

By FRANK MARTIN

The Charlevoix Board of Education, at its meeting Monday night, voted to amend its contract with the firm of Manson Jackson and Kane of Lansing to extend and include the renovations of the Middle School made possible by the approval of the 1.0 mill tax levy for five years.

The renovations are to begin when the first tax monies become available this year and continue through 1981. The amended contract will allow the architectural firm to complete plans for the long range program which will be carried out as the funds become available.

Other action taken by the board included the establishment of two regular school board meetings per month on the first and third Mondays. In the past, there was one regular meeting on the third

Monday) with the second (on the first Monday) designated as a special meeting.

Allison Croucher of the faculty presented a film on the Community School Concept which related to the extension of the use of the school buildings beyond the normal school day by use of athletic facilities, adult education classes and similar uses under the guidance of a coordinator.

Supt. James A. McKinney advised the board that under a Special Education rule change, classes for special education students will be restricted to 15 students for a teacher. He said the school was applying for a waiver to the Char-Em Intermediate School District to allow 20 students per classroom.

He also reported that Bud Heeres, who is in charge of the current school year, the superintendent reported.

had been commended by the Michigan State Police for the excellent condition of the bus fleet. The commendation was received after State Police personnel had inspected the fleet.

Ned Habbell who operates a public opinion survey firm reported he would meet with the board on March 24 to discuss a survey in the community relating to school needs.

A request had been made for CETA employees to maintain and restore the Beaver Head light station on Beaver Island, McKinney reported.

At the present time the Charlevoix schools have had seven snow days. The school is allowed five for the school year so at this time two must be made up at the end of the current school year, the superintendent reported.

McKinney reported on the final report made to the State Board of Education by the Blue Ribbon Task Force relative to Intermediate School Districts, their functions and proposed financing. Mr. McKinney served as a member of the special task force.

The board also heard William Stevens and Doug Wilks speak on a proposed Senior League Baseball program. They asked if the school would consider summer baseball in the high school program. Dale Burge, high school athletic director who had researched the program, said it would not be sanctioned by the Michigan State High School Athletic Association so boys participating in the program would not be covered by the school's insurance program. He also said the program

would cost an estimated \$2,200 annually. No action on the request was made at this time. However, the issue will be placed on a future agenda.

The Open Meetings Freedom of Information Act was discussed briefly by Mr. McKinney who said an in-service meeting relating to Open Meetings had been scheduled for March 21 and a second on Freedom of Information on April 30.

The Charlevoix High School bands, the Rayder Basketball team, the Rayder Wrestling team and their respective director coaches were commended by the board for their recent accomplishments.

The next regular meeting of the board will be on April 4. The March 21 meeting will be an in-service meeting for the board.



"I HAVE A FEELING they're mad at me," Papageno (Ronald Raines) says after lugging to three ghostly ladies (left to right: Loraine Santore, Elise Inselman and Ann Harlin) Mozart's "Magic Flute." An intriguing masterpiece, "The Magic Flute" will be presented at the Petoskey Middle School auditorium Saturday. For more information see page 6.

With Rent Hike Fight

City Can't Do Much To Help Senior Citizens

There's not much the City of Charlevoix can do for the senior citizens and their supporters fighting a 25 percent rent hike at the Charlevoix Apartments on May Street, Mayor Edward Hansen told common council Monday night.

Several residents had attended past council meetings and had telephoned various aldermen asking them to help stop the rent increases which have already forced three residents to move out of the 40-unit apartment complex.

The tenants, many of whom are existing merely on social security income, cited they moved into the housing complex because they were under the impression the rent would not be increased unless their income was.

"There's no subsidy available for the housing on May Street," Hansen said. "That project does not qualify."

The mayor said the city and the housing commission

couldn't even take over the project and have it qualify for subsidized housing.

The city official said he had been in contact with U.S. congressman Philip Ruppe's office, which had suggested he get in touch with the Farmers Home Administration (FHA) to find out more about Section 8 funding for the construction of subsidized housing.

Hansen explained the city housing commission had applied for these funds but had been denied last summer.

"I think we are caught in a cash shortage situation," the mayor said explaining why the city's application for funding had been turned down.

"Also we are low on the priority list for funding because they say we are not subject to the economic blight of other communities and that

our local tax effort is low," he continued.

"I think we just lit them at the wrong time for this funding," he said.

Mayor Hansen said he would pursue the issue, however, and he plans to get in contact with the FHA office in Lansing this week.

The senior citizens had sought help earlier from Charlevoix County Prosecuting Attorney Roy Hayes. After investigating the matter, Hayes told the residents that the city might be able to do something if there was any misrepresentation made at the time of the approval of the zoning change for the housing project.

Hansen did not think there were any misrepresentations made.

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About Grey Gables

Grey Gables should never have been permitted to build the banquet room in the first place until parking space was guaranteed. The same goes for the Complex that were built on Belvedere Ave. I also don't think that tax money should be spent on providing parking spaces for the business people. Businesses have a right to buy property behind their places starting at Antrim and continuing on to Park Ave. directly behind their places of business. This would provide their own parking facilities. If you will notice, that most cars congesting the parking places belong to employees and the store owners themselves.

P.S.

Maurice Cudd

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WEATHER

The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant:

Date	High	Low	Snowfall
March 1	27	6	0 inches
March 2	36	16	0
March 3	36	24	0
March 4	34	30	3
March 5	34	28	6.5 inches
March 6	34	28	-.5
March 7	41	20	0

There have been 131.4 inches of snow so far this year, with 10 inches falling during March.



CHARLEVOIX SPECIAL OLYMPIC stars are pictured with their instructors. In the front row from left to right are: Vince Brodin and Curt Dixon. Standing in the back are: Coach Norm Probert, Bobbie Bayer, Rich Hudson and Plas Presnell.

Students Win Gold Medals

Charlevoix is now the home of four Olympic athletes—Special Olympic athletes that is.

Charlevoix High School entries in the wrestling division of the Special Olympics, held Saturday in Lansing, captured three gold medals and one silver medal, their instructor, Plas Presnell, announced.

Presnell said the gold medals were comparable to

state championships. There were 100 entries from 24 regions across the state in last weekend's meet.

Taking first in their respective weight classes were: Curt Dixon in the 165-pound category, Vince Brodin (145), and Bob Bayer (105). Rick Hudson (145) won a second place and received a silver medal.

The entries were coached by Norm Probert, high school wrestling coach. Learning Center Instructor Presnell took the grapplers to Lansing. Dixon and Bayer won with three pins each, Brodin had three pins and a decision and Hudson had two losses.

Enroute to the Special Olympics, Charlevoix entries and Presnell attended the Golden Gloves boxing tournament in Grand Rapids.

Hospital Directors Approve Funding Feasibility Study

The Charlevoix Area Hospital Board of Directors has decided to embark on a financial feasibility study for a proposed expansion program.

The board of directors has recognized a need for certain increased space and work areas in several departments of the hospital, Richard Krueger, hospital administrator, said.

Those areas extremely pressed for space are: the outpatient emergency room, laboratory, radiology (x-ray), inpatient laboratory, medical records, employee dining room and storage, Krueger said.

The need for additional

space is apparent from the increases in hospital activity in the past several years. Outpatient emergency care is up 116 percent, X-ray procedures have increased 152 percent and laboratory procedures are up 90 percent.

More patient beds do not appear to be needed at this time, however, the administrator said.

The board of directors employed an architectural firm to study the problems and purpose expansion plans that would solve the immediate and future space needs. Graback, Bell, Kline and Brown, architects and engineers located in Traverse City, produced a master plan for the hospital which

proposed a program of phased expansion.

The first expansion phase suggested by the firm would provide entirely new space for emergency rooms, laboratory, radiology, physical therapy and inhalation therapy. It is estimated the expansion, which would be built with future expansions in mind, would cost approximately \$700,000 at this time. The funds would probably have to be raised through community donations, government grants and loans from financial institutions, Krueger said.

Krueger said the Charlevoix hospital, which was built in 1953, has been through four expansion programs.

Kusina said he plans to start construction as soon as possible.

The Charlevoix resident is also proposing to expand the office building in a second phase of construction to run around the perimeter of the lot. To do this, however, he needs a variance from council for the location of the buildings and also permission to extend the wall along Bridge Street.

Council was in disagreement over the plans and sent the site plan for the second phase of construction back to committee for further

review.

Edwards is planning to construct a 1,234 foot addition to Edwards IGA Market along Burns and Petoskey Streets. A building permit has also been issued for this cement block addition to the grocery store. City Manager Allen Sandberg told council he had also received a phone call from Weatherford Walker Developments of Southfield. The company is planning to develop a shopping center on M-66 and will be sending a proposed site plan to the council for review some time this week.

In Town This Spring

Flurry of Construction Slated

A flurry of construction activity will begin to take place in Charlevoix as soon as the snow melts this spring.

Charlevoix Common Council gave formal approval to two site plans Monday night for William Kusina and Richard Edwards.

Kusina is proposing to construct a 4,200 square foot cement block office building on property on the corner of Bridge and Harbor streets. The building will be divided into four offices.

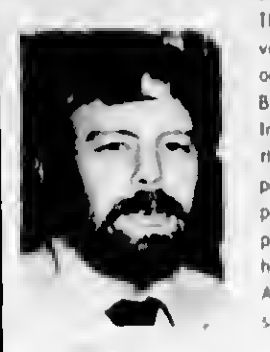
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The Blodstone is said to have checked bleeding in various cultures, sometimes being held in the hand or placed on the injured area. The Franciscan friar Bernardino de Sahagun, a missionary to the Mexican Indians, shortly after the Spanish conquest, writes that in 1576 he cured many natives who were of the point of death from hemorrhage (a result of the plague), by causing them to hold in their hand a piece of Blodstone. By this means he claims to have saved many lives. For Blodstone or Agatestone jewelry for March, March jewelry, see the selection available at Reusch Jewelry.

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Community Calendar

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Tuesday, March 8
Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will meet at Grey Gables Inn, 8 p.m.

Rebekah Lodge will meet at the American Legion Post Home 8 p.m.

Men's Prayer meeting, 7 a.m., Community Church of God.

Coast Guard Auxiliary boating and seamanship classes at the Charlevoix High School 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, March 9
Bergmann Center will sponsor "Scorpions" in a 90-minute magic show at the high school gymnasium at 7:30 p.m. Tickets: \$2.00 for adults.

Thursday, March 10
and \$1.25 for students 16 years and younger.

Emmet County League of Women Voters will meet at the Westminster Room of the Presbyterian church in Petoskey 10 a.m. Members will submit articles and information pertaining to energy and its use. A round table discussion will follow. Men and women are welcome. Meeting will last one hour.

Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at the county building annex 9:30 a.m.

Charlevoix Chapter of the Michigan Association for the Blind will meet at the Community Room, First State Bank, 7:30 p.m. Persons interested in the problems of the blind are invited to attend.

World Missionary Society of the Church of the Nazarene will meet at the church 8 p.m.

Mary Burns circle of the First Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Ray Wood, 302 Michigan ave. for 6:30 p.m. potluck supper.

Margaret Parker circle will meet at the Fellowship Hall of the First Congregational church 1:30 p.m. Hostesses: Mrs. Charles Heinhardt and Mrs. A.F. Novotny.

TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towles, Loeb Rd. 6 p.m.

Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at the airport hangar 7:30 p.m.

Round Lake Lodge No. 293, I.O.O.F., will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.

Friday, March 11
Al Anons Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal Church 8 p.m. For family and friends of the problem drinker. For further information call 547-2145.

Saturday, March 12
Class C District girls Volleyball tournament at Elk Rapids High School. Charlevoix will play East Jordan at 10 a.m. with semi-finals scheduled for 12:15 p.m. and the finals at 1:30 p.m.

Sunday, March 13
St. Mary's parish will sponsor its annual St. Patrick's dinner at St. Mary's school hall 11:30 a.m.-3 p.m.

Arrangements for the Little Flower Guild and St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society.

Christian Brotherhood 11:00 a.m., Station WVOY sponsored by Community Reformed Church.

American Legion 11th District meeting will be held at the American Legion post home with dinner at 1 p.m. followed by business sessions for both the Legion and Auxiliary at 2 p.m.

Monday, March 14
Char-Em Intermediate School District Board of Education will meet at the Service Center, Mercer Blvd., 8 p.m.

Women's Guild of Charlevoix Area Hospital will meet at the hospital 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Township board will meet at township hall 7:30 p.m.

Pearl Divers will meet at the Community Church of God 3:45-5 p.m.

Charlevoix Women's Club will sponsor its annual bridge luncheon at the Argonne at 12 noon for benefit of the Zach T. Gristlewood. Reservations must be made no later than March 12 with Mrs. James E. Towsley, Loeb Rd., 5 p.m.

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Ellsworth Boy born March 4

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GARY BAILEY, vice president and cashier for the First State Bank of Charlevoix meets with Dr. Jack R. Roubouts, vice president for Continuing Education at Northern Michigan University, during a session of the Northern Michigan School of Banking. Bailey is among 22 people attending the first year of a two-year program which is sponsored by Northern and banks from the Michigan Bankers Association to provide inservice training for bank employees in the Great Lakes area.

Medusa Promotes Sales Manager

Medusa Cement Company has announced the promotion of Eugene G. Goeb to Director of Marketing Services for the company at the Cleveland headquarters.

Replacing Goeb as Detroit Division Sales Manager is R. Bruce Purgum. Medusa is a Cleveland, Ohio, based manufacturer of portland and masonry cements.

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Glens Market Plans Move to Charlevoix

Glens Market and Family Center has announced plans to open a store in Charlevoix October 1.

The grocery store will lease space in a proposed shopping center to be located on M-46, Glen A. Catt, supervisor, announced. The Charlevoix store will be the 10th-market to be opened by the Northern Michigan grocery chain.

Walker, of Weatherford Walker Developments, stressed that plans for the proposed shopping center are still tentative. He said that the site plan for the 44,300 square foot building have not yet been submitted to the Charlevoix Common Council. He said the plans would probably be sent to the council this week.

Walker said the company proposed to have a 10,000 square foot junior department store, a 5,000 square foot drug store and two or three smaller stores in the shopping center in addition to Glens Market. However, no leases for the other stores have yet been signed.

The developer said plans for the shopping center include a structural theme for the structure with covered walkways. Walker said the company has recently completed a shopping center in Rogers City. That center houses an IGA, Ben Franklins, Walgreens and a Dairy Queen.

Walker said the company is proposing to construct the shopping center.

Glens Market has signed a lease with Weatherford Walker Developments, of Southfield, which is proposing to construct the shopping center.

Managing the grocery store will be Ray Gilmore, currently store manager at Manicella's. Gilmore, a Gaylord High School graduate, has worked in six Glens Markets during the last 10 years.

The 28-year-old man is a Vietnam veteran and a member of the Lions and Jaycees. His hobbies are bowling and model ship building. His wife Linda, is a second grade teacher in the Manicella School District.

The other Glens Markets are located in East Jordan, Gaylord, Grayling, Kalkaska, West Branch, Mio, Manicella, Roscommon and Rose City.

Airport Planners Seek Public Input

An informational meeting about the Charlevoix Municipal Airport will be held at 8 p.m. Thursday in the Community Room in City Hall.

The purpose of the meeting is to get local input about what the area residents would like to see happen at the airport. Alvin Ronger, engineer in charge of developing a master plan for the airport, explained.

The city is seeking federal funds for improvements to the airport. In order to qualify for the funds, a master plan must be designed for the facility.

"No proposed improvements will be presented at the meeting," Ronger said. "We aren't that far along in our work."

"What we would like to find out is what the people who use the airport think," Ronger said. "What facilities they think are adequate and what they think is inadequate."

Ronger said the engineers working on the master plan would also like to hear from local businesses and industries about their future use of the airport for shipping.

Tom Fowler, Sue Greene Head Charlevoix Class of 1977

By FRANK MARTIN

Honor students of the class of 1977 at the Charlevoix High School have been announced by Charles Hentley of the school's counseling staff.

They are: Thomas D. Fowler who will be valedictorian with a grade point average of 3.974 at a possible 4.0, and Suzanne Louise Greene, salutatorian with an average of 3.949.

Others among the top 10 in a class of 140 members are (listed alphabetically) Randall Jay Beards, Kay E. Currey, Chris Hanna, Lori Hollow, Kevin Matthew Kroll, Mark Gerard Martin, Tim Meier and Julie Ann Wimmer.

Continuing education exercises for the 1977 graduates of the Charlevoix High School is scheduled for June 5.

All 10 of the students named plan to continue their education and many have already been accepted into colleges and universities of higher learning.

Fowler, valedictorian, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Fowler and plans to attend the University of Michigan, majoring in some field of engineering.

His activities during the past four years have included Student Council 1, 2, 3; Football 1, 4; Marching Band 1, 2, 3; Concert Band 1; Symphonic Band 2, 3; Track 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Golf 2, 3; Football statistician 1, 2, 3, 4; Wolverine Boys' State 3; member of a church youth group and a Junior Boy Scout.

He counts among his honors being named valedictorian of his class, being named to Who's Who Among High School Students, Wolverine Boys' State and Letters in Football, Basketball and Golf.

The salutatorian, Sue Greene, is the daughter of Mrs. Camille A. Greene, and plans to enter the pre-med program at Kalamazoo College in the fall.

As a junior she was presented with the Chemistry Award. In addition, she was Vice President of her class as a Sophomore and a member of the Spanish Club 1, 2 and Biology Club 3.

Randy Beards, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Beards lists his activities as Band 1, 2, 3; Track 3, 4; Cross Country 3, 4; Campus Life and Junior Ambassador Youth Group. He received first and second place and honorable mention ribbons for drafting drawings entered in the Michigan Industrial Arts program, lettered in Cross County and was Director of Services in the C.A.'s Assembly Youth Group. He plans to enter John Wesley College, a private school at Oswego and will probably major in the field of mathematics and engineering. He would also like to see some of the world and how other countries operate.

Kay Currey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hanna. He will enroll at Michigan State University where he plans to major in business.

His activities include Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; the Biology Club and the Congregational Church Youth Group. He has received two Industrial Art awards for drafting. This interests include working on cars, camping and backpacking.

Lori Hollow lists among her activities Cheerleading 3, 4; Spanish Club and one year with the Char-Em Youth Association for Retarded Children. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Hollow, she plans to attend Michigan State University to study in the field of Biology and Art and Design.

Kevin Kroll is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kroll.

His activities include Drum Major of the Marching Band as a Junior and Senior; Concert Band 1; Symphonic Band 2, 3, 4; Pep and Jazz bands.

He was elected to Who's Who Among Music Students in America High School '76-'77, member of 1974, 1975 and 1976 Michigan District 11 and Orchestra Association Honors Band and was the recipient of a two weeks scholarship to the Blue Lake Arts Camp.

He plans to attend North Texas State University at Denton, Tex., and is tentatively planning a major in music performance.

Mark Martin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Martin. He plans to attend Michigan Technological University or See Students on page 11.



THE TOP 10 members of the 1977 Charlevoix High School graduating class have been announced. The honor students are: front row from left to right Kay Currey and Julie Wimmer; Sue Greene and Lori Hollow in second row, in the third row, Mark Martin, Chris Hanna and Randy Beards; in the last row are Tim Meier, Kevin Kroll and Tom Fowler.

Sheriff Starts Program to Acquaint Students with Law Enforcement Field



THE CADETS participating in the educational program at the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department look over uniforms with Sheriff George Lasater and Under Sheriff Byron Stockwell. In the front row are: Bill Bellows, John Murray, Lasater, Bruce Avery. In the back row are: Stockwell, Bruce Avery, Greg Grubhaugh and Bill Sweet.

By FRANK MARTIN

Five Charlevoix High School students are making their mark at the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department. The students are part of a pilot Youth Cadet program initiated last week by Sheriff George T. Lasater. The program is designed to provide career exploration for students interested in the law enforcement field, Lasater explained.

"The program is a career exploration program, not a recruiting program for the sheriff's department," Lasater explained. "It has been conducted successfully in Kalamazoo County and I think it will go here."

"I feel it is an excellent way to acquaint young men with law enforcement as a career," the sheriff continued. "Some people spend several years at various jobs before they settle on one as a career. In this program, these people, through the same in-service program we give all our new officers, will be introduced to all phases of law enforcement and at the conclusion of the course should be able to make a decision about it as a career."

Plans call for the five students to attend classes one night a week for the next 12 weeks with Sheriff's deputies, posse members and Hays City auxiliary police. The course, which is the same one offered to men seeking to become certified officers, will cover such areas of law enforcement as communications, arrests, traffic, transporting, patrol complaints, jail security, criminal statutes and the laws of criminal justice.

As their training progresses, the students will be allowed to work with members of the sheriff's department as the officers carry out their various duties.

The students will be identified as cadets with their own uniforms, cadet badges and hats. They will work strictly as volunteers. They will support their own program by raising funds for their badges, hats and other equipment. The uniforms are used ones no longer needed by the sheriff's department. Ski and Shore has already donated \$25 to the program.

Sheriff Lasater said the students are under no obligation to continue with the program if they decide it isn't for them.

That's what it's all about—career exploration, Lasater explained. "It's purpose is to expose people to the basics of law enforcement and then let them decide if this is the career they will seek for themselves."

High schools throughout the county have been invited to participate in the program, which is open to high school juniors and seniors who are interested in a career in law enforcement. The Charlevoix school was the first to respond to the offer. More than 25 students were screened by Counselor Gail Kaczynski and narrowed down to seniors Greg Grubhaugh, Bill Bellows, John Murray and Bill Sweet and junior Bruce Avery.

CHARLEVOIX COURIER

The Second Front Page

Community Chest to Hold Meeting on Name Change

A special meeting of all members of the Charlevoix Community Chest, Inc., will be held at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday, March 9, in the Community Room of the First State Bank for the purpose of voting to change the name of the nonprofit corporation.

The organization would like to change the name from Charlevoix Community Chest to the United Way of Charlevoix, Inc.

The name change is the first in a series of steps aimed at making the group a more effective part of the community.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Cross

William Sherman of Tiffin, Ohio, was best man and Ed Manturuk was groomsman.

Following the wedding a reception was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Pittman.

The couple is making their home on Stover Road in Charlevoix. The groom is employed at Bartlett's Decorator Center.

Wasylewski-Allison

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wasylewski, Sr., of Boyne Falls, announce the engagement of their daughter Mari L. to Lindy R. Allison, of Charlevoix. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Allison. The bride-to-be was a 1977 graduate of Boyne City High School.

CONNIE FISHER examines some of the books in the collection at the Womens Resource Center located at North Central Michigan College.

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St. Mary's parish will present its traditional St. Patrick's Day dinner at the parish hall on Sunday, March 13.

Mrs. Eugene Dziedzic and Mrs. William Kenney are co-chairmen of the event. Seating begins at 10 a.m. and continues until 3 p.m.

The typical Irish dish, corned beef and cabbage, as well as baked ham and cherry sauce will be served along with mashed potatoes, a choice of vegetables, a salad bar, rolls, dessert and coffee.

Mrs. Leonard Staley is chairman for tickets which will be \$3.00 for adults, \$2.50 for Senior Citizens and \$1.50 for children under 12 years.

There will be no charge for preschool children. A family ticket is being offered for \$12.00.

Mrs. Charles Sonnenberg is in charge of soliciting. Mrs. Fritz Allard, advertising; St. Mary's postors; Mrs. George Pluhm, dining room set-up; Mrs. James Spang, Mrs. Michael A. Miller and Mrs. Anthony Kleiber, decorations.

On the day of the dinner, Mrs. Maurice Cudd will be dining room hostess. Fritz Allard will be in charge of preparing the meal. Mrs. Terry Blisselt will be in charge of serving in the dining room. Mrs. Edward P. Hansen, coffee; Mrs. Valois Avery, salads; Mrs. Ralph Doan, Sr., breads; Mrs. Patrick Donnelly, desserts; and Mrs. Roger Plischer, dishwashing.

Mrs. Edward Golden is president of St. Mary's Bazaar. Alter Society and Mrs. Francis Left the Little Flowers Guild.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wasylewski, Sr., of Royné Falls, announce the engagement of their daughter, Mori L., to Lindy H. Allison, of Charlevoix. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Allison.

The bride-to-be will be a 1977 graduate of Royné City High School. Her fiance is a 1975 graduate of Charlevoix High School and attended Ferris State College and North Central Michigan College.

Miss Wasylewski is currently employed at Holiday Drug in Royné City, while Allison works at Charlevoix Red-Mix.

The couple is planning an early autumn wedding.

Mori Wasylewski

The doors of the new home of the Charlevoix County Department of Social Services will be open to the public from noon to 6 p.m. Thursday for a special open house celebration.

The social services employees are inviting all county residents to visit their new offices on M-66 directly across from Kit Carson Lumber Co. in Charlevoix.

The department moved to its new offices from the county building on Feb. 1.

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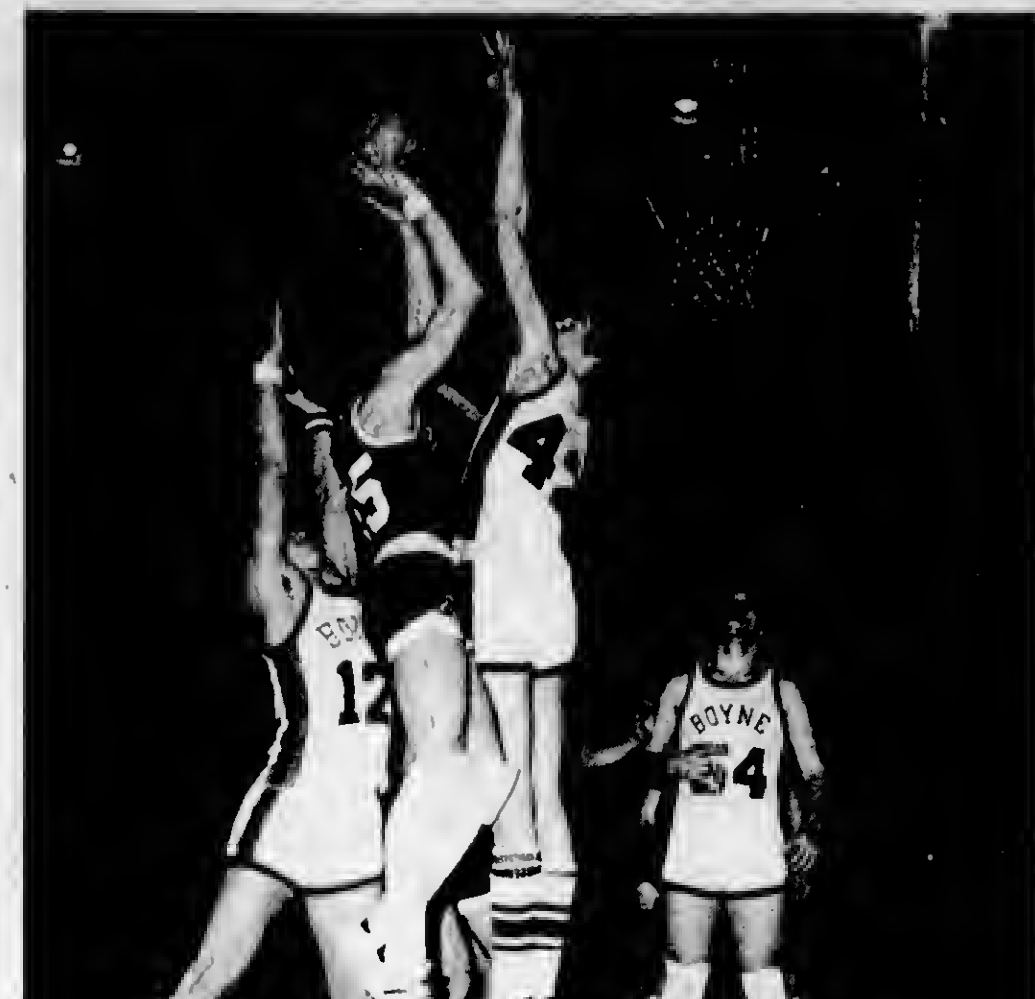
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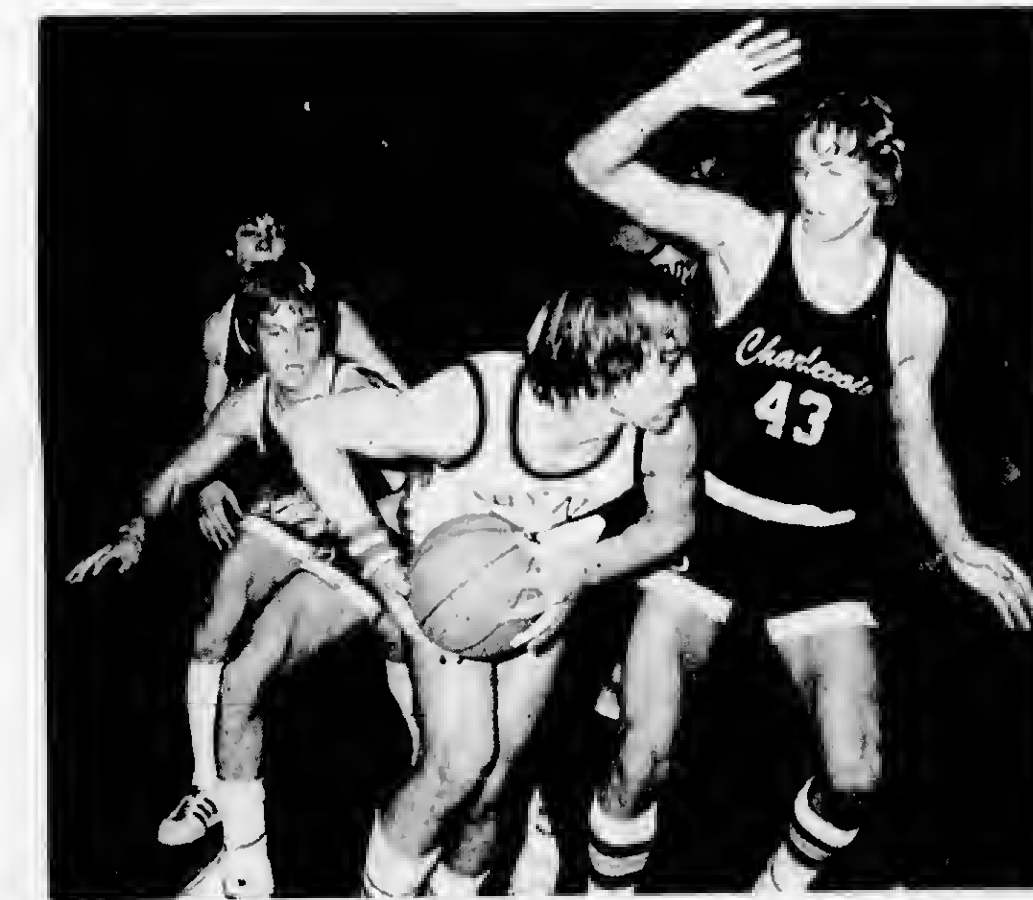
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BUD KLOOSTER (45) stops to avoid running into a Boyne City player as he tumbles over Dave Tolas. The Rayders dropped the game to Boyne City 66-58.



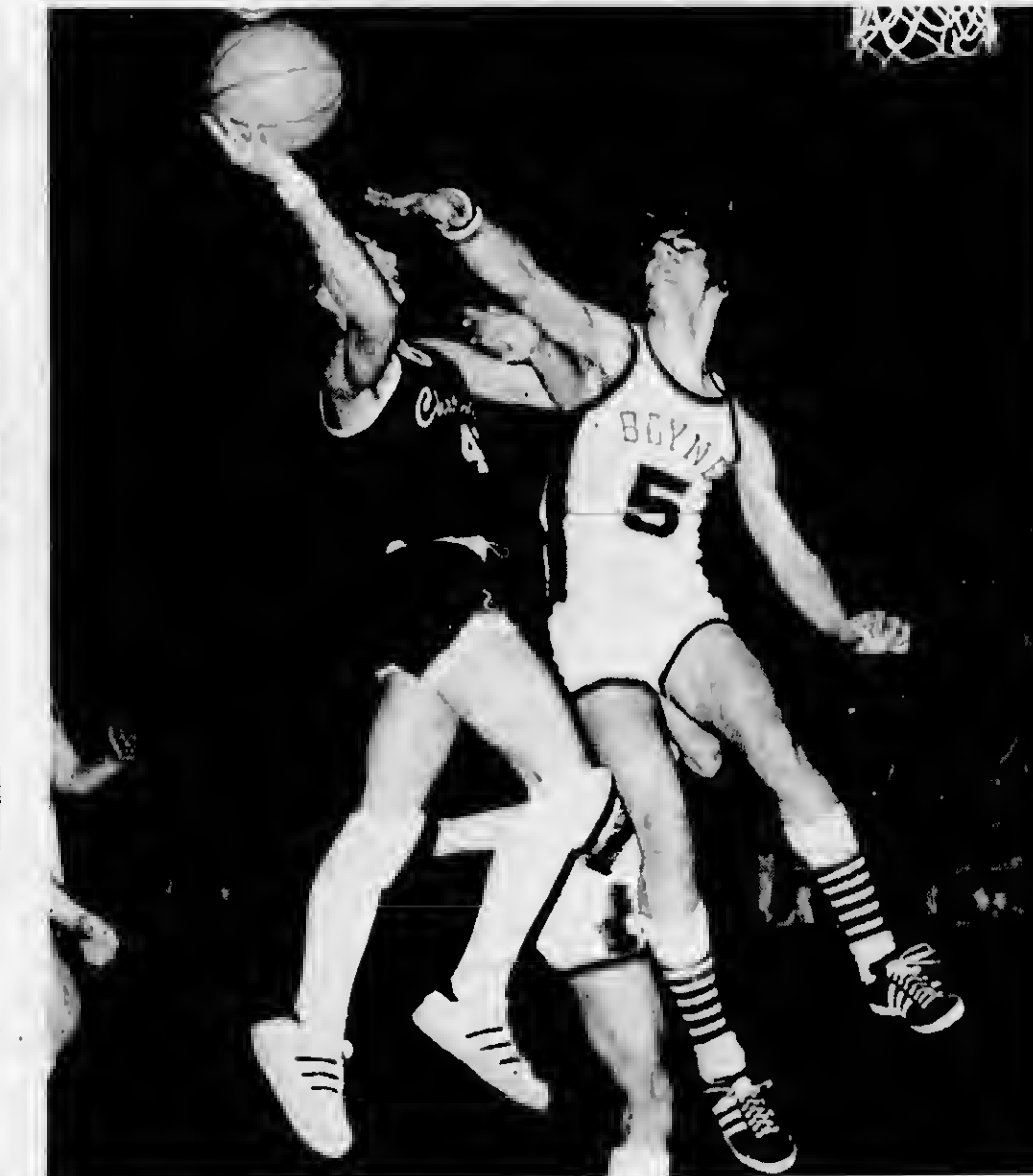
BOYNE CITY players Scrappy Moore (12) and Greg Upton (44) make a sandwich around Bud Klooster (45) as he attempts this shot.



MATT DOAN (43) corners a Boyne City player in an attempt to get the ball. Charlevoix trailed most of the game and lost 66-58.



NEIL DZIEDZIC (30) grabs the ball from Elk Rapids' Dan McCauley (25). The Rayders won the second leg of the tournament 95-53.



IT WAS BUD KLOOSTER (45) up in the air for this shot with Boyne City's Tom Boyer (5) keeping pace. Boyne City defeated the Rayders 66-58.



SCOTT BOSS (20) was up in the air for this basket with Elk Dan McCauley (25) sticking to him like a shadow. Charlevoix won the game 95-53.

Charlevoix Tumbles To Ramblers in Tourney

After defeating East Jordan and Elk Rapids to make their way into Class C District finals, the Charlevoix Rayders lost their chance for a District title when they bowed to Boyne City by a score of 66-58 in the finals at Boyne City Saturday night.

The game had been a close one all the way with Charlevoix trailing 19-9 at the quarter. As the second period got underway, the Rayders started to connect and outscored the Ramblers 14-1 to whittle Boyne's margin to two points, 30-28, at halftime. Charlevoix continued its attack until they knotted the score and, midway in the period, managed a seven point lead only to see it melt away

as Boyne City recovered the advantage at the three-quarter mark by a slim two-point margin 42-40. For the second time in the game, the Ramblers stretched their lead to 10 points in the final eight minutes only to have the Rayders trim it briefly to two points before they pulled away for the victory and the district title in the closing minutes by a score of 66-58.

The Rayders had 24 field goals and were successful on 10 of 18 free throws. The team had 21 personal fouls. Bud Klooster again led the scoring with 20 points. Matt Doan had 12 points; Dave Tolas 11; Neil

Courier Sports

Volleyball Team Wins Scrimmage Against Gaylord

In a scrimmage with Gaylord last Wednesday both the Charlevoix Varsity and JV Volleyball squads posted victories, according to Coach Mrs. Pat Carland.

The Varsity team won by scores of 15-10, 15-10, 15-3 and 15-3. The JV's posted wins by scores of 15-6, 15-7, 15-3 and 15-1.

Girls Win 1st Round, Lose Second in Tourney

The Charlevoix Girls' Volleyball team survived the first round of its bracket in the Michigan-Huron-Shores League tournament Saturday but lost in the second round, according to Coach Pat Carland.

Meeting Cheboygan in the opener, Charlevoix lost the first game 5-15 but came back strong to take the next two by scores of 15-7, 15-7 to win the match. In the next series, Charlevoix lost to Grayling 8-15, 8-15. Grayling then went on to defeat St. Ignace before going into the finals against a strong Rogers City squad which took the league title 15-12, 15-12.

Rogers City had advanced to the finals after defeating Petoskey in the quarterfinals, having defeated Boyne City in the first series in the lower bracket. Petoskey had won over Gaylord in the early round.

With 11 each paced the victory. Dave Swanson had 18 points, Kevin Swanson and Randy DeYoung 14 each and Casey Culbertson 10 each for Swanson's.

All four players on the Willett Roofing squad were in double figures as they made a valiant effort despite being short-handed. Kade's, however, offered too much as they led 18-13, 42-31 and 60-43 by quarters before winning by an 18 point margin. Al Loeze had 27 points, Keith Fitzpatrick 15, Jim Bauman and Kirk Kujawski 14 points each and Mark Gutter 10 for the victors. Rick VanStedum with 21 points, Jim Danbert 20, Jack Danbert 17 and Max Bulser 14 for the Roofers.

Mike Wade with 25 points led Way Oil to a 76-58 win over Credit Union after leading 15-10, 35-28 and 53-41 by quarters. Tim Carey added 17, Larry Potter 14 and Dale Boss 10 for the victors. Matt Blair had 21 points, Ron Boss 13 and Tim Elenbus 10 for Credit Union.

The following night Wojan's downed Klooster. John Deere 48-40 after leading the Big John quintet 14-6, 25-20 and 37-31 by quarters. Ward had 14 and Star Martin 10 for Wojan's. Rick Wagner scored 14 and Gowell 11 for Klooster's.

Clay Jones with 17 points and Del Wood with 11 led Hoskins 96-25, 23-10 and 34-29 past Bay Shore Steel whose Vince Left scored 22 points.

Larry Skippergosh scored 18 points and Jerry Skippergosh 16 as County State Bank led Klooster John Deere 14-4; 26-43.

SPORTSMEN AND CONSERVATIONISTS.



MEMBERS OF THE trophy winning seventh grade basketball team are (front row from left to right) Bill Brodin, Troy Warren, Keith Bales, Doug Drenth, Jim Heriman and Todd Culver. Second row: Mark Morgan, Scott Kelly, Mark Beaudoin, David Buday, Eric Daylong, Jeff Greene and Kevin Potter. Third row: Mike Schmidt, Jim Buchanan, David Milligan, Mike Loper, Ross Carey, Larry Lemerand, Gary Dury, Ken Kane and Coach Henry Wagner.

Seventh Graders Take Title

The Charlevoix Seventh Grade basketball team won its division of the Junior High tournament held at Cheboygan recently.

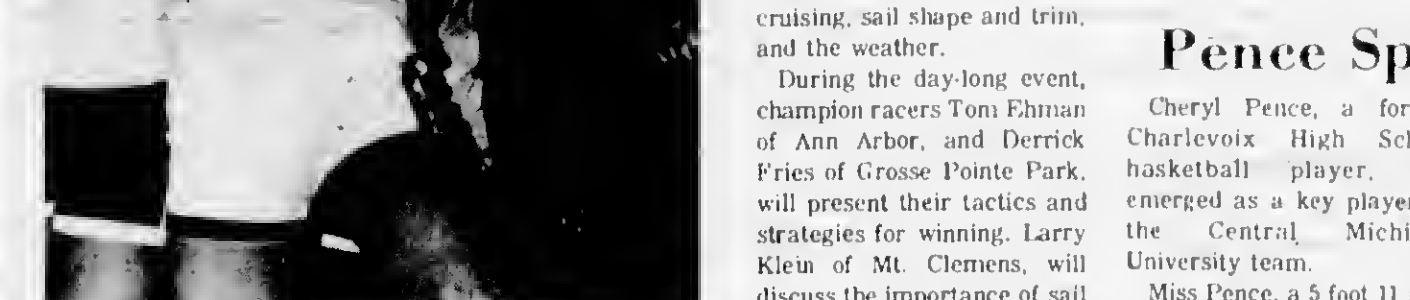
The local squad, coached by Henry Wagner, defeated Grayling 38-15 in the finals played last Tuesday. The team had to come from behind

to win after trailing 19-8 at the quarter, 21-15 at the half and 27-22 going into the final period when they outscored the young Blue Devils 16-8 for the victory.

Ross Carey and Gary Drury shared scoring honors with 14 points each. Mark Beaudoin had six and Jim Buchanan four.

John Berry and Ron Sides had nine each for Gaylord. Earlier in the tournament, Charlevoix had defeated Cheboygan 48-20 to advance to the finals.

The eighth grade team, coached by Hall Evans, lost its opener to Rogers City by a score of 42-19 and, in the consolation bracket, lost to Cheboygan 48-33. Charlevoix had trailed 31-15 at halftime. Rick Lent had nine; Jeff Drury, eight; Jim Baillargeon and Paul Hoffman, six points each and Keith Comer and Jay Swarthout, two each for Charlevoix. Nick Banks had 17 for Cheboygan.



MILDRED (TILLER) Otis (42) grabs at an elusive rebound. She missed this one, but successfully pulled down 17 others during Kalamazoo College's Feb. 1 clash with Alma College.

Sailing Symposium Scheduled

Right now it doesn't look like Lake Michigan will ever thaw out, but that's not stopping an enthusiastic group of sailors.

The second annual Sailing Symposium is slated for Saturday, March 19, at Oakland University in Rochester, Mich. Designed for advanced as well as beginning sailors in both racing and cruising, symposium topics include: racing rules, and tactics, boat design and construction, Great Lakes cruising, sail shape and trim, and the weather.

During the day-long event, champion racers Tom Ehnman of Ann Arbor, and Derrick Fries of Grosse Pointe Park, will present their tactics and strategies for winning. Larry Klein of Mt. Clemens, will discuss the importance of sail shape and trim in racing and cruising, and Tom Ehnman, Sr., of Pinckney, will talk about racing rules and the art of self defense.

Also during the symposium, Peter Harkin of Harkin Yacht Fittings and Vanguard, Inc., will explain how to recognize a good hull in small boats and Robert Perry, technical editor for "Sailing" magazine, will discuss the evolution of modern cruising yacht design and future trends.

Registration is limited and accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. For additional information and to register, contact Doug Peterson, Conference and Institutes, Oakland University, Rochester, Mich., (313) 377-1972.

Playoffs Continue in B League

By FRANK MARTIN
Playoffs in the B League Independent Basketball League will continue this week with the finals in the winner's bracket scheduled for 6:30 p.m. Wednesday.

The quarterfinals in the loser's bracket will be played at 6:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Wednesday and the semifinals at 6:30 p.m. Thursday. The finals will be played at 6:30 p.m. Monday, March 14.

The championship playoffs will begin Wednesday, March 16 and continue through March 17.

\$25,000 for World Record Catch

A statewide fishing awards program with prizes up to \$25,000 per person has been announced by the Michigan United Conservation Clubs (MUCC).

Any angler who is registered for the even-known as Fisharama—will be paid \$25,000 if he or she catches a world record fish in Michigan waters between March 1 and December 31, 1977. If the angler lands a state record fish, MUCC will pay him or her \$1,000.

In the past five years, according to the Department of Natural Resources, state fish records have been broken 26 times. Fisheries experts say world records for several species are entirely possible in this state.

Anyone who holds a Michigan sport fishing license may take part in Fisharama by paying a \$1 entry fee. Entry forms are available at fishing license dealers throughout the state.

All proceeds from the contest will be used to help finance conservation programs carried out by MUCC, a nonprofit alliance of sportsmen and conservationists.

Pence Sparks Varsity

Cheryl Pence, a former Charlevoix High School basketball player, has emerged as a key player on the Central Michigan University team.

Miss Pence, a 5 foot 11 inch sophomore, plays forward for the team and has become a double-figure scorer for the team complementing other key scoring figures on the team.

CMU was back in action last week following Christmas vacation for the university students. The Chippewas had a 21 record before break.

Monday, March 14
Townhouse, winter in the Michigan's bracket will meet the winner in the loser's bracket to be determined at 7 p.m. March 14. The second game will be played at 8 p.m. March 14.

Monday, March 14
7:00 p.m. Bartlett's vs. Out In Town
8:00 p.m. Car Care Crushers vs. Spikers
9:00 p.m. The Team vs. winner Bartlett-Out In Town game
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the office of the Register of Deeds for Charlevoix County, Michigan in Liber 143 of mortgages and mortgages on real estate, the mortgage therein claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Twenty-three and 3/4 /100 dollars (\$1,223.34) principal and Eight Hundred Eighty-Five and 1/2 /100 (\$850.50) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt.

Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix, and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage and interest and the costs and charges of sale, provided by law and in said mortgages, the lands and

THEREOF TAKEN, USED OR DEEDED FOR STREET OR ROAD OR HIGHWAY, shall be six months from the time of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying any amount bid at the sale plus all interest and the costs and encumbrances on the property from date of sale. Dated March 9, 1977. Mrs. Winifred

present in and on producing all any part of the said, and the interest thereon, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of default. NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is Hereby Given that on April 28, 1977, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the Court House in Charlevoix, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public auction, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and owing by the said mortgagor to the said mortgagee, the following, to-wit: Land situated in the County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan, Lot 216 and Lot 217 of Block 15, Nichols and Morgn's Second Addition to South Boyne, According to the plat of said land, the redemption period will be six months from the time of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying amount bid at sale plus 7 percent interest and any unpaid interest on the said property (from date of sale, dated _____, 1977, to date of redemption), to the County of Charlevoix, Michigan, at the County Clerk's Office, located at the Court House, Charlevoix, Michigan, 49822.

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will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and the interest thereon, together with the legal costs and charges of sale provided by law and in said mortgage, the premises in said mortgage mentioned and described, as follows, to-wit: That property located in the County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan. IN THE CITY OF BOYNE CITY, CHARLEVOIX

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February 9, 1977. Mrs. Winifred D. Molony, Regional Attorney, United States Department of Agriculture, Room 2920, 230 North Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois.

Attorney for Mortgagee. For Additional information please contact: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Acting through Farmers Home Admin-

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LEGAL NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 25th day

farm, Charlevoix County, Michigan; Commencing at the Northwest corner of Section 35, Town 32 North, Range 7 West; thence South along the West line of said Section 910, feet to an iron stake, being the point of beginning of this description; thence East, perpendicular to said section line 153, feet to an iron stake; thence at an angle

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THEREOF. The redemption period will be six months from the date of recording of this advertisement. If the same cannot be redeemed by paying amount bid at sale plus 1 percent interest and any unpaid

Director, Room 209, 1405 South Harrison Road, East Lansing, Michigan 48823, Mortgagee.
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE IN CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN

TO ALL WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME: I, the undersigned, Clerk of the Court of Charlevoix County, Michigan, do hereby certify that the following mortgage was duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Charlevoix County, Michigan, on or about the _____ day of _____, A.D. 19____, Book No. _____, page 695-702; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice:

76 degrees 45 minutes to the right from the last described corner to the intersection of the stake; thence East on said line which is perpendicular to said section line 116.94 feet to an iron stake on the Southwesterly line

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thence North along said
section line 100 feet to the point

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Additional Information, please contact: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Acting through Farmers Home Administration, Calvin C. Lutz, State Director, Room 209, 1405 East Harrison Road, East Lansing, Michigan 48823

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August 10, 1973, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Charlevoix County, Michigan in pages 631-616; on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Fifteen Thousand Eight Hundred Thirty-Eight and 26/100 dollars (\$15,838.26) principal and One Thousand

six hundred and thirty eight and 26/100 dollars (\$1,638.26) interest, all of which are secured by a certain deed of trust or mortgage duly executed and acknowledged by the debtor, and any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of such default;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that on or before July 27, 1977, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the east door of the

beginning; being part of the Northwest quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section 35, Town 32 North, Range 7 West. The redemption period will be six months from the time of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made the 27th day of January, 1970, by F. Owen Moore and Arlene R. Moore, as

Molony, Regional Attorney, United States Department of Agriculture, 2000 Agriculture Building, South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60604, Attorney for Mortgagee. For Additional Information, please contact: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, acting through the United States Department of Agriculture, Office of Registration, Calvin C. Lutz, State Director, Room 209, 1405

South Harrison Road, East Lansing, Michigan 48823, Mor-gagee.

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LEGAL NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

FORECLOSURE SALE. Default having been made in the conditions of certain mortgages bearing date September, 1974, by Rex G. Almsbury and Betty J. Almsbury as mortgagors, I, the undersigned, being duly qualified under the laws of the State of Illinois, do hereby give notice that I will sell at public auction, to wit: On the 10th day of October, 1976, at 10 o'clock A.M., at the Court House in the City of Chicago, Illinois, the premises described in said mortgages, and the power of sale contained in said mortgages having become operative by reason of such default:

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United States Department of Agriculture, Room 2720, Z Street, South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois 60606.
Attorney for Mortgagee: F.O. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT: UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, Acting through Farmers Home Administration,

Airmesbury, as mortgagors, to
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 mortgagee, and recorded on
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 Charlevoix County, Michigan in
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 NOW, THEREFORE, Notice
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CHARLEVOIX COURIER Wednesday, March 9, 1977-11

Obituary

Lewis E. Gravelin
Funeral services for Lewis E. Gravelin, 62, who died Wednesday at the Charlevoix Area Hospital where he had been a patient for a short time,

the Winchester Funeral Home. The Rev. Austin Regier of the United Methodist church officiated. Interment was in Brookside cemetery. Born in Grand Rapids Sept.

for a week, were held Saturday at the Winchester Funeral Home. The Rev. Larry Grookers of the Community Reformed church officiated.

Interment was in the Cedar Creek cemetery in Barry County.

played at Briggs Manufacturing Co. on Feb. 4, 1946, he was married to the former Anna Kus in Detroit. Later the same year, they came north to live in Harbor Springs. In 1953, they moved to Charlevoix and purchased Moonlight Gardens, now

18, 1913, Mr. Wells came to Potosky as a child and was raised in the Potosky High School. He later attended an art school in Detroit and also attended U.C.I.A.A. for a time. During World War II he served in the U.S. Navy, having spent some time aboard ship in the Far Pacific including Okinawa. He was employed by the Northern Ohio Electric and Charlevoix as part manager for 30 years. For the past 10 years he was associated with the Northern Auto Parts Co. in Potosky. In 1938, he was married to the former Edna Himebaugh at Charlevoix where they always made their home.

Surviving are his wife, one son, Stephen W. Wells of Hartford, Conn.; two grandchildren and a brother, John W. Wells of Alpena.

Charlotte Wertman Funeral services, Mrs. Wertman, 1000 E. 12th St., Potosky, Ohio.

W. Wesley Wells
Funeral services for S. A. Wells, 1000 E. 12th St., Potosky, Ohio.

Born in Troupe, N.Y., May 18, 1885, the former Charlotte Wells was the daughter of her parents in 1914. In 1925 she was married to Mr. Wertman at Hastings, where they lived until coming to Potosky in 1928.

She is survived by her husband; one son, Edwin, of East Jordan; three grandchildren; one great-grandchild, a later Mrs. Drury Brownfield of Vermontville and one brother, Elmer Asper of Hastings.

James A. Lawyer
Masonic rites for James A. Lawyer, 78, who died Saturday at his home here, were held at Monday afternoon at the Chester Federal Home. Interment was in Lakeview cemetery at Harbor Springs.

Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Lawyer, of Harbor Springs. Dr. 12, 1899, Mr. Lawyer moved to Missouri as a young man. He served an enlistment in the U.S. Navy and later moved to

Bourke's Steak & Stein, which they operated until the late 1940's. Mr. Lawyer was employed at Curtis Wire Co. in Potosky from 1946 until he retired in 1972. He was Master Mason and a member of Aquanah Lodge No. 554, F. & AM in Detroit and the Leslie T. Shapton Post No. 226, American Legion.

Surviving are his widow; two brothers, Noah of Macleod, N.Y., and Arthur of New York City, and several nieces and nephews.

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Wesley Wells, 63, who died Monday at his home here following several months of ill health, were held Thursday at

Myron L. Wertman, 71, who died Tuesday at Little Traverse Hospital in Petoskey where she had been a patient

Students

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North Central Michigan College. He will take pre-med curriculum with a possible major in Chemistry.

His activities have included Student Council, two years; Secretary-Treasurer of Student Council as a Senior; Debate Club one year; Spanish Club, two years; Golf team, two years; Junior Varsity Football, two years and Basketball, one year. He was the recipient of an Honorable Mention Award in Drafting at the Industrial Arts Fair.

Tin Meier, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meier, plans to attend the University of Michigan to major in Marine Biology. He has participated in the Independent Study in

Fresh Water and Marine Biology and is a certified Scuba diver.

Julie Wimmer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wimmer and plans to attend Grand Valley State College and study toward an English major.

Her activities include Debate and One Act plays in the Forensics program, Volleyball and the French Club.

She was the 1976 Honorary Queen of the Charlevoix High School, denotes Freshman, Sophomore, Junior and Seniors years in high school.

The information included in the Charbonnall sketches was submitted by the student

BOARD OF REVIEW NOTICE

HAYES TOWNSHIP

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes in the Township of Hayes, that the Assessment Roll will be subject to inspection and review at the Township Hall, corner of Old US-31 and Burgess Road, MON. & TUES. MARCH 14th & 15th from 9 to 4:00. Tentative Roll Totals & Multipliers for 1977

	Real Property	Personal Property
Ratio	48.77	50.00
Multiplier	1.03	1.00

Sandra Somerville
Clerk

BOARD OF REVIEW NOTICE

CHARLEVOIX TOWNSHIP

- Charlevoix County

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes that the Board of Review will meet at Charlevoix Township Hall, corner of Carpenter Ave. and Norwood Rd. for the purpose of

NOTICE MARION TOWNSHIP

A public hearing will be held on March 15th, at 8:00 P.M. on the sewer study plan. This includes portions of Marion Township adjacent to M66, also including portions of Loeb Rd. and Loeb's Point.

The regular meeting of the township board will be held at 7:00 P.M. prior to the public hearing.

Tracy Curtis
Clerk

BOARD OF REVIEW NOTICE EVELINE TOWNSHIP

Notice is hereby given to all persons liable to assessment for taxes that the Board of Review will meet for the purpose of reviewing the assessment roll and hearing objections thereto: **MONDAY, MARCH 14th from 9 p.m. to 11 p.m.** and **TUESDAY, MARCH 15th from 1 to 8 p.m.**

Tentative Ratios and Multipliers for 1977 are:

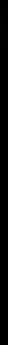
	Real Property	Personal Property
<u>Ratio</u>	43.28	50.00
<u>Multiplier</u>	1.16	1.00

Jo Ann Elzinga Clerk

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REACT to Hold CB Registration To Prevent Theft

A registration for Citizen Band radios is being offered without charge by Northwest REACT No. 3433 Rick Baker, a member of the group, has announced.

"With an average of one CB radio being stolen per week, we feel that it is about time we did something to protect the owners of the radios," Baker said in explaining the registration service.

Owners of CB radios may bring their vehicles to the garage at the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department where they will be marked without charge with the owner's drivers' license number. It will then be registered at the sheriff's department with its own serial number, the name of the owner and his driver's license number and the make of the radio. Baker said it will not be necessary to remove the radio from the vehicle.

The service will be offered from 12 noon until 5 p.m. Saturday, March 12.



Elementary Students Get Brief Dental Check Up

All of the Charlevoix Elementary School students got their teeth checked recently and they didn't even have to leave school.

Dentists Dave Strawbridge, Jeff Porter and Bob Tollas, performed the brief dental screening as part of a dental health awareness program being conducted at the school.

"The purpose of the dental screening was to make parents aware of the concern of the school and the professionals in the area and to let parents know of any dental problems their children might have," Dr. Strawbridge explained.

"Also the program was designed to help the children learn more about dental health and dentists."

Dr. Strawbridge said the children generally looked pretty healthy, but about 20 percent of the students checked did need to have some work done on their teeth.

The dentist said the dental health education program was started at the Charlevoix school last year with kits purchased through special federal funds. The kits contained all the tools the students needed to learn the proper brushing techniques. Accompanying the kits were special movies, film strips and booklets also aimed at teaching the children preventative dental skills.

This year the federal fund dried up, Dr. Strawbridge said, but the Lions Club funded the project.

Earlier in the year, the dentists held an inservice training program for the teachers to help them learn proper brushing techniques so that they could teach the children.

And in the last couple months, the program has moved into full gear with the students actually brushing their teeth in class as well as viewing the films and learning from their teachers.

"It's a good activity for the kids in the late morning and afternoon when they get wound up," Strawbridge said. "They learn to do something constructive for themselves."

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Dealership Opens

HEY, LOOK at what's happened to Village Car Care. It's expanded to include a Chrysler dealership. Here Mike Carland, owner, hands the keys to new Chrysler owner Gay Kitey. The dealership opened Feb. 15, according to Carland. "We had been gassing them (Chryslers) and then we went to fixing them, and then retelling them. So finally we decided to sell them," Carland explained. A grand opening is planned for the dealership in the spring.

Sheriff Receives 43 Complaints

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department received 43 complaints during the week of Feb. 25 to March 4 according to the weekly report issued by Sheriff George T. Lassiter.

A breakdown of the complaints shows six felonies, two misdemeanors, one domestic, one civil, 29 others and four unfounded. Of the total, 34 have been closed. The remaining nine are still open.

One felony arrest was recorded. Four males, one female and one juvenile were booked during the week.

Sixteen accidents were reported including 14 property damage accidents, one personal injury and one snowmobile accident.

Three traffic arrests were made; three traffic warnings issued and 23 general assists made.

Twenty-one dog complaints were received; three summons and four warnings issued and 23 dogs disposed of.

Two snowmobile warnings were issued.

Two court appearances were ordered; 29 civil papers processed; nine liquor inspections made; 170 meals served to prisoners and 523 telephone calls received.

Forensics Team Takes Second At Gaylord Meet

The Charlevoix High School Forensics group placed second in individual events Sweepstakes held at Gaylord Saturday.

Bay City Central won the meet with 156 points with Charlevoix taking second with 127 points and Traverse City third with 123 points.

Charlevoix placed five students in the humorous interpretive reading category with Laura Glass taking first place; Scott Swanson, second; Barbara Swanson, third; Craig Boss, fifth and Candy Kruskie, fourteenth.

Charlevoix also took first place in the multiple entry with excerpts from "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown" in which Don Trimmer, Lisa Wiener, Steve Hufford, Tammy Helms, Geoff Nelson and Corinne Ronger participated.

Sue Miller placed third in the informative reading category.

Others who participated in the tournament were Matt Stangis and Bruce Avery, radio reporting; Lynn Blanchard, girls' oratory; Pam Sutherland, serious reading; Bill Sweet, boys extemp and Louise Caldwell and Ann Watson, story-telling.

Connie Ford is the coach for the team which will be at a tournament at Standish-Stirling high school on Saturday.

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District Court Probation Office Supervisors 196

By FRANK MARTIN

The 90th District Court Probation Department was a busy one last year, according to Jennifer L. Brindel, chief probation officer.

Mrs. Brindel recently presented an in-depth report, outlining the functions and responsibilities of the probation department, its programs and the number of people coming under its jurisdiction, to the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners.

In presenting the report, the chief probation officer said the main function of the department is to supervise misdemeanor offenders who have been placed on either probation or delayed or deferred sentence by the district court judge.

Last year the department supervised 196 people in Charlevoix County and 346 in Emmet County.

Additional duties include presentence investigation and coordinating the District Court programs that include the county's volunteer work program, the Charlevoix County Jail, education program, and special programs for alcohol and drug offenders.

Presentence investigations, as the name implies, are, as the name implies, an investigation prior to the sentencing of a defendant by the District Court Judge. The probation officer conducts an investigation into the crime, interviews the defendant, plaintiff and all parties concerned, checks the person's criminal record, interviews the arresting officer, obtains the police report and all pertinent information on the background of the defendant.

After this is completed, the probation officer turns the findings over to the judge with recommendations.

During 1976, the probation department performed 247 presentence investigations in Charlevoix and Emmet counties. Charlevoix and Emmet counties are both under the jurisdiction of the 90th Judicial District and as a result probation department figures in many instances are for the two counties.

The County Work Program is a new program established by the District Court. Defendants who have been found guilty of a non-violent crime such as larceny, alcohol-related offenses and drug offenses, are sentenced to the work program for a specified number of days where they work without pay in lieu of spending time in the county jail. The District Court feels that it is a useful and successful program since it serves as a strong deterrent for the defendant not to return to court as a repeater, keeps the defendant out of jail so he can continue to work and support his family, provides a worthwhile service to the community and saves county tax dollars by eliminating the expense of jail lodging and board.

In Charlevoix county persons assigned to the work program put in 662 man hours including 186 at the jail; 217 at the Grandview Medical Care Facility; 245 at the County building; seven at special projects and seven at Whiting Park.

In Emmet county 1,217 man hours were served. The reason for the increased number of hours was the larger number of persons involved.

The Probation Officer, among other things, makes recommendations regarding the ability to make restitution for court-appointed attorneys and to an injured party in a criminal case. In 1976, \$2,283 was collected in Charlevoix County and \$3,450 in Emmet County for court-appointed attorneys. A total of \$3,477 was collected as restitution in Charlevoix County and \$6,796 in Emmet County.

In September of 1975, a pilot adult education program for inmates at the Charlevoix County Jail was initiated through the cooperation of the court and the Charlevoix High School Adult Education program. Two classes were offered with 15 students, a math/science class to prepare students for the General Education Development Test (G.E.D.) and a language arts class dealing with reading, spelling and writing skills. Two other jail inmates were given the opportunity to enroll in Adult Education Classes at the Charlevoix High School and several probationers were accepted in the G.E.D. Diploma programs at the high schools in the county.

A DUII, Referral program is utilized by the court. The Alcohol Highway Safety classes are sponsored by the Substance Abuse Division of the District Health Department to provide offenders with a better understanding of alcohol abuse and alcoholism. Upon completion of the course, offenders are returned to the court and are sentenced according to their prior driving record and the cooperation with the referral program.

During 1976, 46 offenders in Charlevoix county and 93 in Emmet county completed the classes. Of this number, six were repeater offenders in Charlevoix county. There were no repeaters in Charlevoix county.

Probationers and defendants are often referred to Community agencies. Last year 243 persons were referred to 13 agencies. The majority of these were referred to the Substance Abuse Service, Drug Related, 31; alcohol related, 63; and Corrections Employment Service, 22. The others include, among others, the M.E.S.C., Halfway House, Petoskey Mental Health Clinic and similar agencies.

Self-awareness classes for controlled substance abusers in the two counties are sponsored by the District Health Department. Part of an offender's probation includes attending the classes for six weeks at a cost of \$35. It does not deal exclusively with drug education but rather is geared toward the use of self awareness techniques and values clarification. In 1976, 34 probationers completed the program. There have been no repeaters.

Township Residents Study Proposed Sewer System

By PAULA HOLMES

Charlevoix Township residents got their first look at a proposed sewer system for the township at a public hearing Monday night.

And about 90 percent of the 30 residents attending the hearing supported the idea of sewer construction in the township.

Alvin Ronger, who along with Wayne Boss, Ben Cunningham and Greg Shadko, has been working on the engineering for the project which involves not only Charlevoix but Hayes, Marion, Eveline and Norwood townships and the City of Charlevoix, explained the project.

Ronger said there were six major areas of existing population requiring the immediate extension of sewerage collection and treatment services. These areas included: Pine Point, North Point, Lake View Court and vicinity, Homeland subdivision and vicinity, Boulder Park and along U.S. 31 north.

Township Supervisor Oscar Stroud said the township board had been petitioned by the residents of the Pine Point, Boulder Park and Lake View Court areas for the construction of sewers and that was why the board had agreed to become part of the study group.

"I want to stress that this study encompasses 20 years," Ronger said. "We have to consider what's already in place and what may take place in the township."

The engineer said based on census studies and the county planning department studies, Charlevoix Township could be expected to double its population within the next 20 years.

"We anticipate that new people moving into the area will build homes near one of the six areas, primarily because these areas are zone residential," Ronger said. "And it is these areas that will need the sewers."

He anticipated that it would cost approximately \$1,000 to tap in to the sewer system plus another \$12 a month for debt retirement and operation and maintenance of the sewer system.

The engineer estimated the entire project would cost about \$2.5 million. If the Environmental Protection Agency (EPA) picks up 80 percent of the funding of the project, which current legislation allows for, the cost to township residents will be only \$501,507.

Approximately 284 homes in the township would currently qualify for sewer hook up under the proposed system.

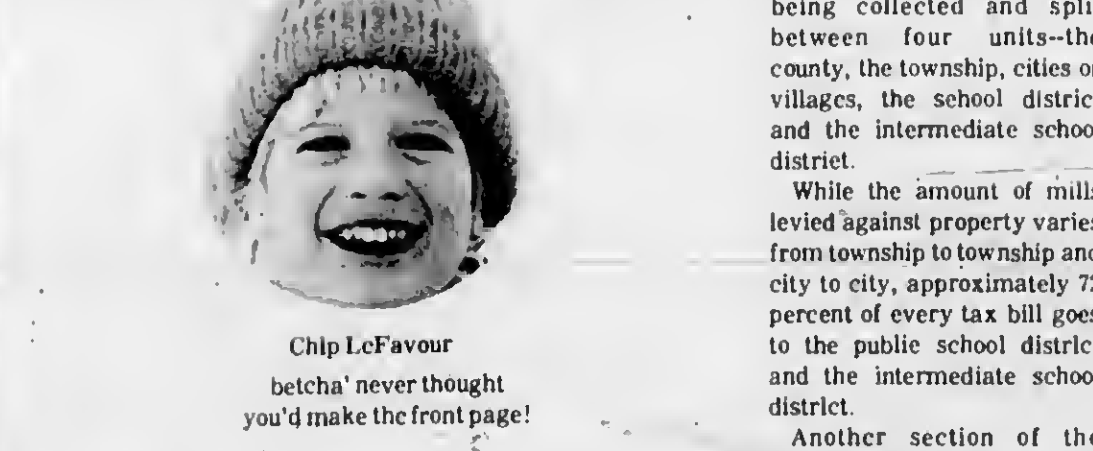
Bloodmobile

Don't forget the Red Cross Bloodmobile from 1 to 7 p.m. Tuesday in the American Legion Hall. Call 547-6314 for an appointment.

Senior Citizens Housing

It's too bad that Charlevoix doesn't have low income housing for its senior citizens. I'm sure that such a complex could be filled if the city could only find someone who was willing to buck the red tape and work out the details for the construction. It is important that we help our senior citizens. We will all grow old one day.

P.S.



WEATHER

The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant:

Date	High	Low	Rainfall
March 8	47	30	0
March 9	54	34	0
March 10	60	30	0
March 11	49	35	0
March 12	44	34	.04
March 13	48	35	.94
March 14	50	33	0

There have been 134.4 inches of snow so far this year, with 10 inches falling during March.

Ronger said that figured into the cost of the sewer system is not only the cost of laying pipe and constructing pump stations, but also the cost of enlarging certain sewer lines in the City of Charlevoix to accommodate the increased flow from the township and to separate the city's combined sanitary and storm sewers.

"Because Charlevoix Township will benefit in the changes of the city sewer system, they should have to help pay for the changes," Ronger pointed out.

The board felt the way the assessing had been done was unfair," William Brady, chairman of the township board of review, explained.

"I'm not saying that the assessing wasn't done right," Brady stressed. "I'm just saying that in our opinion the assessments are unfair."

According to the county equalization department, assessments for the township in the residential property category were overall 34 percent below fair market price, established by sales studies in the township.

And when Robert Pott, Charlevoix Township assessor, set about correcting the deficit by reviewing the township's tax roll, that resulted in property valuation increases of as much as 60 percent for some people living in older homes.

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County Property Tax Dollar Split Many Ways

The worst of property taxes are on the tip of everyone's tongues these days. County residents seem to know how much their taxes are and how much the bill is going up next year, but no one seems to know exactly what property taxes are used for.

In Charlevoix County more than \$7 million in revenue will be raised by the 1976 property tax levy which is currently being collected and split between four units—the county, the township, cities or villages, the school district and the intermediate school district.

While the amount of mills levied against property varies from township to township and city to city, approximately 72 percent of every tax bill goes to the public school district and the intermediate school district.

Another section of the property tax pie, amounting to 12.46 percent goes to the county with 14.97 percent going to the cities, villages and townships.

In return for its share of the tax pie, the four public school districts in Charlevoix County provide instruction, administration, materials, building maintenance, transportation, operation of buildings, capital outlay, health service, insurance and bonded debt retirement.

The Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District provides special education, building maintenance, administration, materials, building codes inspection, county surveyor, prosecuting attorney, drain commissioner, appeals court, probate court, district court, circuit court and friend of the court.

The county also pays for such things as: elections, building authority rent, building maintenance, administration, materials, building codes inspection, county surveyor, prosecuting attorney, drain commissioner, appeals court, probate court, district court, circuit court and friend of the court.

The county buildings' main administration, including, among other things, social security, unemployment, capital outlay and the cooperative extension service with property tax money.

The township with the highest millage rate levied against property is Hayes Township with a millage rate of 36.59. Bay taxpayers pay 4.70 allocated mills to the county or about \$38,929.25; 3.5 mills to the township including, 1 allocated mill, 5 mill for fire protection and 2 mills for road improvements and construction, 27.19 mills to the Boyne City School District and 1.2 mills to the Char-Em Intermediate School District.

The city with the highest millage rate is East Jordan, which levies 51 mills. City taxpayers also pay the 4.7 allocated county mills, 19 to the city including 16 mills for operations, 5 mill for fire department and 2.5 mills for street bond, 28.1 mills for the East Jordan School District, and 1.2 mills to the intermediate district.

The township with the lowest millage rate is St. James Township on Beaver Island. Taxpayers in this township pay the 4.7 allocated mills to the county and 8.7 mills to the township including the 1 allocated mill, 2 mills for the airport, 4 mills for operations and 1.7 mills for airport bonds, 10.1 mills for the Beaver Island School District and 1.2 mills to the intermediate school district.

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"Last year only four people

came to the board of review to protest their taxes," he added.

Township Supervisor Oscar Stroud said he had been warning people that their property valuations would show huge increases this year, and that he had been urging people to come to the board of review and file protests about their taxes.

"It's important for the individual to come in and file a complaint so that we can take the complaints to the county commissioners and let them know how the people feel," Stroud said.

Chairman Brady said the board of review was not gambling that the property taxes would be lower because of its action.

"They'll be factored right back up to whatever is their share, whatever the study shows is their valuation," Mrs. Blanchard said.

"They'll have to carry their share of what the study shows," the equalization director continued. "And if that's not done by assessment, then it will be done by factor."

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THE PROPERTY TAX DOLLAR collected in Charlevoix County is split among many governmental units with the majority of the money going to support the schools. This graph was provided by the county equalization department.

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Community Calendar

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Tuesday, March 15

Charlevoix Women's Club

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luncheon at the Argonne at 12

noon for benefit of the Loch

Rio Girlstern. Reservations

must be made no later than

March 12 with Mrs. James E.

Driggett 547-2270.

American Legion will meet

at post home 8 p.m.

Men's Prayer meeting 7

a.m. Community Church of

God.

Coast Guard Auxiliary

Seamanship and Boating

classes at Charlevoix High

School 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday-Thursday-Friday

March 16-17-18

Teachers conference at

Charlevoix Elementary and

Middle Schools 8:30 until 9:30

p.m. Wednesday and Thurs-

day and 8 a.m. until 11:30 a.m.

and 1 until 4 p.m. Friday.

There will be no school for the

students in K through 8th

grade on Friday.

Wednesday-Thursday

March 16-17

Parent-Teacher conferences

at Charlevoix High School

(grades 9-12) 6:30 until 9:30

p.m. Classes on Friday as

usual.

Wednesday, March 16

Charlevoix Chapter No. 72

Order of the Eastern Star, will

meet at the Masonic Temple, 8

p.m.

TOPS, Mrs. Harold

Towles, Leeb Rd., 6 p.m.

Thursday, March 17

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Senior Citizens pollock 6

p.m. at Charlevoix High

School cafeteria.

Cub Scout Pack meeting at

Charlevoix Elementary

School 7 p.m.

Charlevoix Big Brothers-

Big Sisters will meet at the

community room, Charlevoix

City Hall 7:30 p.m. Joe Ryder

who has been associated with

the program in several

years.

Friday, March 18

Al-Anon Family Group will

meet at undercroft of Christ

Episcopal Church 8 p.m. For

family and friends of problem

drinkers. For further in-

formation call 547-2145.

Charlevoix High School

French Class will sponsor its

second annual LaSalle

Francis (French evening)

at the Elementary School 7:10

p.m. (see story for details).

Saturday, March 19

Petoskey Whirl Aways

Western Square Dance Club

will meet at the Lincoln School

in Petoskey 8-10:30 p.m.

Members are asked to bring

sandwiches for refreshments.

Charlevoix County Big

Brothers and Big Sisters and

their youngsters will be guests

of Shanty Creek ski resort for

an afternoon of skiing and

skiing. Boys and girls will

meet at St. Mary's parking lot

at 12:30 p.m. for trip to the

lodge. Return at 5:30 p.m. (see

story).

Sunday, March 20

Christian Brotherhood

Hour, 8 a.m. Station WVOY

sponsored by Community

Church of God.

Strails Area Ostomy

Association meet at West-

minster Room, Presbyterian

Church, 2 p.m. Concert by

Petoskey Chamber Choir,

directed by Dennis Gazo, will

follow at 2:30 p.m.

Monday, March 21

Charlevoix Board of

Education will meet at high

school study hall 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Band Boosters

will meet at high school band

room 7:30 p.m.

Kappa Sigma chapter, Beta

Sigma Phi sorority will meet

with Mrs. Jack Uhrick 8 p.m.

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Christian Brotherhood

Hour, 8 a.m. Station WVOY

sponsored by Community

Church of God.

Strails Area Ostomy

Association meet at West-

minster Room, Presbyterian

Church, 2 p.m. Concert by

Petoskey Chamber Choir,

directed by Dennis Gazo, will

follow at 2:30 p.m.

Monday, March 21

Charlevoix Board of

Education will meet at high

school study hall 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Band Boosters

will meet at high school band

room 7:30 p.m.

Kappa Sigma chapter, Beta

Sigma Phi sorority will meet

with Mrs. Jack Uhrick 8 p.m.

Tickets: \$2.00. Benefit

Women's Club CHICO fund.

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Editorials/Opinions

Taxpayers Should Urge Alternative Funding

Nothing in life is certain except death and taxes, the old saying goes. And in the last few years the Charlevoix County taxpayers have added a third item to the list in that saying—nothing in life is certain except death, taxes and a property tax increase.

We are not blaming or criticizing the equalization department or the township assessors for this tax increase. We understand that if these people are doing a good and fair job it means that taxes will most likely go up because our property continues to increase in value.

But we are asking our government officials, particularly those men and women who represent us at the state level, to look into an alternative means of raising tax dollars in this state.

We in Northern Michigan cannot continue to have our property valuation climb as it has in recent years or our property will be taxed out from underneath us. That would indeed be a sad state of affairs.

As is pointed out in an article in today's Courier, most of the property taxes in this county go to support the four school systems. About 70 percent of our property tax dollars are used to educate our youth.

We are not saying the school systems should be deprived of these tax dollars. We feel that

the schools deserve the support of the people, but we are suggesting that an alternative means of financing the school systems should lead to a cut in property taxes and a more equitable way of spreading the school tax burden.

The only alternative is to seek a means of funding the school system that combines both property taxes and an income tax of some sort. This way the rapid and yearly increase in property taxes could be checked some what because the amount of mills levied against property would be lower.

The remainder of the tax burden could be spread on a graduated income tax system, among everyone according to their ability to pay.

Bills advocating this switch in the funding of the school systems as a means of lowering property taxes have been introduced into both the house and the senate. We urge taxpayers to learn about these bills, to seek the advice of area school superintendents as to which bill would be the most beneficial for our school systems and then to urge their representatives to support the switch in the system.

We must work together to seek a solution to our high property taxes. Positive action can do it.

Chemical Surveillance Needed in State

PCB, PBB and PCP. It's amazing how these few letters in the right combination have caused so much anguish and tragedy in this state.

The letters represent various chemicals—toxic chemicals—that have one way or another crept into our food chain and into our bodies.

While State Department of Health officials are still arguing over whether or not PCB and PBB actually caused any harm to the people who have consumed the chemicals in their food, almost everyone in Michigan has consumed some amount of both chemicals—over the weekend it was announced that PCP is a very dangerous chemical which has already been linked to the death of several cows in the southern part of this state.

Who knows when the chemical will do to people? The question is, why weren't these chemicals studied before they were put on the market? How come nobody knew that the chemicals would seep through the earth where they were disposed of and into the water table and into the Great Lakes and into the trout and whitefish as PCB has.

And now PCP, which was used to treat wood grain storage bins, has contaminated the feed and poisoned several animals.

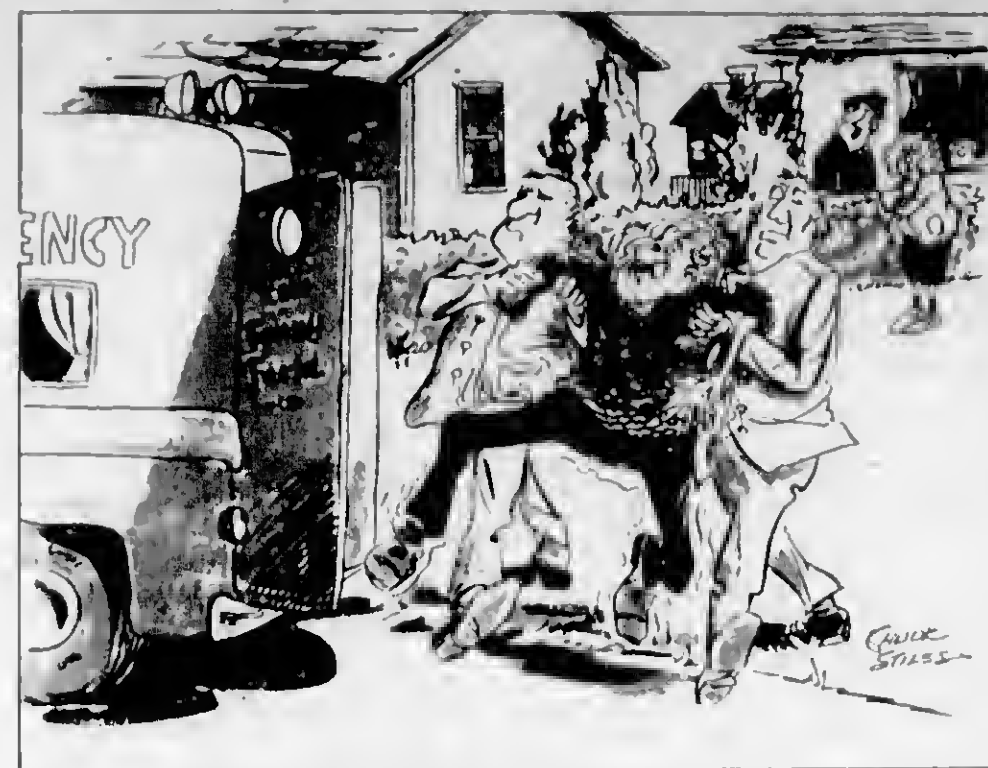
We urge concerned citizens of this state to demand that stricter controls be placed on the use of any chemical in this state. No one should have to go through the pain and uncertainty that our citizens have had to go through after finding out that they may well have been poisoned by a chemical that none of our health or agriculture or food and drug officials seem to know anything about.

As taxpayers we employ a good number of people to protect us from improper use of chemicals and other things that could be harmful to our health. But they seem to have failed in their job.

If these officials have failed because they did not have the proper tools, such as strict legislation regarding the use of chemicals, to help them protect the residents of this state, then we urge our state representatives and senators to get busy and pass such legislation.

If these officials failed because they weren't doing the job they were hired for, then we urge the legislature to replace the officials.

At any rate, the residents of this state cannot tolerate many more chemical poisonings before it will begin to seriously affect people as well as animals.



Letters to the editor

DSS Thanks Supporters

Dear Editor:

RE: OPEN HOUSE

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the general public, the many agencies, organizations, press, and our social services staff for making our

Open House a success.

Sincerely,

Richard H. Tilden, Director
Charlevoix County
Department of Social Services

Duke Answers Story On Tennis Match

EDITOR'S NOTE: Tombs is taken pretty seriously about Charlevoix, especially the matches between Thomas Duke and Richard George. Last week the Courier reported the outcome of one of these matches. The following is Duke's reply.

The Charlevoix Courier
and Richard T. George
RE: Courier Article March 2, 1977

Gentlemen:

This will serve to put you on notice, that the malicious and vicious article of the above date, due to both errors of commission and omission, obviously deliberate, has prompted me to take advice from counsel and as a result, litigation will begin immediately.

You are advised that damages will be sought commensurate with the damage done to the pristine pure and splendid reputation of one Thomas A. Duke.

The following basic complaints will be part of the lawsuit:

1. The word "trounces" in the headline was inaccurate. It should have been "obliterated."

2. The obvious reference to my hair piece "Alas Flying Carpet" was both unnecessary and in questionable taste, considering the fact that I have been told that it is incredibly undetectable. That one reference in your newspaper article will most probably make known for the first time that it is not "hume grown hair."

3. Your laughable reference to my age of 63 when I am, in fact and in appearance, 29, is patently absurd. The loser, Mr. George (Alas Twinkle Toes), while admitting to at least 34, which fabrication he continues to use.

4. Your reference to "124 prior games" is not only inaccurate but is obviously in error because that many games would most certainly have led to cardiac arrest in an old goat like Mr. George.

5. You are to be heartily congratulated and I must say we can "point with pride" to your accurate sentence referring to "Duke played a flawless game."

6. The claimed disadvantage by Mr. George, i.e., "playing with left hand, wearing snow shoes, asthma and low back pain", are all false, misleading, scurrilous and unworthy of response with the exception of the low back pain. He may, I will admit, have suffered low back pain because in the third set he unfortunately took one of my screaming crosscourt volleys in the tush, while he was ducking for cover.

7. Your last paragraph, once again, shows how the article pendulously and ponderously staggered from maliciousness to accurate reporting, whereby "my modest and humble demeanor" is pointed out.

8. It is mind-boggling that you would omit the final scores of the match 6-1, 6-4, 6-2. It is an obvious whitewash and cover up.

Please be advised that one of the finest law firms in the world, Bombast and Bombast of Uganda, will be handling the case.

They have assured me we will triumph in court, just as on court, or they will shrink your heads! Sincerely,
Thomas (Flying Carpet) Duke



If it Fits

by Jim Fitzgerald

State Sen. Basil Brown is asking taxpayers to buy him a \$2,000 ticket to China so he can study, among other things, "special problems affecting minorities."

Good thinking. Brown is from Highland Park where Chinese are a minority you can walk for days without seeing one. But China is full of Chinese people.

If you think Brown is a smart legislator, how about Rep. Dominic Jacobetti, the Neogene Democrat? At the age of 56, Jacobetti just joined a pension plan which allows him to retire at the age of 55 and collect at least \$11,400 per year. He was allowed to join the plan 22 years later by virtue of a special bill passed by his fellow Legislators.

Until last December, Jacobetti was the only member of the 16-member Legislature who did not participate in the retirement system. Legislators must pay 9 percent of their salary into the system, and for 22 years Jacobetti refused to pay. After all, he could not be sure he would be a legislator long enough to collect full benefits. Voters are capricious, and a legislator

can get hit by a truck.

But last year Jacobetti looked at his calendar and discovered, by God, he had made it. So he asked his good buddies to pass a bill changing the deadline for joining the legislative retirement system to Jan. 1, 1977 for any legislator now serving. The bill would benefit only 1 person in the world—Jacobetti.

The bill was passed in a swirl. All Jacobetti had to do was make a lump payment of about \$6,100, including interest. He can retire tomorrow and begin collecting his \$11,400 annually. Jacobetti didn't play the game until after he won it. More good thinking. If you don't agree that Jacobetti is a clever fellow, just try pulling his stunt on the pension plan where you work.

All of which reminds me of a jobless friend who phoned me from Las Vegas 2 years ago. I was surprised because a week earlier he had been living on welfare in Michigan. He explained he was pretending to be a state legislator so he could show the world how easy it is for a phony to get on the public payroll.

"Right now I am on a junket," he said. "I am attending a seminar on the



Clockwise

by Bob Clock

If you find yourself up to your ears in unpaid bills at the end of every month, you apparently are in good company. Maybe not good, but at least plentiful.

The National Foundation for Consumer Credit in Washington reports that the average family with an income of \$15,000 a year now has an average debt of \$6,000, excluding mortgage payments.

The institute says that as many as 10 percent of American families are in serious financial difficulty today, compared to only three percent in 1973.

The folks most likely to find themselves in credit card trouble are young marrieds, who try to match the lifestyle of their parents right off the bat, and young couples with children who may suffer a drastic cut in spendable income if the young mother quits work.

Each month, consumers charge about \$1.5 billion worth of goods and services, with total credit outstanding pushing \$88 billion, according to the Federal Reserve Board.

In the pre-Christmas spending boom last year, Americans went credit-crazy wild, with consumer credit expanding at the fastest rate in 41 months. By the end of 1976, consumer installment debt outstanding was up more than 10 percent from a year earlier.

Although the figure doesn't include home mortgages, it does include automobiles, charges on bank credit cards and department store charge credit.

All of which makes rather dismal reading, because we haven't even begun to talk about credit interest rates which can double the cost of large purchases when spread over inordinately long periods of time.

Is there hope for the creditaholic? Yes, according to John Johnson, executive vice-president of the American Collectors Association, an organization of 2,600 collection agencies.

—First, make a list of all your

creditors, the amount owed to each and the date and size of your last payment.

—Get in touch with each creditor, explain your problem and tell him how you plan to repay the bill. Be specific.

—Figure up how much it costs you to live each month — and reduce the amount by 20 percent. Non-essentials will go out the window, but you'll find life is possible on an austere budget.

—Use this 20 percent to pay your creditors. Make and keep a commitment to pay something — no matter how much — to each creditor each month. That is the key to getting back to a good credit standing.

Johnson urges above all that creditaholics keep the lines of communication open between themselves and their creditors. "They realized that emergencies can arise and they may be willing to revise or defer your payments."

VETERAN Weather-watchers in Charlevoix can't remember a single week when so much snow went so rapidly as it has in the past seven days.

The big ridge, however, is what happened to the run-off? Very few puddles have developed even during Saturday's rain, and streets for the most part are dry. I expect sidewalks will be too, when they finally emerge from the permafrost.

Of course, snow came so heavy and so early that there probably is very little frost in the ground. But it is still hard to visualize four feet of snow disappearing in seven days, without leaving a damp spot somewhere.

Although the winter's precipitation was above normal in terms of snow, inches, the snow doesn't seem to have much water in it.

Can we have dry snow, just like we manufacture "dry ice"?

With a Democrat in the White House, I suppose anything is possible.



Erma Bombeck

I couldn't help overhearing a conversation in a department store the other day.

A woman was shuffling through a sale dress rack when she shouted, "If you're tired, just say so and we'll go home. It is no fun for me to shop when you stand back there and give me 'that look.' Why don't you go play in the drinking fountains or something?"

I looked down half expecting to see a pre-schooler, when a silver-haired man said mechanically, "I am not tired, Cora. Take your time."

This will undoubtedly sound sexist, but man was never meant to shop. He doesn't have the physical stamina for it. After 15 to 20 hours on your feet, men tend to tire. Not women. I learned to shop at the feet of the Master — my mother. She could make the raid on Enchante look like an impulse.

All you had to do was to put a card marked, "CLEARANCE, ALL SALES FINAL," or "10 percent OFF" under her nose to sniff. Then, hang on tight, because she was good for three days.

I have to admit, she brought a certain excitement to the exercise. She would stand outside of a department store waiting for the store to open. When she saw the manager approach the door she

would take up the slack in her handbag strap, grab my hand and tuck it under her arm like a football which explains why my right arm is three inches longer today than my left one), hold her body rigid in a blocking stance, and when the door opened, charge!

(Literally. She was the only woman ever to get a credit card burns on 90 percent of her hands.)

Men are too practical to shop. Whenever they spend a day in a department store, they feel they should buy something. They do not enjoy the challenge.

Men, on the other hand, tend to be over-the-top. They will pick up a shirt and really feel an impulse to buy it. Then suddenly they will ask themselves, "Do I really need this shirt?"

I felt sorry for Cora. I really did. Here was her big day to rummage through racks of merchandise and there was her husband hanging over her shoulder like a bad conscience.

Next time you go shopping with your wife, ask yourself, would you want to read Playboy while she turned the pages? Same thing.

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Meet Charlevoix

...Tom Schaperkötter

Last week was the 50th annual Save Your Vision Week. The national optometric association observes the week every year to remind people that their vision is a precious resource that needs to be properly cared for and protected.

In Charlevoix there are two optometrists, Dr. Robert Anderson and Dr. Thomas Schaperkötter. This week the Courier spoke with Dr. Schaperkötter about the things people should do to protect their vision.

COURIER: What do people neglect the most when it comes to their eyesight?

SCHAPERKÖTTER: Usually it's the regular eye exam that they neglect.

COURIER: When should people start visiting the optometrist and how often?

SCHAPERKÖTTER: We like to start seeing children when they are between five and six years old unless the parents have noticed any problem and then we would like to see them even earlier.

than that. From then on they should come in every two years until they are 20. From age 20 to 40 people should come in about every three years for check ups and over 40 they should come in every two years again.

COURIER: Are there any particular things you look for at certain ages?

SCHAPERKÖTTER: Around age 40 we look for signs of glaucoma and with people around 60 years of age we look for cataract.

COURIER: What is glaucoma and what does it do to a person's vision?

SCHAPERKÖTTER: Glaucoma is an increase in the pressure inside the eye that causes eye damage or killing of the nerves in the eye. This creates a spotty vision with a loss of peripheral vision. Usually glaucoma sneaks up on people. They don't notice the spotty vision because the other eye will cover it up.

COURIER: How can glaucoma be easily detected during a routine eye examination?

COURIER: What are common sense things people should do to protect their vision?

SCHAPERKÖTTER: People who are contact lens wearers should not overwear their lenses. In the summer time people should be sure and wear sunglasses with glass lenses to keep out the ultraviolet rays of the sun. We find many people who have sunburned the front portion of their eyes because

early enough it can be controlled and blindness prevented.

COURIER: What is cataract?

SCHAPERKÖTTER: Cataract affects the lens of the eye and causes a cloudiness and dimming of vision. It is also easily detected during a routine vision examination.

COURIER: Do your eyes wear out as you get older?

SCHAPERKÖTTER: Not really. They do become a little less sensitive, but if you use common sense you shouldn't have any problem with your vision.

COURIER: What are common sense things people should do to protect their vision?

SCHAPERKÖTTER: One of the newest things in the treatment of cataract. There is a new treatment which cuts down on the time the patient has to spend in the hospital. With the new procedure patients can leave the same day or the next day.

COURIER: What are some of the other advances?

SCHAPERKÖTTER: We have new instruments for measuring the pressure for

they didn't wear proper sunglasses. People should also be sure to read with adequate light and to sit about six to eight feet from the television set while watching it.

COURIER: Is there anything else people should do?

SCHAPERKÖTTER: The main thing is that parents should be aware and check their children to see if there is any vision problem. Also people should have regular check ups.

COURIER: What are some of the newer advances in eye care?

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glaucoma that are not as uncomfortable for the patient. Also you could call the soft contact lenses a new development. The hard contact lenses have been around since about 1950.

COURIER: How did you get interested in this field?

SCHAPERKÖTTER: I was a graduate of Grand Valley State College and I was interested in going into the medical field. I had a friend in Grand Rapids who was an

optometrist and that interested me in the field.

COURIER: How long have you been in practice?

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COURIER: How did you happen to pick Charlevoix?

SCHAPERKÖTTER: My wife Kris (Lieberman) is from here. She is currently working as a part time teacher at the high school.

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Development Group Seeks Support for Industrial Park

The development of an industrial park in the Charlevoix area is the new goal of the Charlevoix Development Corporation.

And to reach its goal, the development corporation, a nonprofit organization that has been responsible for helping many businesses make Charlevoix their home, has started a drive to sell more shares of its stock.

The funds from the stock sales will be used to purchase the land for the establishment of the industrial park and for the installation of water and electric lines.

"We hope to establish the industrial park complete with sewer and electricity so that the community can have an area where various companies could come to," Bob Lieberman, investor and member of the board of directors of the development corporation, explained.

"It would be an area in the hole for this area when companies are investigating relocating here," Lieberman continued. "The site would be ready for them with the correct zoning and water and electric lines."

Lieberman said the development corporation would lease the property to interested companies rather than sell it so that the corporation could maintain some control over what happens in

landings and takeoffs with 28 planes based at the airport. Two flying clubs—the Charlevoix Flying Club and the Charlevoix Soaring Club—operate there as well as two flying services—McPhillips and Welke—which serve as the main link between Beaver Island in the winter.

At nearby airports the count is 3,625 operations with eight planes based at the Bay City Airport, 11,250 operations with 14 planes based at the Harbor Springs Airport and 10,500 operations at the Pullman Airport.

According to the aeronautics commission, the activity at the Charlevoix Municipal Airport includes 16,800 operations a year.

State Rep. Ralph Ostling and Rep. Melvin Larson from Oakland County will be in the area next week to talk with local residents about any problems they feel the state should be studying.

Ostling and Larson will be talking with Charlevoix County residents from 3 to 4:30 p.m. Monday in the main lobby of the Charlevoix County Building.

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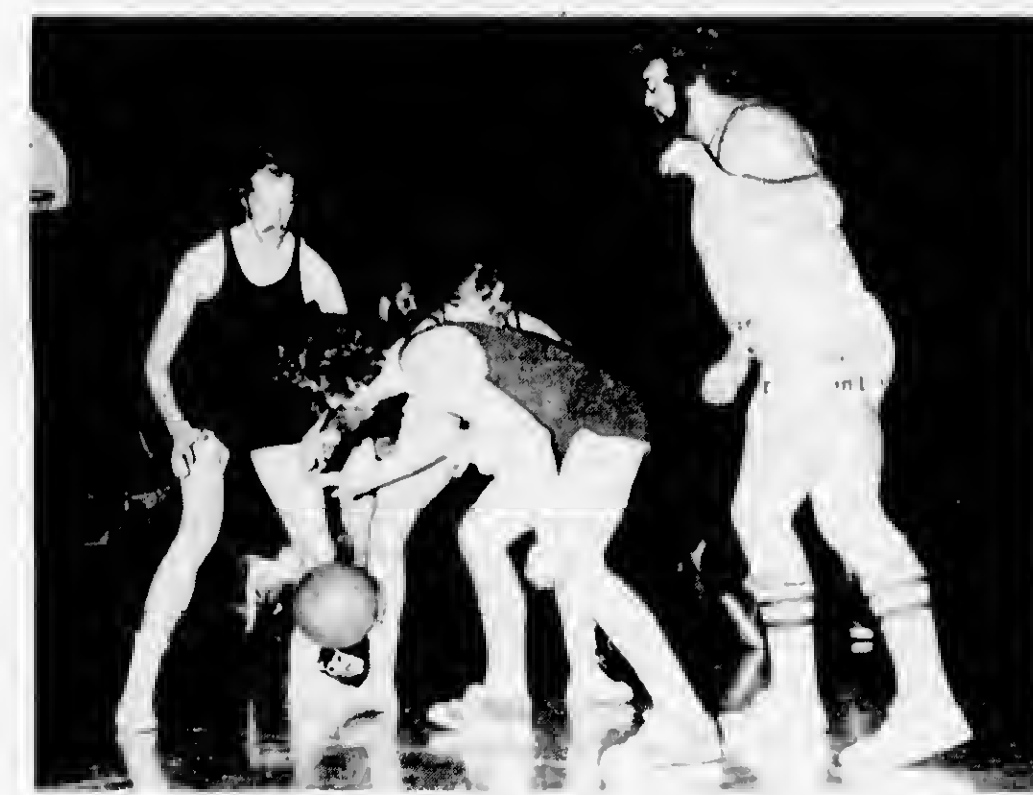


DENNIS DOMINIC of Townhouse was not disturbed by the aerial antics of Kadens Al Looze (13) and made this shot anyway. But Kadens defeated the Townhouse 60-54 in a rough battle last week.



DAVE SWANSON is all arms and legs as he took to the air to prevent this basket by Jim Donbert of Willett Roofing. Swanson's defeated Willett 56-52.

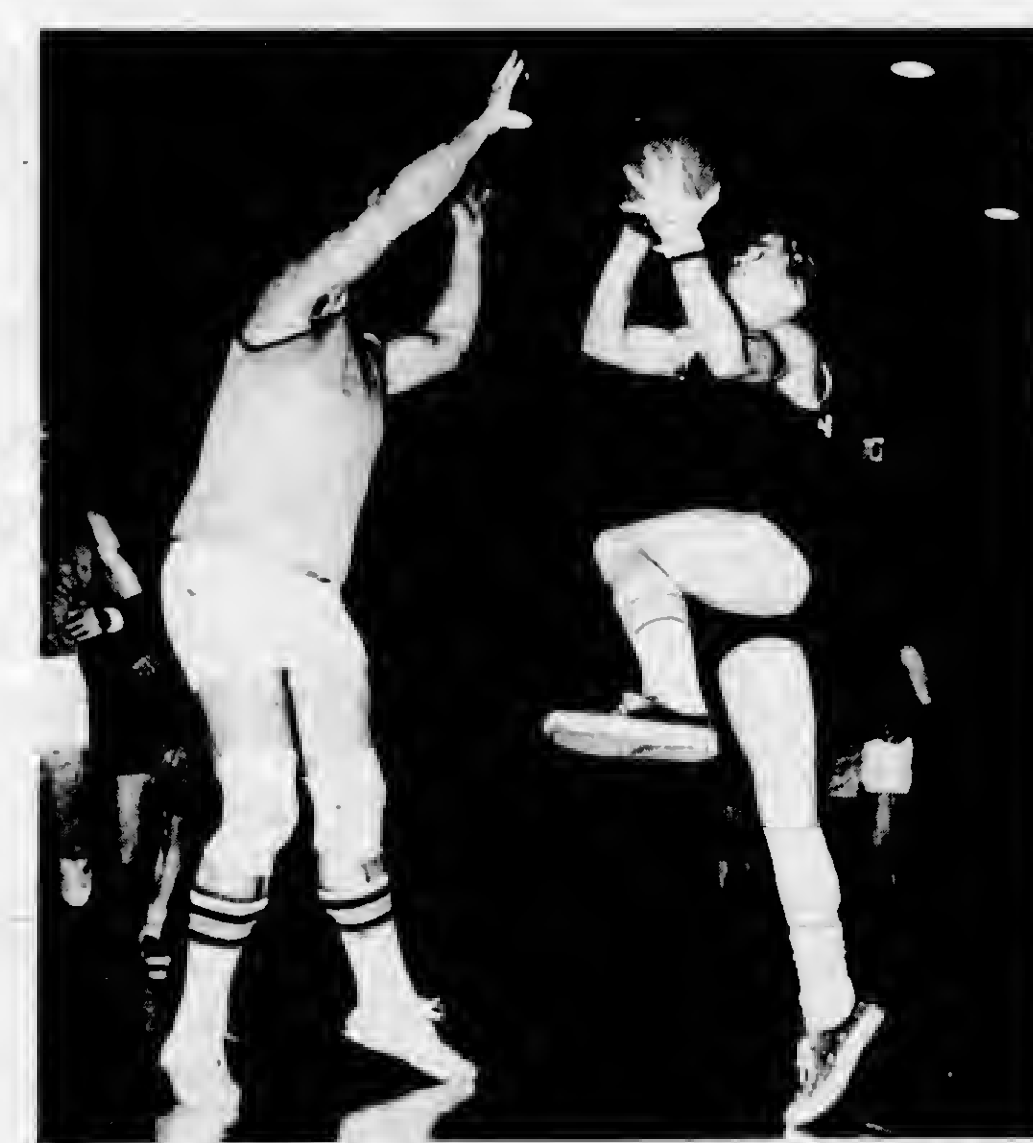
Jimmy Bogart Tourney Rolls On, Final Action Slated This Week



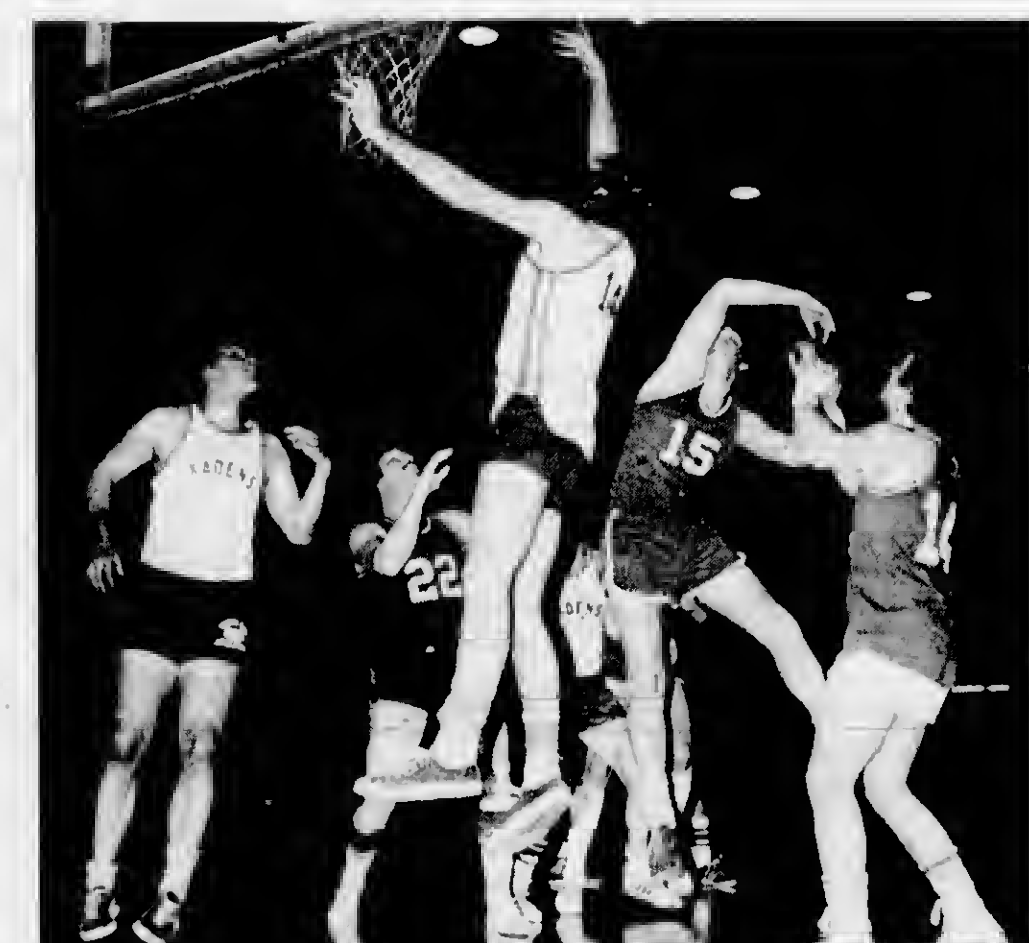
RICK VAN STEUDUM of Willett Roofing tries to gain control of the ball while his teammate and Swanson players watch. Swanson's defeated Willett 56-52 in Thursday action.



SOMETIMES YOU HAVE to be a contortionist to make those badly needed points. Here Jim Bauman displays his agility as his teammates and Dennis Dominic (13) and Chuck Wright (20) of Townhouse watch.



A LEAGUE ACTION in the Jimmy Bogart tourney continued last week with Swanson's edging Willett Roofing 56-52. Here a Swanson player blocks the shot of Jim Donbert of Willett Roofing.



JIM BAUMAN (14) of Kadens went up for this shot in the face of Joe Boss (15) of the Townhouse team. Kadens defeated Townhouse 60-54 in the winners' bracket of the Jimmy Bogart Tourney.

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Volleyball Team Moves Into Semifinals

The Charlevoix girls volleyball team advanced to the semifinals in the Class C regional tournament at Elk Rapids Saturday before being eliminated by St. Ignace.

In their meeting with the

Saints, Charlevoix took the first match 15-12 but failed to rally as they bowed to St. Ignace 15-4, 15-6.

St. Ignace then went into the final round of play against Rogers City. Rogers City won the first

match 15-9, lost the second to the Saints 15-12 and then came back to take the rubber match in an overtime by a score of 17-15.

In the first round of play Grayling won over Boyne City

15-10, 15-10; Rogers City over Kaikaska 15-4, 15-5; Charlevoix over East Jordan 15-9, 15-4 and St. Ignace over Elk Rapids 13-15, 15-1, 15-7.

In the second semi-final game, Rogers City eliminated Grayling 15-10, 15-

6. Rogers City will now be one of eight teams participating in the State finals at Spring Arbor Saturday. Rogers City's first opponent will be the winner of the Niles Branch regional tournament.

Will Meet Victor of County State-Tri-City Game

Freedmans in Winner's Bracket

The finals in the B League Division of the Jimmy Bogart tournament will be played at 6:30 Wednesday with a second game scheduled for 7:30 p.m.

Thursday if necessary.

The Wednesday game will pit Freedman Aircraft, winner in the winner's bracket, with the winner of the County

State Bank-Tri-City Asphalt game that was played Monday.

In last week's play-off action, Allray Cottages won by

forfeit over Wojan Aluminum only to be defeated the following night by a score of 50-32 by County State Bank. The Bankers had advanced in the loser's bracket by clipping Hoskins 45-32. Tri-City Asphalt was topped from the winner's bracket by Freedman Aircraft by a score of 49-43.

In their game with All Ray Cottages, County State Bank led the Cottagers 13-5; 28-14 and 38-26 by quarters before posting the 18 point victory. Larry Skippergoth led the scoring for the Bankers with 12 points. Dave Martinech had 13 for the losers.

Earlier Jerry Skippergoth had paced the Bankers as they headed Hoskins 14-6; 27-12 and 42-18 by quarters. Clay Jones had 15 and Frank Holcomb 14 for Hoskins.

In the final game of the winner's bracket Freedman's jumped to a 14-13 first period

A League Tourney Finals Slated for This Week

The A League of the Charlevoix Independent Basketball League will conclude its season this week when the finals of annual Jimmy Bogart tourney are played.

Townhouse will play the winner of the Way Oil-Swanson game at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. The winner of that game will meet Kadens' Emporium at 6:30 p.m. Thursday. If a second game is necessary, it will be played at 6:30 p.m. March 21.

Last week Kadens defeated

Townhouse 60-54 in the winner's bracket and Swanson's edged Willett Roofing 56-52 in an overtime after the regulation game had ended 48-41 in the loser's bracket.

The Kadens-Townhouse game was a battle all the way with Kadens leading 14-12 at the quarter only to have Townhouse snap back with a 30-22 margin at half-time. This, however, was short-lived as Kadens forged to a 47-42 advantage at the third period and hung on for the six-point victory. Jim Bauman with 21,

Al Looze with 13 and Kirk Kujawski and Kim Hocquard with 10 each paced the win. Chuck Wright and Steve Smith with 12 each shared scoring honors for Townhouse.

In the Swanson-Willett Roofing game, the Roofers trailed 14-10, 27-22 and 37-31 by quarters before making their big pitch in the final period to knot the score at the final horn 48-48. In the overtime Swanson's outscored the Roofers 8-4 to take the game and advance in the loser's bracket.



THE CAR CARE CRUSHERS with a record of 35 wins and 10 losses captured the Men's Volleyball League title. Members of the winning team are front row (l to r) Jim Wibby, Bill Dietrich, Mike Carland, team sponsor. Back row: Jim Miller, John Ozga, Gabe Sheldon, Jim Keller. The six-team league was one of three participating in the Volleyball League sponsored by the Charlevoix Recreation Department.



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Little League Sign up Set for Monday, Tuesday

Sign up for the Charlevoix Little League will be held from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Monday and Tuesday at the Charlevoix High School gym.

Boys and girls, including those who played in the Little League last year, must be accompanied by a parent or guardian and they must have a copy of their birth certificates when they come to

the sign up. In order to be eligible, players must also be 8 years old but not 15 by August 1.

Each parent is asked to donate \$3 per player or a total of \$5 per family. Each player is also asked to furnish his or her own hat for a nominal fee. The hats will be available at the Little League Concession

stand during the first game. Tryouts for all new players in Major League, Senior League, Division 1 and Division II will be held on Saturday, April 16.

For further information contact: Doug Wilks, 547-9646; Lawrence Bergman, 547-2151; Bill Stevens, 547-9153; and Curt Ayers, 547-4324.

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People Peering Down Family Trees to Roots

More and more Americans are peering down from top branches of their family trees looking for their roots.

They are getting into genealogy, fast becoming one of the nation's biggest hobbies or indoor sports. Anybody who ever had parents can play.

"It's merely trying to find out who the folks were that you came from way back when," explains one amateur genealogist. "It's a sort of social-climbing, ancestor worship," sneers a detractor.

Why the surge of interest in family ancestors? Alex Haley is one reason—Haley and "Roots," his book tracing his family history back through slavery days to a village in Africa, as well as the recent television serial about it, one of the most-watched programs of all time.

Chris Hepler Genealogy

Another reason is a renewed historical awareness of our forefathers, the founders and settlers of the nation, that was brought on by last year's Bicentennial celebrations across the land.

As people get older they seem to become fascinated

with genealogy, says one researcher, "as though the grim reaper was prodding them to take measure of their ancestors' tombstones while there is still time."

Those who have been at it for a while say genealogy can become an obsession, like reading detective stories or working crossword puzzles.

Washington, D.C., is a Mecca in the Great American Ancestor Hunt, with four major sources of information.

The Daughters of the American Revolution has been collecting records for many years to help trace families back to a colonial patriot, the qualification for DAR membership.

The Library of Congress has 5,000 genealogy books and 21,000 family histories. The National Genealogical Society has some 15,000 histories and records from all the states plus many unpublished sources.

The National Archives supposedly has records of anything anyone ever had to do with the federal government. Since "Roots" the Archives has been crowded with Black Americans, poring

through the nation's biggest collection of slavery records.

In Utah the Mormon Church has a genealogy vault of microfilm records tunneled deep into a granite mountain intended to survive a nuclear holocaust.

Duplicate records in Salt Lake City are one of the world's great genealogy bonanzas, especially to Mormons trying to confirm ancestors so they can then be baptized into the faith long after death and thus, according to the Mormons, assured entry into the kingdom of heaven.

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Theoretically, starting with four grandparents, a family tree could be traced 20 generations or to about the year 1300, turning up some one million ancestors.

Shaking skeletons from a family tree can result in surprising fallout: a great-great uncle hanged as a horse thief, an 18th century "proven" and properly burned witch, or other notables. Depending on family aspirations, their discovery may be greeted with despair or delight.

Forefather, I presume! Many embarking on genealogical expeditions hope to qualify as a member of perhaps the General Society of Mayflower Descendants.

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the Jamestown Society, the DAR, the National Society of Children of the American Revolution, the First Families of Virginia, the Descendants of Signers of the Declaration of Independence, or the Barons of Hymnmeade (where the Magna Carta was signed).

In England only two families, the Ardens and the Berkeleys, have found ancestors who lived before the Norman Conquest. Of men who fought in the Battle of Hastings in 1066, only 15 are known by name.

But many quality as descendants of the "Illegitimate Sons and Daughters of Kings and Queens of Britain."

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Illegitimacy may be a broken twig in many American family trees: An estimated 17 percent of Colonial Americans were born out of wedlock.

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Council Opens Doors to Merger with Township

By PAULA HOLMES

Charlevoix Common Council opened the door Monday night to the possibility of a merger between the city and the township.

The six aldermen and the mayor unanimously approved a resolution petitioning the county board of commissioners with a proposal for

the extension of the city boundaries to include all of Charlevoix Township.

"Nobody in particular asked me to present this resolution," Mayor Edward Hansen said explaining his action. "I just feel the time is right for such a move."

"And it had come to my attention that no township official was going to request

such action and that the city would have to be the initiator in such a move," the mayor continued.

Hansen said two things—the proposed new city charter and the proposed sewer facilities expansion plan—made the time particularly right for a merger between the two governmental units.

"It's only logical that two

units so interdependent on each other should be under one body of control," he explained. "We are duplicating a lot of our efforts."

"I think people have come to the conclusion that we can get along together and that now is the time to start doing it," he added.

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Community Calendar

Tuesday, March 22
Charlevoix Rebekah lodge will meet at American Legion post home, 8 p.m.
Men's Prayer meeting, 7 a.m., Community Church of God.
Wednesday, March 23
Charlevoix Lodge No. 293, I.O.O.F., will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at the tarmac of the airport hangar 8 p.m.
Northern District Boy Scout and Cub Scout leaders recognition dinner at Petoskey High School cafeteria.
Thursday, March 24
St. Mary's Board of Education will meet at the school 8 p.m.
Area Mental Health Clinic Board will meet at the clinic, 603 Lake St., Petoskey, 7 p.m.
V.F.W. will meet at Post Home 8 p.m.
Muskegon Community College Choral and Collegians will present a concert at the high school gymnasium 8 p.m. Free will offering. (see story)
Friday, March 25

HEW Seeking Welfare Opinions

The public is invited to submit written statements of any length on the subject of welfare reform to the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, it was announced by HEW acting Regional Director George T. Holland.
President Carter promised

Al-Anons Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.
Saturday, March 26
Cub Scout Pinewood Derby for Charlevoix Cub Scouts will be held at the Charlevoix High School gymnasium at 2 p.m. Winners will advance to Northern District competition.
Sunday, March 27
Christian Brotherhood Hour, 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.
Monday, March 28
Pearl Divers will meet at Community Church of God, 3:45-5 p.m.
March 29, 30 & 31
North Central Association Accreditation Visitation at the school.

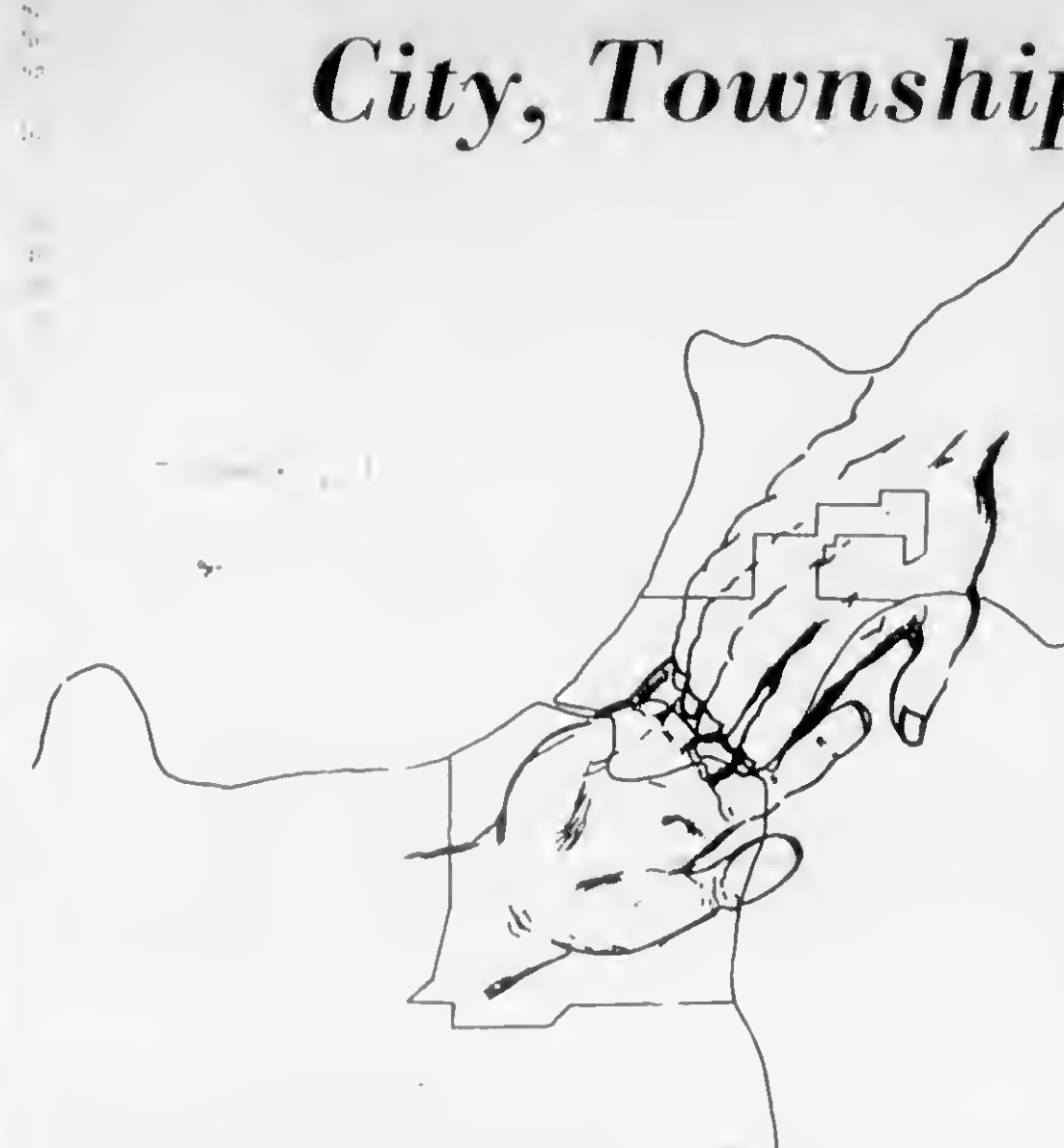


THE NEW Charlevoix County Sheriff's Substation opened officially last week in Boyne Falls. Along with the substation, a toll-free phone communications system was set up so that no county residents will have to pay long distance charges to call the sheriff.

Charlevoix High School.
Tuesday, March 27
Men's Prayer meeting, 7 a.m., Community Church of God.
Wednesday, March 28
Charlevoix Little League Auxiliary will meet at the Community Room, First State Bank, 7:30 p.m. All Little League Modifiers are asked to attend.
Thursday, March 29
Charlevoix Public and St. Mary's Parochial Schools will be closed for the annual spring break. Classes will be resumed at the usual time on April 1.

Central Michigan To Hold Classes On Beaver Island

High school students from throughout Michigan will have an opportunity this summer to study at Central Michigan University's (CMU) Biological Station on Beaver Island. The CMU Biology Department is offering three sessions—one for college credit-qualified juniors and seniors at its 43-acre biological station on the east shore of the island. Central's campus on the island includes four laboratories, office and research space, a biology library and a dormitory. The island serves as an ideal location for biological study with its seven inland lakes, numerous beaver dams, swamps and bays, forest beaches and sand dunes. The noncredit sessions, designed to provide field experience for students, are scheduled for June 12-18 and August 14-20. Students must be recommended by their high school biology teacher and have completed one year of biology to be admitted. The third session, June 28-July 8, will allow students to earn three hours of CMU credit in Biology 197. Students must meet the entrance requirements of CMU or be entering freshmen at any accredited university. Applications and information are available from Dr. Matthew H. Hohn, Biological Station, Biology Department, CMU, Mt. Pleasant, 48859.



THE MERGER of Charlevoix Township and the City of Charlevoix is being discussed again by area residents as a means of holding down costs in the two governmental units.

Administrators Studying Serving Breakfast at Elementary School

Charlevoix Elementary School students may soon be able to enjoy breakfast at school as well as lunch. School Superintendent James McKimney said the administrative staff would be recommending to the board of education within the next few weeks that a breakfast program be started at the K-5 school and run experimentally for a period of time before this school year is over.
Last January, Governor William Milliken signed into law the Mandatory School Food Service Act which requires that lunch programs be made available to all pupils in all public schools. The act also required that school breakfast programs be instituted in all public schools in meeting certain requirements.
McKimney said the three Charlevoix schools did not fall into the categories requiring that breakfast be served in the schools. However, he felt that the program should be tried out at the elementary level.
"The administrative staff feels that this program is a good one for the children," McKimney explained. "We are taking the attitude that if the motives behind the legislation are valid, then there must be children in our schools that could benefit from a breakfast program."
McKimney said various studies have shown that nutrition patterns and dietary habits of children affect their ability to attend school and participate in learning activities. The superintendent said the studies pointed out a definite connection between eating breakfast and a child's ability to learn.
"For these reasons we will suggest that we experimentally start a breakfast program at the elementary school," he said.
The superintendent said the school was also selected

City, Township Residents Support Merger

By PAULA HOLMES
For almost a decade, the residents of Charlevoix and Charlevoix Township have been discussing the merger of the two governmental units. The township and city have been like two warring factions and an earlier attempt at annexation of the township into the city failed in 1969 when it was put to a vote of the people.
But now the residents in both communities are beginning to seriously talk merger again.
The proposed expansion of the city sewer system to serve township residents, the high cost of utilities, the ever-increasing property tax and the current rewriting of the city charter seem to be the reasons behind the renewed interest in the joining of the two units.
"The city and the township are like two countries that have been at war for a certain amount of time, that suddenly stop and ask what they've been fighting about," Dale Boss, a township resident who opposed the first annexation attempt, but who now supports a merger between the two units.
Boss added that the city is checked and stymied in its growth because most of its property is held up in a merger between the two units would allow the community to continue to grow.
He also pointed out that township residents enjoy a lot of things the city provides such as recreation, and lower electricity bills in the areas where the residents get city electricity.
Tom LaBance, another township resident, also supports a merger between the two units.
"I've been in favor of a merger ever since they started considering this," LaBance explained. "I knew the city was considering writing a new charter and I felt it was time for the township to work with the city in writing up a charter that would meet the approval of both groups."
The more the township grows and the more the city grows, the more it's "I don't need the city or I don't need

Larry Martin Completes Basic Police Course

A member of the Charlevoix Police Department recently graduated from Northwestern Michigan Basic Police Training School.
Larry Martin, 27, the newest member of the city police force, has completed the seven-week course offered at Delta Community College.
Martin attended classes on administration, law, investigation, traffic control and direction, and external relations with other law enforcement agencies during the training program. Graduation from the school is required before men can become officers.
Martin, a Charlevoix native, joined the police force Dec. 1. He is a 1968 graduate of Charlevoix High School. He is the son of Margaret



Larry Martin

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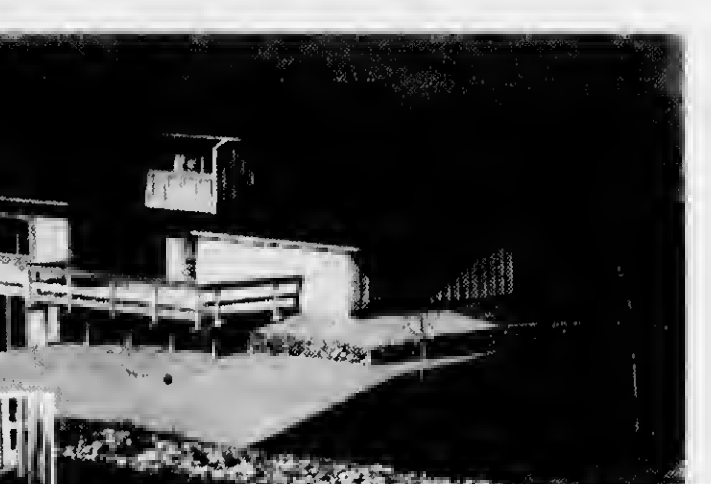
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The following cases were heard in 90th District Court by Judge David Farnish:
Oswell R. Coughlin, 25, of Talar Verde, Fla., speeding, plead guilty, \$21 fines and costs.
John J. Garofalo, 18, Warren, speeding, plead guilty, \$35 fines and costs.
James L. Russell, 19, Charlevoix, operating a snowmobile in a prohibited area, plead guilty, \$10 fines and costs.
David Motow, Jr., 37, East Jordan, driving on a suspended license, plead guilty, \$125 fines and costs, five days Charlevoix County jail.
Alfred A. Large, 19, Grosse Pointe Farms, open container of alcohol in a motor vehicle, plead guilty, \$65 fines and costs.
Daniel H. Wells, 17, Grosse Pointe Park, open container of alcohol in a motor vehicle, plead guilty, \$65 fines and costs.
The following cases were heard before Charlevoix County Magistrate Mailey Blumman and Howard Talboys:
Linda A. Zettler, 19, Charlevoix, expired license plate, \$25.
Clyde J. Potlask, 60, East Jordan, speeding, \$25.
William Howard LaBrecque, 30, East Jordan, property damage accident, \$85.

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City Residents May Pick Up Felled Trees
City residents may be able to pick up some free firewood in the next few weeks.
City Administrator Allen Sandberg said that the city crews will take it out to the landfill. The stump and larger pieces of wood will also be hauled out to the landfill.
Sandberg said city residents could make arrangements to haul the wood away from the landfill.
Two years ago the city couldn't give the wood away from the trees it cut down.
Sandberg said, "Now we have people waiting for the wood before the tree is even down."

Sheriff Receives 72 Complaints
The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department has had a busy two weeks according to a recent report of the activities at the office.
The report shows 72 complaints from March 4 through March 18 with 55 of them being closed and 17 remaining open. Of this number, 21 were felonies, three misdemeanors, four domestic, two civil, 37 others and four unfounded.
Thirteen males and seven juveniles were booked during the two weeks period. There were 11 felony and two misdemeanor arrests.
There were 10 accidents including nine property damage and one personal injury accidents. There were 13 traffic arrests, 11 traffic warnings, two notices to appear, 2 (7); liquor inspections, 12 (24); telephone calls, 296 (631); patrol car, No. 321, 4218 (7,938); patrol car, No. 322, 315 (2,452).
A total of \$1,158 in goods reported stolen; \$118 in goods has been recovered as of March 1.

February Slow Month for City Police, Only Seventeen Complaints Received
The Charlevoix City Police report for February reveals 17 complaints during the month of 42 this year with eight of the 17 closed and 23 closed during the two month period. Nineteen remain open, nine from last month.
Other activities with the total for the year in parentheses:
Traffic arrests, 12 (27); traffic warnings, 11 (18); accidents, 21 (48); parking tickets, 74 (216); felony arrests, 6 (7); misdemeanor arrests, 5 (10); open doors, 9 (11); general assists, 33 (80); notice to appear, 2 (7); liquor inspections, 12 (24); telephone calls, 296 (631); patrol car, No. 321, 4218 (7,938); patrol car, No. 322, 315 (2,452).
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Editorials/Opinions

City, Township Merger Needs More Study And Supporters Now

Once again talk of merger has begun to fill the air in the City of Charlevoix and surrounding Charlevoix Township. Some city and township residents have voiced the opinion at recent meetings that both units of government could benefit from a joining of forces.

Talk of merging the city and township runs in cycles—and as sure as spring will follow winter, talk of merger comes with each new proposed service and tax increase township residents face.

We urge the residents of both municipalities to strongly consider a merger. The time will never be riper for such a discussion between the two units. Both the city and the township have much to gain from such discussions.

In the past month, hearings have been held in the city and the township about a proposed expansion of the sewer treatment system. The expansion promises to be an expensive proposal and the upkeep of such a proposal will be costly, too.

But sewers are an important part of the development of the township and the city and are needed if we are to keep our water resources pollution free.

A merger at this time may keep the cost of hooking for the township residents and it would provide the city a broader base for purchasing bonds for the construction of the system.

Another service the city could provide the township residents at a reduced cost would be the expansion of the city electric system to township residents on REA. All of us know the high cost of REA electricity and we know that city electric costs have been increasing.

However, certain cost increases might not be so large if they were spread over a combined population of city

and township residents. While initial costs of expansion of the city electric system would make electric bills higher for those new customers in the township, economies of scale may work to keep overall costs down.

Also township and city residents could benefit from the merger of the separate fire department systems and from the combined tax levies. The broader tax base may bring about improvements in the street department and in the expansion and upkeep of recreation facilities in the area.

Finally, the city charter commission is in the process of completing a proposed charter. What better time for the township to merge with the city than now when the city may be undergoing a change in governmental operation anyway.

Since the charter has not been finalized or voted on by the public, a committee of township residents could work with the city charter commission in writing a document that could unite the two bodies and provide equal representation for both units on a new council.

While merger appears to have many benefits, there may be drawbacks, too. If city and township residents can not lay aside their differences there is no sense in trying to work together for the betterment of all. We would not want to find ourselves demergering after only a few years because of irreconcilable differences.

We urge interested citizens to give the idea of merger more than just a passing thought. We urge people to take action now, to form committees and to approach their elected officials with proposals for merger.

With all of us working for the common goal of better services for all of us, we should be able to reach an equitable plan for merger.



We think it's time to renegotiate salary and fringe benefits — vrl

Clockwise by Bob Clock

During the past two weeks, I have spent my spare time pawing through a collection of news stories, columns and articles by one of my favorite writers, H.J. Mencken, late of the Baltimore Sun.

Back in the days when I was a freshman in the newspaper business, Mencken was the idol of all young reporters. Lord, how that man could write. The American horizon was strewn with the bodies of giant slain by the Bard of Baltimore.

Mencken was a skillful hatchet man who was capable of felling his quarry with a few well chosen words. But he never did. After the initial assault, he continued skewering his victim with words of verbal invective until there was no life whatsoever in the corpse.

Thirty years ago, I for one thought Mencken was pretty hot stuff. My reading of him last week, however, has left me a little uneasy. I don't think he'd like to be around today; and I don't think we'd want him around today.

Despite his skill with the language, Mencken suffered from a pigeon-hole mind. To him, all politicians are crooks. Period. Bishops and seismologists are little better. All religion is bad. The most disreputable people on earth are YMCA secretaries. No society worthy of the name exists west of the Atlantic seaboard.

Life, for Mencken, was all blacks and whites. There were no intermediate shades. All bishops practice mummery. All YMCA secretaries have questionable morals.

Furthermore, Mencken found very little in life that pleased him, aside from the pleasures derived from alcohol, art and classical music. Those were his three gods and he worshipped them often and enthusiastically.

Needless to say, Mencken saved some of his choicest diatribes for the propagators of Prohibition which he considered an extreme example

of man's inhumanity to man. Mencken survived the era with his citizenship intact only through the efforts of bootleggers and runners.

Mencken's propensity for pigeon-holing and categorizing perhaps reached his zenith in 1923 when he accused the world's Anglo-Saxon population with cowardice and stupidity.

"That this inferiority is real must be obvious to any impartial observer. Whenever the Anglo-Saxon, whether of the English or of the American variety, comes into sharp conflict with men of other stocks, he tends to be worsted, or, at best, to be forced back into extraneous and irrelevant aids to assist him in the struggle."

Mencken never got to war alone, but always buttressed himself with ranks of allies.

Then he writes: "To call the roll of Americans eminent in almost any field of human endeavor above the most elemental is to call a list of strange and often outlandish names; even the panel of Congress presents a startling example. Of the Americans who have come into notice during the past fifty years as poets, as novelists, as critics, as painters, as sculptors and in the minor arts, less than half bear Anglo-Saxon names and in this minority there are few of pure Anglo-Saxon blood. So in the sciences. So in the higher reaches of engineering and technology. So in philosophy and its branches. So even in industry and agriculture. In those areas where the competition between the new and the old bloodstreams is most sharp and clear-cut, the defeat of the so-called Anglo-Saxon is overwhelming and unmistakable."

Which, to use one of Mencken's favorite words, is "uncombed."

Fortunately, Mencken died in 1956 at age 76. He would never have enjoyed a world where people are individuals and where group distinctions, for the most part, are meaningless.

For awhile, I had a closet that enjoyed more traffic than a discount house on Mother's Day. One day, I wandered in to see three kids picking and choosing. "May I help you?" I asked stiffly.

"No, I'm just browsing," said my son. "Where's the luggage?"

"We've moved it to the annex," I snapped. "Will you get out of here?"

"Mom!" said my daughter. "you've got to learn to share."

"Share! You saw what happened to my car when I shared."

"What did I do to your car?" asked my son.

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in my teeth. Not only that, the car smells like a gym before showers."

"You told me to bring my gym clothes home."

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"Why don't you wear your own?" I asked.

"They're all dirty."

"Why would I borrow a dirty sweater?"

"You never go anywhere to wear a clean one."

"Hold it," I said to my son. "What did you do with the binoculars you borrowed for the game last week?"

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"Why?" he shrugged. "Why would you want to hang on to a pair of broken binoculars?"

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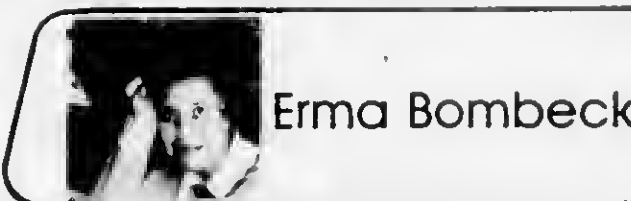
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Where would the legislator's son be today if you had told him how good he could become rather than how bad he was.

Maybe he would be writing you this editorial reply.

Sincerely,
Gayle Boss



Erma Bombeck

I used to be a nice person. Ask anyone. I was giving, loving and sharing.

Then the children came along and I realized a woman who was giving, loving, and sharing could end up with a drawer full of dirty pants, a broken stereo and a wet toothbrush every morning.

Also, a camera with sand in it, a blouse that died from acute perspiration, a library book with a bent back, a sleeping bag with a broken zipper, a tennis racket with a cracked frame, and a transistor that "just went dead when it hit the pavement."

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On Socks and Sauce



If it Fizz by Jim Fitzgerald

It was a coincidence that my daughter discovered the lump behind the mirror on the same day I was invited to lunch by the surgeon general of the Sons of the Whiskey Rebellion.

This daughter is named Ferd, so as to rhyme with her brother Nerd. It was her first visit to her parents' apartment in the big city, so she inspected it thoroughly. She even peeked behind the huge mirror attached to the dresser in the bedroom.

It is one of those mirrors that tilt forward or backward within the limits allowed by the dresser. When it is tilted forward, I can see my knees in it. When it is tilted backward, I can see my belt. When I tie my tie, I sit on the floor.

"What is this?" Ferd asked, pulling a clump of cloth from behind the mirror. It was a black sock, rolled into a ball-my black sock.

"This sock sure looks funny stuck behind the mirror," Ferd said.

"If you think that looks funny, you should see me walking to work wearing only one sock," I said, starting to sob.

My wife had wedged my sock between the back of the mirror and the wall to prevent the mirror from tilting so high that she would be unable to

apply her makeup sitting down, and I would be able to tie my tie standing up. The coincidence, surfaced later that day when Dr. Robert Willson explained why he was willing to buy my lunch. It was because of something I'd written about my socks.

I had built a column around the response I gave my children one day when they asked where their mother was. "She is downstairs in the laundry losing socks," I said.

This domestic tragedy struck a responsive chord in Dr. Willson's psyche, causing it to bleed and drip down on his unmatched socks.

"All my married life there have been 3 socks in my sock drawer—1 black, 1 blue and 1 grey," Dr. Willson explained. "I asked you to lunch in the hope that we might be able to strike a deal from which we each would emerge with a pair of matching socks."

The sock exchange was held in conjunction with a meeting of the Sons of the Whiskey Rebellion. As members of the whiskey surgeon general, he qualified for the appointment by virtue of being a veterinarian—the retired director of the Detroit Zoo.

"Also, the Sons wanted to make certain the job didn't go to any member who is a medical doctor," he said. "They are very protective of their good health."

For similar reasons, the club has no treasurer. "We always have \$9 in the treasury," explained the commodore-in-chief, "and we don't have a member who can be trusted with that much money."

The commodore-in-chief is George Pierrat, who requires no introduction. He will stand up and make a speech when someone else is introduced.

Pierrat is world famous for his educational lectures. He also is the host of a travel-adventure show that is seen on TV whenever demographics indicate that no one will be watching except 75-year-old people who don't dance the disco boogie.

My history is rusty, but I ventured the opinion that the Sons of the Whiskey Rebellion was organized to honor the memory of those brave Pennsylvania farmers who fought in 1794 to free this nation from the tyranny of a federal tax assessed upon grain juice. This was the first uprising in post-Revolutionary War America against taxation without

representation. I figured the Sons probably met on the anniversary of the bloody day upon which several of those farmers were killed while fighting to preserve the sanctity of the still.

This is not quite correct. It was explained to me that the Sons of the Whiskey Rebellion are not thrilled by taxation WITH representation. They meet spasmodically, whenever the commander-in-chief orders bivouac for the purpose of honoring some new limerciks.

Those brave Pennsylvania farmers are never even mentioned, except when the Sons salute Pierrat for being the only living survivor of the battle of 1794. The whiskey bivouacs are replete with such friendly exchanges of good fellowship, no more of which will be repeated here.

In fact, the incisive vocabulary of the Sons made me so nervous I had to look up "bivouac" in the dictionary before I sent it toward the editor.

A bivouac is an improvised campsite that usually offers no shelter from enemy fire. It doesn't offer much protection from your friends, either.

I never had more fun changing socks.

Meet Charlevoix

...Kate Brady

The Charlevoix Federal Credit Union has come a long way since the days when it was a parish credit union. Not only has the credit union expanded its membership, but it recently expanded its facilities, too, and is now located at 307 Petoskey Ave.

This week the Courier talked with Kate Brady, treasurer-manager, of the credit union, about the organization.

COURIER: How did the Charlevoix Federal Credit Union get its start?

BRADY: We started as a parish credit union. Then in 1968 they asked us if we would extend our field to include the community so we could offer credit union services to employees of smaller plants in the area who couldn't set up their own credit unions. In 1969, following a vote of our member and our board of directors, we changed our charter and opened up to the public.

COURIER: Who can now belong to the Charlevoix Federal Credit Union?

BRADY: We are structured similar to our government. All of our members have a say in the operation of the organization. We have an

annual meeting where the officers are elected. Then as a credit union we belong to a state organization which has a board of directors to represent all 1,013 credit unions and then the state organization belongs to a federal organization which also has an elected board of directors with representatives from each state.

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Letter to the editor

Dear Editor:

How many of you people giving in or around the big city of Charlevoix are aware that you have among you a real honest to goodness Angel? And how many of you really appreciate the person she is?

I speak of Fran Martin. I'm sure almost all of you know her and the few of you who do not, I'm sure have no idea of the aid she can give and the void she can fill.

I met Fran some years ago when as a 17-year-old Coast Guard bride, I was hastily deposited in Charlevoix with a very hurried introduction to Miss Martin. I know not a soul, with her the only exception. It didn't take long for us

to become good friends. And the same is true of everyone she meets.

I guess what I'm trying to say is this: You could look for years to come and never find a person quite like Fran. She is definitely one in a million. She will fight for the things she believes in and will help you fight for the things you believe in. All her fights are not won, but you can bet on the fact that she'll take at least one battle, and she'll make her point. As in the case of the fight she went into to save your South Point.

The fight was lost, but she made her point very clear. Score one for Fran.

All the Coast Guard families know her, why she is practically in the Guard herself. Say, what you will, many

families can thank Fran for finding their homes or apartments, she is able to find housing when seemingly there is none available. She has been known to point people in the right direction for jobs, and she does all this with a flair only Fran can possess.

If you don't know her, you can spot her easily, she's the shiny, sparkling and smiling lady in the wheelchair. Yes, she may be incapable of walking, but the rest of her more than makes up for that.

This magnificent lady, maintains a home, writes for the paper, one time served as Drain Commissioner, and most assuredly is the most loyal fan the Charlevoix basketball team ever had.

Orchids to Fran Martin

Fran Martin donates all her time and energies to making her town and her friends the best there is. Look around, she had to have something to do with whatever you are looking at.

I'm writing this because I think it is time that someone said Thank You Fran, for caring about people, your town, your friends and Thank You Fran, for caring about people, your town, your friends and Thank You Fran for just being the wonderful RESIDENT ANGEL you are. I feel the world would be a much, much more comfortable place if every town had a Fran Martin to care so very much what happened.

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Gloria Nowak

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Diane Grubaugh Marries David Knapp

Altar arrangements of white gladioli and yellow and blue carnations and lighted tapers in candelabra decorated with white satin bows formed the setting for the wedding of Diane Elaine Grubaugh and David John Knapp at the First Congregational church Saturday afternoon. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Jack C. Grubaugh of Charlevoix and Mr. and Mrs. John Knapp of Boyne City. The Rev. Raymond Griffin officiated at the double ring service in the presence of approximately 150 guests. Marilyn Lehman, at the organ, played a program of traditional music and accompanied Vincent Chew who sang "Come, O God, Our Heavenly Father" by Bach. The bride was escorted to the altar by her father past pews marked with white satin bows. For her wedding, she chose a gown of polyester organza, fashioned with an empire bodice accented with wide lace cuffs and an A-line skirt that extended into a chapel length train trimmed with white lace. She carried a bouquet of yellow sweetheart roses and white carnations accented with blue hydrangeas and baby's breath. Nancy McPhillips, as maid-of-honor, wore a yellow polyester gown with a matching floral cape of chiffon and a matching picture hat. Margaret Warner, Shelly Warner, and Pamela Grubaugh, sister of the bride, were bridesmaids. They wore blue polyester gowns and floral chiffon capes and matching picture hats. Each carried a single yellow rose and baby's breath tied with ribbons to match their gowns. Becky Kruska of Manistowish, as flower girl, wore a gown similar to the other attendants'. Scott Toton of Boyne City was ringbearer. Robert Beck of Wallonia Lake assisted the bridegroom as best man and groomsmen were Gregory Grubaugh, brother of the bride, Robert

Cyr and Carl Almebury, both of Boyne City. Mr. Beck and Mr. Grubaugh also seated the guests and attended the candles. A reception, hosted by the bride's parents, followed at the Charlevoix Yacht Club at the Charlevoix Depot. Mrs. William Walter of Drummond Island cut the bride's cake and Mrs. Harold Barnett of Albion, N.M., and Mrs. Janet Potter of Charlevoix, served the punch. All are aunts of the bride. Becky Juilert attended the guest book and Debbie Potter assisted with the gifts.

Mrs. Grubaugh greeted guests in a floor length gown of yellow polyester chiffon, matching cape and gold accessories. Her wrist corsage was of yellow roses, white carnations and baby's breath accented with blue. Mrs. Knapp wore a pink double knit gown accented with white lace and white accessories. Her corsage was of pink roses. Following a brief wedding trip, the couple will be at home at Great Lakes, Ill., where the bridegroom is stationed with the U.S. Navy. A rehearsal dinner, hosted by the bridegroom's parents, was held at the Westhervan Inn Friday evening.



Mr. and Mrs. David Knapp



PLANTS GET MID-WINTER BLAIS!
Do your plants have the Mid-Winter Blues? That mid-winter down feeling isn't just with humans - plants are victims too. USDA horticulturists suggest you give your plants a special check at this time of year. Their problem may be real! If your plants are dropping their leaves it could be because of a sudden change in temperature. The shock of transplanting can also cause leaf drop. Other causes could be moving from strong sunlight to a dark place, watering too much, or exposure to cooking gas. Are the tips of the leaves browning? If so, they may be watering them too little. Exposure to cold drafts, attack by insects, or even too little fertilizer can cause plant leaves to brown. Another common problem is spotted foliage. To remedy this check for overwatering or burning from direct sunlight. Plants can overcome their "blais" with tender, loving care. **FOOD CLIPS:** Substitutes may make food more interesting...Ever try making pastry with crushed cereals? Or rice used in place of bread in making poultry stuffing?

The engagement of Judy A. Potter to Wilson R. (Bud) Boss has been announced by the bride-elect's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Potter. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Boss. Both are graduates of the Charlevoix High School. The bride-elect is a graduate of Davenport College of Business in Grand Rapids and is presently employed as bookkeeper for the Charlevoix Public Schools. Mr. Boss attended North Central Michigan College and is self-employed. The wedding will be an event of April 23 at the Community Reformed Church of Charlevoix.



Judy Potter

Reorganization To Make Health Board More Active

The Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Services Board, at its recent meeting held in Petoskey, was told by Pauline Menegier, a member from Emmet county, that the Michigan Association of Community Mental Health Boards is in the process of reorganizing and, as a result, may become more active in the Mental Health Service delivery system. Arcas of concern are strengthening the communication between the Mental Health Boards and the Department of Mental Health, maintaining local control of boards, obtaining 100 percent membership of all boards, emphasizing preventive services and pursuing continuing education for board members. Lillian Bergmann, chairman, and Sam Kosc, program director, Harold Kaufman, were scheduled for later this month. The next meeting of the NCMHBS Board is scheduled for 8 p.m. Thursday, April 14, at the headquarters at 205 E. Lake St. in Petoskey. The public is invited to attend all meetings.

John D. Przybylski, CITY CLERK CHARLEVOIX, MICHIGAN

NOTICE OF CITY OF CHARLEVOIX CITY ELECTION

An election to elect city officials will be held between the hours of 7 a.m. and 8 p.m. in the City Hall on April 4, 1977. To be elected are: mayor, clerk, treasurer, constable. An ordinance also will be enacted in each Ward. All qualified electors of the City are eligible to vote.

Judy D. Przybylski
CITY CLERK
CHARLEVOIX, MICHIGAN

HAYES TOWNSHIP ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Hayes Twp. Board will be held at the Township Hall on Sat. April 2 at 7:45 P.M. The Township Bd. will hold a hearing on the 1977 budget and proposed budgeting and federal revenue sharing funds. A copy of the budget and federal revenue sharing information can be seen at the Township Clerk's home in Boy Shore. Also, the sewer facilities plan for Hayes Twp. will be discussed at the annual meeting.

Sondro Somerville, Twp. Clerk

Muskegon Community College Chorale to Perform



THE COLLEGIATES, a unit within the Muskegon Community College Chorale, are pictured in rehearsal for their appearance at the Charlevoix High School at 8 p.m. Thursday. The Collegiates will perform during the concert the Community College Chorale will present at that time. Earlier in the day, the 55-voice chorale will appear at assemblies at the high school at 1 p.m. and at the middle school at 2:30 p.m. Charlevoix is one of four communities the Muskegon Community College Chorale will appear during its spring tour.

General Life Expectancy Reaches 72.4 Years

For the average Charlevoix County resident, the likelihood of living a long time is greater than ever. A local child, just born, has the prospect of living about 13 years longer than his grand parents did when they were born. It also can look forward to four years more than his parents could at the time of their birth. According to the National Center for Health Statistics, the general life expectancy at birth is now 72.4 years. For a baby boy, the probable span is 68.5 years and, for a girl, 76.4. Since the early part of the century there has been an increase of 25 years in longevity for the average person. Most of this gain was achieved in the years prior to 1950, a period in which the infant mortality rate was sharply reduced and in which antibiotics and other drugs came into being, conquering many of the infectious diseases. Charlevoix County residents of all ages are benefiting, as a result of the progress that is continually being made by medical science. For local people who are 40 years old at the present time, there is the prospect of another 35 years of life, on average. At the 50-year level, the expectancy is nearly 27 years. One effect of the across-the-board increase in longevity is that many more people are reaching retirement age and living well beyond it than was the case a generation or two ago. Compared with the early 1900's, when there were only 3.1 million Americans over 65, equivalent to 1 out of every 24 people, there are now 23 million, or 1 out of every 9. In Charlevoix County, the population includes some 2,100 men and women who are over 65, representing 11.6 percent of the total.

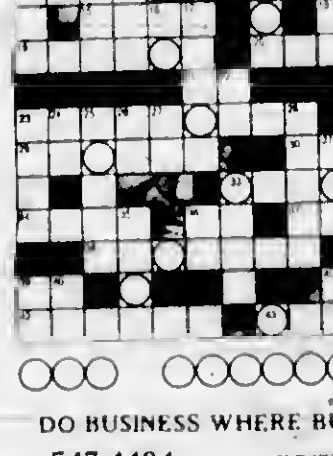
Area Students Honored 13 Charlevoix County Students Make North Central Deans List

The names of 13 Charlevoix County students appear on the Deans List at North Central Michigan College for the fall semester, according to Robert Vranstina, dean of instruction. Three students, Nancy Leigh Merrill, Wines Degree From MSU. A Charlevoix resident was among 1,604 candidates for degrees at winter term commencement exercises March 12 at Michigan State University. Leigh Merrill received a bachelor of science degree in civil engineering during the ceremonies. Others that earned a place on the deans list included: Diller of East Jordan High School, Bruce Kortbase of Boyne City High School and Patricia Wojan of Beaver Island High School, earned a perfect 4.0 grade point for the semester. John Cinnamon Makes Dean's List at Kalamazoo. A Charlevoix resident was among 176 students at Kalamazoo College who were named to the Dean's List for the fall quarter. John Cinnamon, freshman, was among the students who achieved a 3.5 grade average or better. Miss Potter, a German major, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Potter. She is a 1974 graduate of Charlevoix High School.

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Forensics Team Takes 3rd in Sweepstakes

The Charlevoix High School Forensics team returned from Sandusky Saturday with a third place among 17 entries in the Forensics Sweepstakes. Frankemuth took first and Laker High School in Detroit second ahead of Charlevoix in the tournament.

Laura Glass was Charlevoix's only first place winner. This was in the humorous interpretive reading in which Craig Boss placed second, Barbara Swanson, seventh and Scott Swanson, tenth.

Others and the events in which they placed follow: Ann Watson, second in girls extemp. speaking; Louise Caldwell, second, and Laurie Helms, seventh, in the story-telling category; Pam Sutherland, fourth, Bruce Avery, fifth and Laurie Duedal, sixth in radio news broadcasting; Matt Stangis, fifth, in serious interpretive reading; Sue Miller, sixth in informative speaking.

Bill Sweet also participated in the boys' oratory division.



CONGRATULATING each other on their successful tournament play are high point man Bill Bergmann of the Odd Fellows and Robert Heise of the Masons.

CHARLEVOIX TOWNSHIP PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the Charlevoix Township Board held Monday March 14, 1977 the following resolution was passed: Be it ordained that the following described property be second from Agriculture to R 1: A parcel of land located in Sec. 13, T 34 N, R 8 W described as bounded on the North by Po-ba-Shon Lane extended, on the East by the East 1/8 line, on the South by the existing private road (no name) as traveled, on the West by Old Orchard Road. Approximately thirty-five (35) acres.

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Cribbage Making a Comeback

Cribbage, a card game that has been around for ages, is making a comeback—at least in Charlevoix.

The annual Mason-Oddfellows Tournament, completed last week after 10 weeks of play, attracted more people than ever this year, according to Sims Baker, tournament secretary.

Competitors this year even included 12-year-old Alan Bergmann. This is his second year of tournament play. Alan, a sixth grade student at Charlevoix Middle School, said he has been playing cribbage with his family since he was eight or nine. His father has been a participant in the annual tournament for many years and it was only natural that Alan should play in the tournament, too.

"I just brought him in one day and everyone liked him so we let him stay and play," Alan's father explained.

Alan said the first few games were hard for him because he was playing with older people in competition. "But if I missed something

they would show me and help me out," he explained.

"And he's a good little cribbage player," Baker added.

Baker attributed the interest in cribbage to the entertainment people get from playing cards and the fun of competition.

"You'd think in all the years that we've been holding this tournament that there would be some argument over the scoring or the pegging," Baker said. "But in the 47 years of this tournament there hasn't been any. We have a good group playing here."

Baker said the success of each cribbage team is all in the way the cards run. Over the last half century, the cards have seemed to run slightly more in favor of the Oddfellows than the Masons. The Oddfellows have taken 26 tournament championships with the Masons winning 21 championships.

Baker also said that in all the years of the tournament, he held the old trophy that used to be awarded to the winning team.



SIMS BAKER, the player with the longest record of attendance at the Mason-Odd Fellow Tournament and Alan Bergmann, the youngest player in the tournament, hold the old trophy that used to be awarded to the winning team.

Coffee Drinkers Turning To Herbs, Dandelions for Mocha Substitute

It could be a big year for dandelion roots if America's coffee crisis continues.

Not only are more and more drained coffee cups now found to be good to the last tea leaf, but many a One-Time coffee lover is learning to savor the aroma and taste of herb or roots, or barks, or acorns.

For a 100-percent caffeine-free coffee substitute, advise fans of natural drinks, try a mixture of one-third ground, roasted dandelion root, two-thirds chicory, and a touch of cinnamon, all steeped in a tea ball dunked into a cup of boiling water.

Or invent your own blend from the 300 or 20 natural offerings found in many health food stores.

The good word at the herb bins of many health food stores is that if coffee prices continue to go up, then most "natural infusions" will be competitive or even cheaper.

Some already are, at least in the East, such as chicory at \$2 a pound, Saint Johnswort at \$3.10, primrose at \$3.75, wild lettuce at \$2.75, and myrtle twigs at \$2.

All manner of goodness awaits at the \$4 level, according to natural food advocates, including goldenrod, smartweed, sweet fern, pokeweed, rose hips, chamomile, lemongrass, ne sassafras.

Black and green teas, hot chocolate, bouillon, consommé, and several commercial hot breakfast drinks, mostly made of grain roots, are, economically popular compared to coffee. But big spenders, too, have an ultimate option: ginseng tea, a favorite of well-heeled Asians, selling up to \$150 a pound.

Americans started to change into a nation of coffee drinkers when tea rose as a result of George III's notorious tax that helped spark the American Revolution. Tea prices later were compounded by shortages during the War of 1812, coffee cost 10 cents a pound.

Since then, many Americans have felt that a hot cup of coffee from time to time during the day is what keeps the world on track.

Today's coffee drinkers, appalled at high prices, may take some comfort in learning that when William Penn wanted coffee in 1683, he had to pay \$4.68 a pound.

Other possibilities as coffee substitutes include fruit juices mixed with hot water and Once the herbs, roots, bark,

Charlevoix County Jail Food Service Found Economical, Efficient in Study

The Food Service at the Charlevoix County Jail proposed in December 1975 and initiated Jan. 1, 1976, has paid off according to a report presented to the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners Wednesday.

According to the report, clients at the jail are being fed for a cost of \$2.08 per client per day. This figure represents the entire cost for the daily meal, the raw food, its preparation, energy used and the salary of the cook. This is in sharp contrast to the catering service which was utilized the previous year. The cost of that service was \$4.50 per client per day.

When the cost of the catering service continued to rise and the eater indicated he would no longer be interested in supplying the service, the Public Safety Committee enlisted the aid of the Office of Jail Services. This division of the Department of Corrections sent Robert J. Weyand, food service analyst, to survey the problem. He suggested the present method and worked with the cook, Joella Williams, prior to initiating the service which has proven very satisfactory.

In 1976 a total of 11,670 meals were prepared including 11,232 for inmates and 438 for staff. The decrease in cost over the previous year represents a saving of \$2,300 the report revealed. Sheriff George T. Lasater, who presented the report, said the savings would increase this year because it will not be necessary to include the costs of special equipment in the 1977 expenditures.

NOTICE
MARION TOWNSHIP ZONING AND PLANNING BOARD

will hold a regular meeting at 7:30 the 28th of March, 1977, at the township hall. Any zoning questions will be answered.

Mike Bonar
Chairman

NOTICE
MARION TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

There will be a special meeting on March 29, 1977 at 8:00 P.M. at the town hall. At this meeting action will be taken on the sewer plan.

Tracy Curtis
Clerk

NOTICE
ANNUAL MEETING MARION TOWNSHIP

The annual meeting will be held on Saturday, April 2, 1977 at 7:30 P.M. at the town hall. The financial report and budget will be presented for adoption.

Tracy Curtis
Clerk



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THE DEADLINE for purchasing 1977 license plate tabs is drawing closer and closer. Passenger car owners must have the tabs on their cars by April 1, Laurie Berjick, Automobile Club of Michigan secretary, reminds motorists. The '77 tab, which is available at Department of State offices across the state, must be placed in the upper right corner of the rear plate. To obtain a tab, motorists must present either the prepared renewal form from the state department, the 1976 registration of the certificate of vehicle title plus proof of public liability and property damage insurance.

Spring Break Starts April 4

Spring vacation break is just around the corner for the students in Charlevoix County and their teachers.

Students in Charlevoix, East Jordan, Boyne City and Boyne Falls public schools will be able to give in to their spring fever urges during a vacation beginning Monday, April 4 and continuing until Friday, April 8.

Students at St. Mary's Catholic School in Charlevoix, Faith Lutheran in East Jordan and Ebenezer Christian in Ellsworth will also be on vacation from April 4 to 8.

The Beaver Island Community School students will have a somewhat briefer spring vacation. The break for these students will begin on Good Friday, April 8, and continue to the Monday after Easter, April 11.

Anyone interested in being a host family or learning more about the foundation's activities may write: American Host Program 1974-75, Brookhurst St., Garden Grove, Calif., 92640, call (714) 537-5711.



CRICKET CLUB. Cheri Hoffmann, Pauline Austin, Pat Pence, Pam Sayward, Ann Huford and Thelma Dillow are busy making calico hoes to be used as table favors at the annual convention of the Kappa Sigma and Xi Epsilon societies at Boyne Mountain next fall. So far the 35 local members have completed more than 100 of the favors.

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This Could be the Year California Falls into the Sea

Will this be the year of that "overdue" California earthquake? Will a big quake hit the East again? Or the Midwest? Will experts see one coming in time to warn anyone?

These haunting questions greet 1977 after "the worst year for killer earthquakes in half a century." That's the way 1976 looked to Dr. Robert M. Hamilton, chief of earthquake studies for the United States Geological Survey.

"No one would be surprised if we had a great earthquake in Southern California soon," Hamilton said, "but we have no basis for predicting when."

The last great quake there was in 1857, and the famous Shaker that leveled much of San Francisco struck in 1906.

"It could be another 120 years before it goes," Hamilton said, "but then it could happen right away." He said scientists think that the two huge plates of the earth trying to slide past each other along the San Andreas fault may build up stresses over 100 to 300 years before there is a sudden slip—an earthquake.

Scientists are carefully monitoring a 70-mile stretch northeast of Los Angeles where the ground has lifted up as much as a foot during the last 15 years. Uplifts sometimes are forerunners of quakes.

The Geological Survey is spending \$11 million this fiscal year, nearly half for earthquake-prediction studies.

A had quake could be hard on Eastern and Midwestern cities, Hamilton said, because they have no earthquake-resistant construction and because seismic waves spread even more devastatingly through these regions than through the West.

Severe quakes hit Boston in 1811 and 1812, and Charleston, South Carolina, in 1886.

The National Science Foundation has \$10 million this year earmarked for learning how to build better earthquake-resistant buildings.

Altogether, earthquakes around the world killed some 140,000 people last year, "but the toll could be a lot worse," Hamilton said.

Some 100,000 supposedly died in the two quakes at Tangshan, China, on July 28 and 29, probably a conservative estimate, Hamilton said. The Chinese have said very little about casualties.

But the Chinese quakes, registering 8.2-strongest in 12 years—and 7.9 on the Richter scale, "scored almost directly on the nose," Hamilton said.

The project has received the blessing of police agencies in the county. One officer said his agency had recovered a CB radio after the snow melted and it remains at the office because there is no way of tracing the owner. If it had the owner's driver's license number on it, the radio's owner could be found and the radio could be returned to him, no matter where he lived.

Anyone interested in being a host family or learning more about the foundation's activities may write: American Host Program 1974-75, Brookhurst St., Garden Grove, Calif., 92640, call (714) 537-5711.

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NOTICE OF REGISTRATION FOR SPECIAL ELECTION

TO THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE TOWNSHIP OF ST. JAMES, CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN

A SPECIAL ELECTION WILL BE HELD ON APRIL 26, 1977

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law", that any qualified person may make application for registration to vote in the Special Election to be held in the Township on Tuesday, April 26, 1977. Application may be made to the Township Clerk between the hours of 8:00 o'clock A.M. and 5:00 o'clock P.M., local time on ANY DAY, except Sunday, a legal holiday or the day of a regular, primary, school, or special election, at

The home of the Township Clerk

LAST DAY FOR REGISTRATION

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the last day for registration shall be Monday, March 28, 1977, at any time between the hours of 8:00 o'clock A.M. and 8:00 o'clock P.M. Persons registering after 8:00 o'clock P.M. local time on said day will not be eligible to vote at the Special Election on April 26, 1977.

The name of no person but an ACTUAL RESIDENT of the Township at the time of registration, and entitled under the Constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the special election, shall be entered in the registration book.

Said Special Election is being held for the purpose of voting upon the following propositions:

PROPOSITION 1

Shall the 15 mills tax rate limitation for ad valorem taxes within St. James Township, Charlevoix County, Michigan be increased up to 2 mills for the years of 1977 through 1991?

YES _____ NO _____

PROPOSITION 2

Shall St. James Township, Charlevoix County, Michigan levy up to 2 mills against the taxable property within said Township for the years 1977 through 1992 for the purpose of purchasing and operating Beaver Island moorings (Coast Guard Station) for use of the Township residents?

YES _____ NO _____

QUALIFICATION OF QUALIFIED ELECTORS, as provided by law, are:

(a) A citizen of the United States

(b) At least 18 years of age

(c) A resident of the State of Michigan for at least 30 days

(d) A resident of the Township on or before the 30th day prior to the next election.

UNREGISTERED PERSONS NOT ENTITLED TO VOTE

SEC. 491. The inspectors of election at any election or primary election in this State, or in any District, County, Township, City or Village thereof, shall not receive the vote of any person whose name is not registered in the registration book of the Township, Ward or Precinct in which he offers to vote. (As provided under Act 116, P.A. 1954.)

ELECTOR UNABLE TO MAKE PERSONAL APPLICATION, PROCEDURE

SEC. 504. Any elector who is unable to make personal application for registration because of physical disability or absence from the Township, City or Village in which his legal residence is located, may be registered prior to the close of registration before any election or primary election by securing from the Clerk of the Township, City or Village in which is located his legal residence, duplicate registration cards and executing in duplicate the registration affidavit before a notary public or other officer legally authorized to administer oaths and returning such registration cards to the Clerk of the Township, City or Village before the close of office hours on the last day of registration prior to any election or primary election. The notary public or other officer administering the oath shall sign his name on the line for the signature of the registration officer and designate his title.

THIS NOTICE is given by ORDER OF THE TOWNSHIP BOARD, TOWNSHIP OF ST. JAMES CHARLEVOIX COUNTY, MICHIGAN

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IT WAS NO BASKET for this attempt by the Freedmans player as Tri-City player Butch Klooster stuffed it in one of the opening plays of a game that saw Tri-City defeat Freedmans by 51-45.



STEVE SMITH (11) of the Townhouse team attempts to grab the ball during this play in the close Townhouse-Way Oil game that ended with a score of 56-55 in favor of the Townhouse.

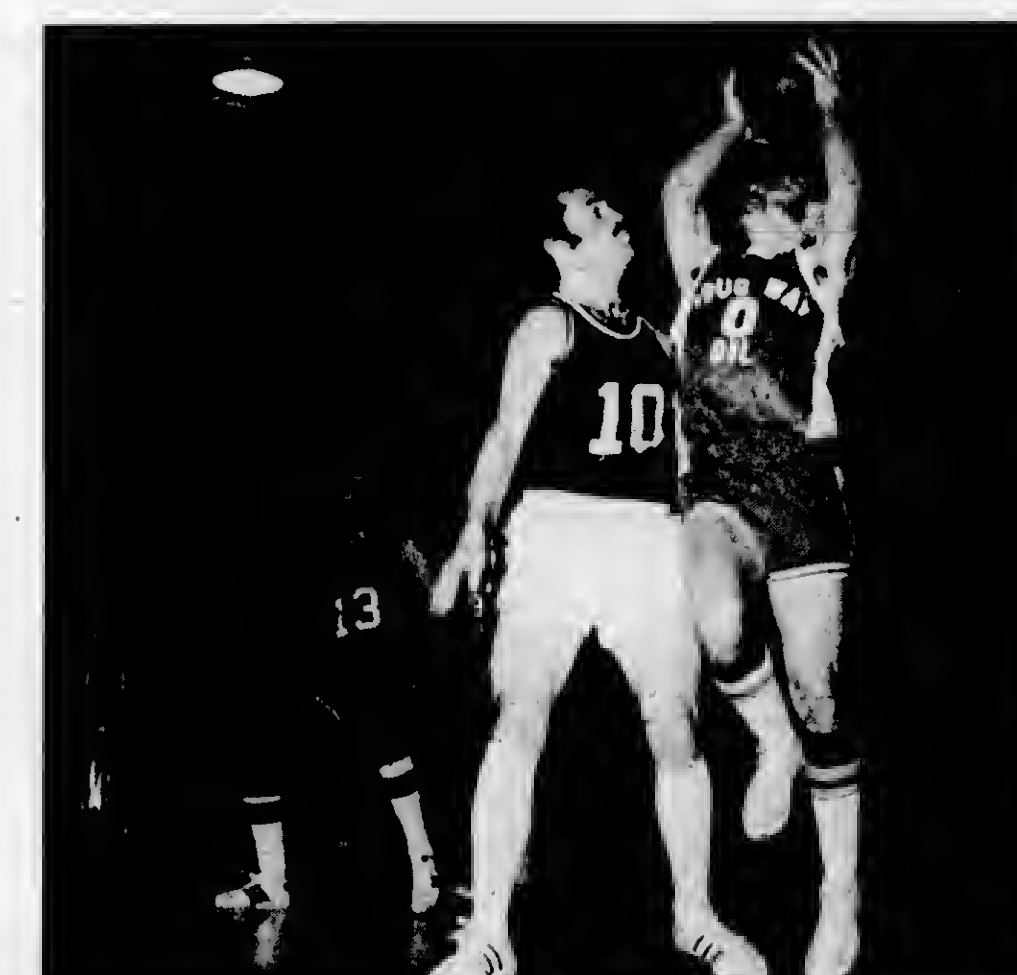
Townhouse Eliminates Way Oil, Tri-City Asphalt Defeats Freedmans



PAUL OSTERBERG (11) for Freedmans ties up the ball in this play under the Tri-City basket. Tri-City went on to take the B League title however, defeating Freedmans 51-45 during this game.



IT WAS UNCLE against nephew during the Townhouse Way Oil game with Ike Boss (15) of Townhouse pitted against Dale Boss (15).



DON MC KENZIE (10), from Townhouse, stands his ground as Way Oil's Roger Crain (0) goes up for a shot. Townhouse defeated Way Oil 56-55.



DAVE NORTON (5) of Tri-City and a Freedmans player fight for possession of the ball during the first of two games played by the teams for the league championship.

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Middle School Matmen Place Third in Meet

The Charlevoix Middle School matmen placed third in a quadrangular meet at Grayling Saturday. Grayling took the meet with a total of 179 points followed by Rudyard with 140; Charlevoix, 117 and Man-celona, 38.

In dual competition, Charlevoix won over Mancelona 64-12 but lost to Grayling 27-50 and Rudyard 26-51.

Twenty-eight of Charlevoix's 30 wrestlers saw action. Forfeits in their weight classes kept two boys out of action.

Two Rayders won championships in their respective weight classes. Scott Golovich in the 129 pound division and Bruce Howeyette in the 155 pound weight class. Runners-up were Chuck Wiesler (94), Mike Bartz (136) and Richard Starr (unlimited); taking thirds were Gerald Wimmer (80), Pat White (101), Greg Whitley (108), Rich Georgi (115), and Joe Sladek (122). Fourth place ribbons were won by Steve Bellows (87), Fred Sonnenberg (145) and Ken Wajan (167). Others who participated were Tom Hand, Greg Umor, Kevin Morrison, Dave Farmer, Kevin Whitley, Rick Bartz, Alan Bergmann, Greg Dixon, Tom Key, Chuck Klooster, Ed Sarasin, Rusty Williams, Mick Bely, and Ray Wiesler.

The boys will be preparing this week for the Rudyard Invitational to which wrestlers in the sixth through eighth grade from eight schools have been invited.

The public is invited to attend the tourney without charge.

Townhouse Eliminates Way Oil In Wednesday's Play

The Townhouse eliminated Way Oil by a score of 56-55 in the loser's bracket in the A league to advance to the finals in the double elimination tournament Wednesday night.

The second game in the battle for the tournament title was scheduled for Monday night between the Townhouse and Kaden's Emporium. If a second game is needed it will be played at 6:30 p.m.

Wednesday, The Townhouse-Kaden's game was postponed until Monday because of the Class C quarterfinals basketball tournament at Cheboygan.

Games between the principals in Wednesday's game have been by one-point margins and last week's game was no exception as Townhouse edged Way Oil 56-55.

Way Oil jumped into the game and forged ahead to take an eight-point, 18-10 first period lead which Townhouse whittled to three points, 36-33, at halftime.

As the second half opened the Table-Toppers took control and outscored the Oilers 14-10 to go ahead 47-46 with eight minutes remaining. The game turned into a tough

Tri-City Asphalt Captures B League Title

Tri-City Asphalt, a team that had led the B League all season, captured the hoop title Thursday night after defeating Freedman Aircraft 52-41 in the final game of the tournament.

However, before taking the title, Tri-City was toppled from the winner's bracket by Freedman by a score of 48-43 in the double elimination game.

In the first game of the best two out of three games, Tri-City Asphalt beat Freedman's 51-45.

Trailing 31-27 at the three-quarter mark in the final game, Tri-City poured in 25 points to 10 for Freedman's to make a comeback and take the title.

Tri-City had taken a 124 lead at the end of the first period before Freedman's snapped back with a 22-19

Bogart Tourney Winner Named



B LEAGUE CHAMPS, Tri-City Asphalt, received their trophy from Jimmy Bogart at the annual banquet that concluded the independent season for the league Monday night. The team was B League champs as well as winners of the annual Jimmy Bogart tournament. Team members are front row (l to r) Jack Niswander, Leroy Buchanan, John Martin, team sponsor, Mike Crain, Ed Halm, Jimmy Bogart for whom the tournament is named. Back row: Lee Barta, Dave Norton, Butch Klooster, Albert Sharrow.

TUESDAY NIGHT LAKES LEAGUE			
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TEAM HIGH SERIES			
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Budget Beauty Shop	2932	Nick & Gin DeYoung	18 6
Medusa Cement	2928	Terry & Becky	Cummings
Olsen's Food Store	2921	Cummings	16 8
TEAM HIGH GAME	517	Ed & Mary Jo Holm	14 10
Birds Beauty Shop	1054	Ed & Pat Kenney	12 11 1/2
Medusa Cement	1025	Herb & Ginny	Cummings
Lake Construction	1014	Cummings	12 12
Cross Fisheries	1008	Art & Judy Karmowski	12 12
INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES			
Jane Bogart	535	Donna Cole	11 1/2 12 1/2
Geri Moore	516	Greg & Pat Sizema	11 13
Pat Sizema	515	Chip & Nancy Allison	11 13
Jeanne Cavich	491	Brian Sonnenberg &	10 14
Sue Holm	486	Cindy Kitley	10 14
Louise Bergmann	486	David & Sue Coen	10 14
INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME			
Geri Moore	204	Al & Rose Anderson	8 16
Jane Bogart	204	Don & Sandy Hartnett	7 17
Jeanne Cavich	184	Frank & Martha Thern	5 19
Patty Sizema	181	TEAM HIGH SERIES	
Mary O'Brien	180	Brian Sonnenberg &	
Edith Dale	172	Cindy Kitley	1276
Noreen Silken (sub)	175	Don & Pat Sizema	1258

Courier Sports

Townhouse Surprises Kadens Monday

The Townhouse upset the title-bound Kaden Emporium basketball team Monday night to throw the A League into a third night of play for Jimmy Bogart A League tournament title.

Townhouse, determined to make Kaden's work for the title, took a slim 16-12 first period lead, increased it to 25-26 at halftime and 55-40 going into the final period before winning by a score of 88-51.

Ike Huss with 22 points led the attack with Dennis Dominic adding 18 and Tom Doan 15.

Kirk Kulawski had 13 and Jim Bauman 12 for Kaden's. The title game will now be played at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday night or for one hour between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Saturday.

Openings Available For Exercise Class

Space is still available in the health exercise classes being offered by the Charlevoix Recreation Department during the months of April and May.

The classes, under the instruction of Erin Arvilla, will be held for one hour each week from either 7:30 to 8:30 p.m. or 8:30 to 9:30 p.m. on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday nights or for one hour between 10 a.m. and 2 p.m. on Saturdays.

The cost of the two-month program is \$8. Interested people should send name, age, phone number and address along with a list of health topics that may be used in class discussion and the time and day they are interested in attending class to Erin Arvilla, health educator, c/o Charlevoix Recreation Department, City Hall, 210 State St., Charlevoix, Mich. 49720.

Checks or money orders for class fees should be made out to Erin Arvilla.

Volleyball Scores	
Women's League	
Carols 2 Volleybees 0	
Carols 2 Townhouse 0	
Tues., March 22	
7:00 p.m. Carols vs. Townhouse for the tournament title	
Men's League	
Spikers 2 Out in Town 0	
Spikers 2 Car Care Crushers 0	
Tues., March 22	
8:00 p.m. Spikers vs. Car Care Crushers for the tournament title	

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BED WETTING

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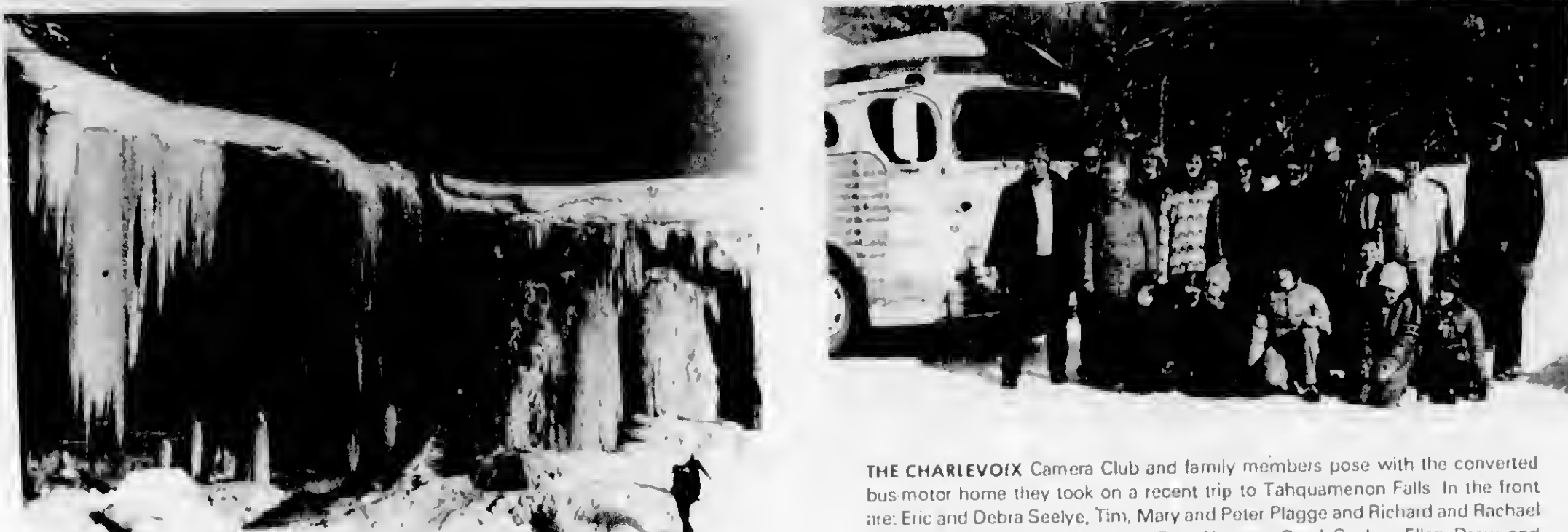
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Winter at Tahquamenon Falls



THE UPPER falls at Tahquamenon State Park caused this growth of ice along the cliffs standing along the side of the falls. (Photo by Bob Hooper)

Local Camera Club Visits the Falls

There's something about winter and what it does to the woods, waterfalls and streams that makes it a special season for taking pictures—at least that's what the members of the Charlevoix Camera Club will tell you.

The camera club recently spent a Saturday at Tahquamenon Falls State Park trying to capture the beauty of winter in that special place on film.

Armed with cross country skis, snow shoes and their camera equipment, club members and their families, totaling 19 people in all, got together and we have a common interest in photography," he said. "We have a good time regardless of the pictures."



THE BEAUTY of winter greeted members of the Charlevoix Camera Club everywhere they went during their recent visit to the Upper Peninsula's Tahquamenon Falls. The lower falls are just as beautiful as the upper falls when dressed in the soft white coating of Old Man Winter. (Photo by Don Seelye)

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City Council Candidates List Goals for Terms

By PAULA HOLMES

Four uncontested races for common council are on the ballot for the spring election slated Monday in the City of Charlevoix.

Running unopposed for two year terms are: George Plumm, first ward alderman; Ivan Whitley, second ward alderman; and Ray Wood, third ward alderman.

Edward Hansen is unopposed for a one-year term as mayor.

And while none of the men face any competition and campaign promises aren't needed this year, all of the candidates said they had specific goals and projects they would like to see accomplished during their next terms in office.

"My primary concern is with the street program," Plumm explained. "I would like to see the city continue

with the street program as they have in the past two years."

The alderman said it was important to keep up with street maintenance and to set a specific program each year with the appropriate funding for the streets.

"If you get behind on the maintenance and the construction you have a terrible mess," Plumm explained.

The alderman, who has served four years on the council, said he would also like to see a senior citizen housing complex started in the City within the next two years.

Alderman Ivan Whitley, who is just completing his first term in office, said he would like to see the area sewage treatment facilities plan completed and turned into a reality in the next two years.

"I'd like to see this project get underway so that we can

get sewers to the people in the second ward that need them and also so that we can get some of the streets paved," Whitley explained.

"There are some streets in

the ward that have never been paved and we've been waiting for the sewer to go in before we put any pavement down," the alderman said.

Whitley said he would also

like to see the Shide Tree Commission continue with its work.

"So many of our trees are coming down, I would like to see them replaced," he said.

Third Ward Alderman Ray Wood picked the merger of Charlevoix Township with the City of Charlevoix as the one project he would like to see completed during his next two

years in office.

"Of all the things that are going on in the city, this merger is the one that is most important to me and has been for a long time," Wood said. "To me that merger is the ultimate."

Wood, who is also chairman of the Airport Committee, said he would like to see some improvements at the airport, but he felt the improvements should begin with the little things that would make the airport nicer for the local residents to use.

The alderman is completing his third year in office. He completed Richard Fitchman's term and then was re-elected to a full term.

Mayor Hansen picked the merger, the sanitary sewage system expansion, airport expansion and the construction of senior citizen

housing as projects he would like to see get underway during his next term in office.

Hansen said he would like to see the sewage treatment system expanded into the critical areas of the American Mid-Waters Edge area, Boulder Park and Pine Point and North Point areas.

At the airport, the mayor said he would like to see the extension and widening of the 26 runway.

Hansen has spent five years as mayor of Charlevoix. Also running for office during the election are Judy Przybylski, city clerk, and Annabelle Cunningham.

The polls for the spring election will be open from 1 a.m. to 8 p.m. in the city hall. Qualified city voters can obtain absentee ballots for the city election until 2 p.m. Saturday at the city clerk's office in the city hall.

Superintendent McKimmy Resigns

By FRANK MARTIN

The Charlevoix Board of Education, at a special meeting Monday, accepted the resignation of James A. McKimmy as Superintendent of the Charlevoix Public Schools, effective June 30, 1977.

In accepting the resignation, the board released him from his present contract which would have terminated in June 1978.

After resigning, McKimmy advised the board that he was accepting a similar position in the Cadillac School System.

He added that the position afforded an opportunity to work in a larger school system.

In an interview following the resignation, McKimmy said he felt the Charlevoix schools had shown marked progress during his four year tenure

here. He went on to say that he had enjoyed support in the community and a good relationship with the entire staff of the school system.

"I hope the community will continue to work toward meeting the building needs at the high school. A library, cafeteria, gymnasium and auditorium are as important as classrooms. I hope that the community will support the kind of a facility a vibrant, growing community needs," the superintendent said.

During his four years here, the enrollment in the Charlevoix Schools has grown to 1,758 students.

Max Novak, president of the board of education, said following the announcement that "I think the schools have progressed during Mr. McKimmy's four years as



James McKimmy

superintendent. The job at Cadillac represents a step up the ladder. He's a young man and now is the time to move ahead."

While in Charlevoix McKimmy has been a member of Charlevoix Lions International, president of Charlevoix Big Brothers, Inc., chairman of the finance committee at the United

Methodist church, secretary of the Charlevoix Flying Club and a member of the board of directors of the Charles A. Ransom Counseling Center.

Professionally, he served on the State Board of Education Blue Ribbon Committee on Intermediate School Districts; represented the Michigan Association on the task force on middle school teacher preparation and on Region 11 Michigan Association of School Administrators legislative committee.

He has been senior lecturer at Michigan State University on the subject of "The Theory of Administration 1977."

He and his wife, Lou Ann, reside at 1025 State St. They have three children, Karen, 15, Kathy, 14, and Paul, 9.

McKimmy came to Charlevoix in 1973 from Alma where he had been assistant superintendent for three years in the Alma Public Schools. He received his Ph.D. in Administration at Michigan State University in 1971.

Petitions Due April 11 for School Board

Prospective candidates for the two vacancies on the Charlevoix Board of Education are reminded that nominating petitions must be filed no later than 4 p.m. April 11.

Under a new ruling effective this year, petitions for this office must be filed nine weeks prior to the June 13 election.

The terms of C. Mux Novak and Robert J. Cook, who was elected to fill an unexpired term, expire at this time. Both have said they would be candidates for re-election.

Nominating petitions are

available at the business office on Garfield ave. or at the office of the county clerk in the county building.

This Saturday township residents will have a chance to participate in grass roots government at its best—the annual township meeting.

Throughout the state, township residents will be flocking to township halls

between 1 and 8 p.m. to let their supervisors and board members know what they think should be accomplished

in the township during the coming year.

Each township resident will be able to address the township board and each resident will be able to vote on various issues along with their elected representatives as they hammer out a plan for the township. While township residents can address the board during any regular session, the annual meeting is the only time residents can vote on issues.

During the annual meeting, the various township boards will hold public hearings on the proposed budgets for the coming year. Township officials' salaries may also be established at the annual meeting, providing a salary commission has not been appointed.

Other business that may be discussed during the meeting includes the purchase or sale of any real or personal property and the discussion of any petitions that might be presented to the board by township residents.

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POSING WITH THEIR CARS and trophies are the winners of the Pinewood Derby. In the front row are the Cub Scout winners: (from left to right) Tim Plagge, Jim Smith, Matt Lignell, Scott Detraz and Tim Salmonson. In the back row are the Webelos winners: Mike Donnelly, Mike Fischner, Scoutmaster Terry Salmonson, Lee Allard and Rick Gallant. Missing is Craig Glass. For more pictures, see page 9.

The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Seaway Disposal Plant:

Date	High	Low	Rainfall
March 22	42	15	0
March 23	32	16	13
March 24	28	11	trace
March 25	34	14	0
March 26	48	25	0
March 27	47	34	0
March 28	48	40	1.16

There have been 131.7 inches of snow so far this year, with 103 inches falling during March.

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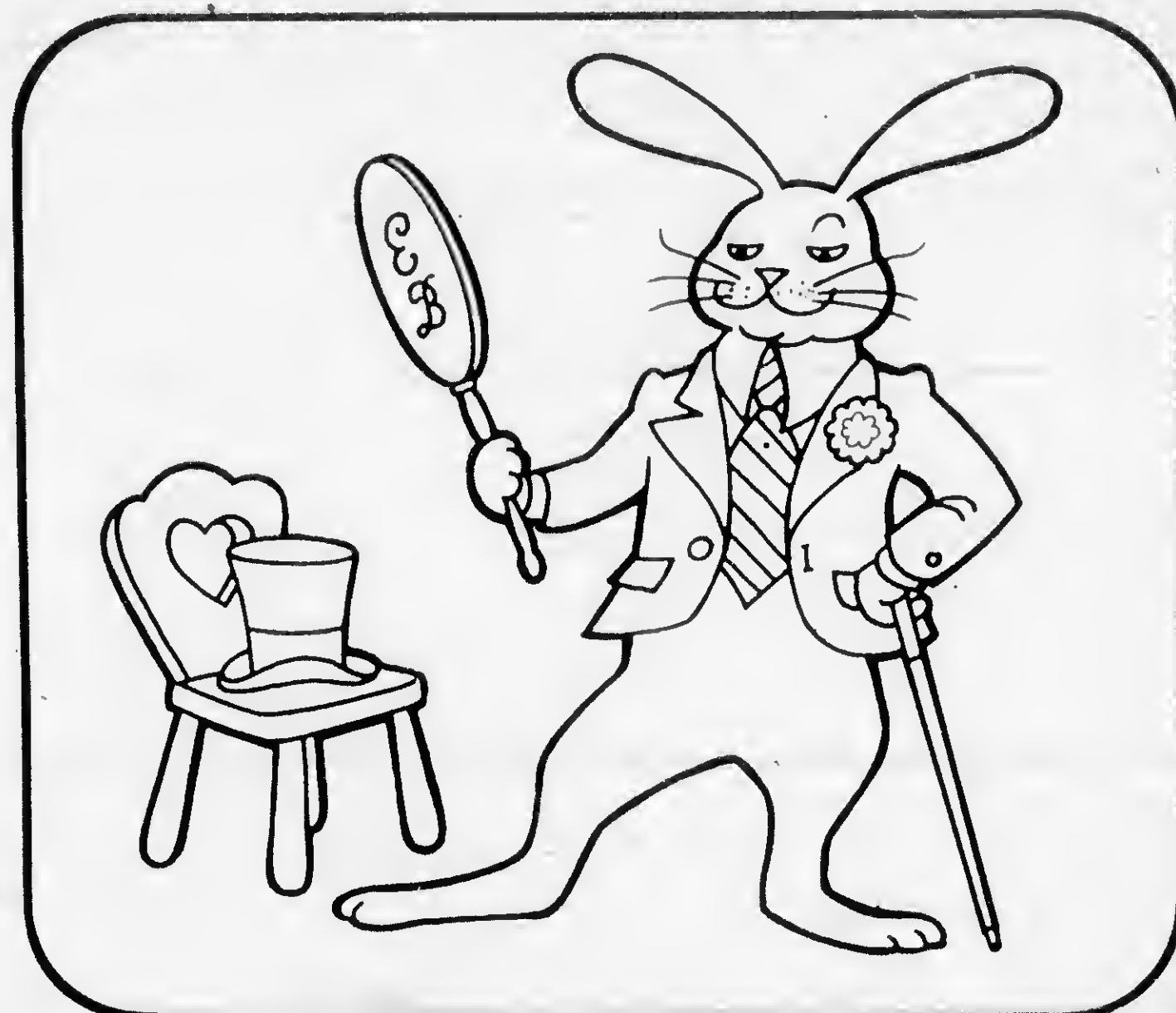
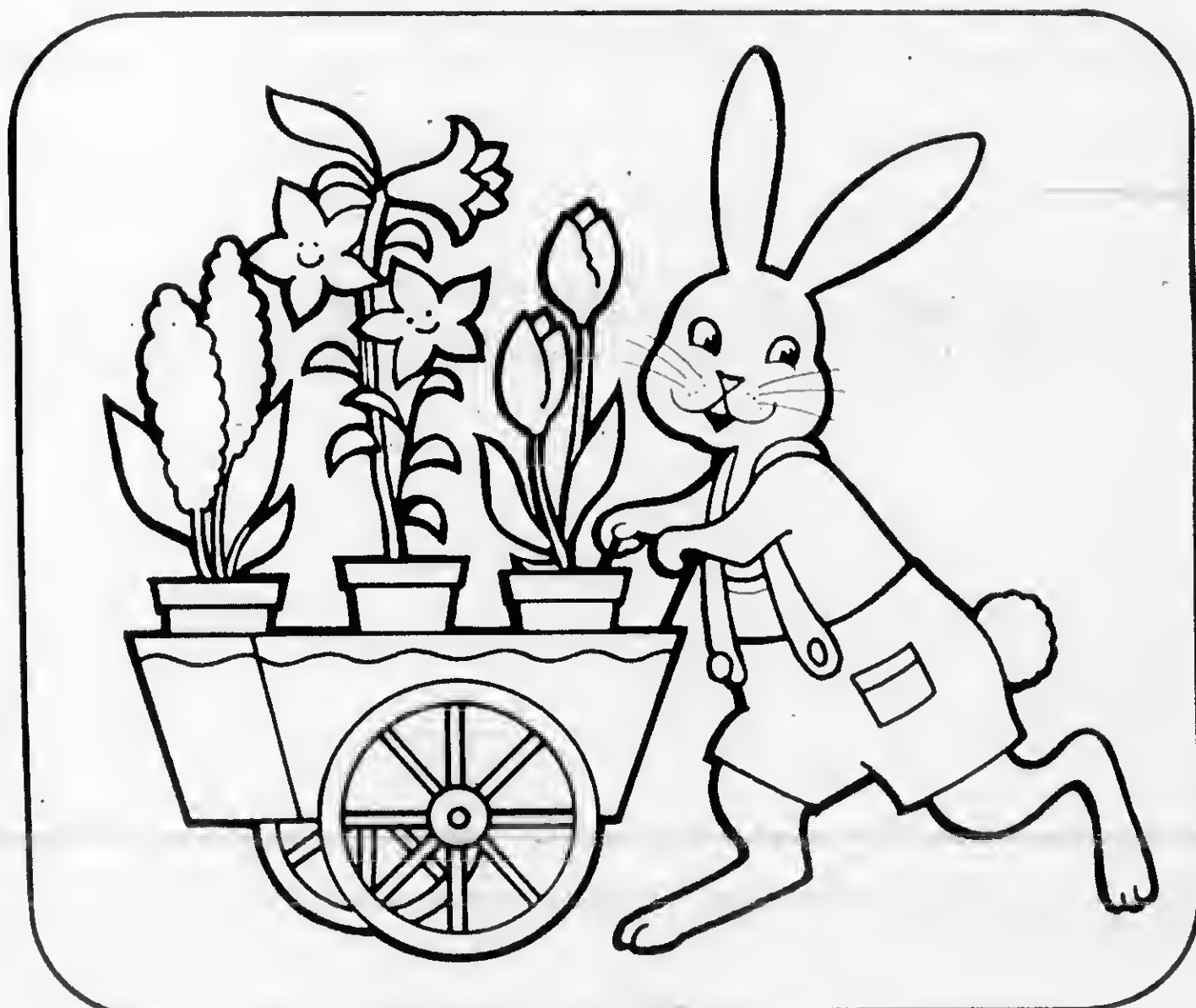
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Engaged

Berg-Ogden

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Berg of Charlevoix announce the engagement of their daughter, Margaret Anne, to James Russell Ogden. He is the son of Dr. and Mrs. Russell Ogden of Ypsilanti.

Miss Berg is an English teacher with Eastside Junior and Senior High School in Butler, Ind. She is a 1972 graduate of Charlevoix High School and a 1976 graduate of the University of Michigan.

Her fiancé is currently a student majoring in business education at Eastern Michigan University.

An Aug. 27 wedding is planned.



Margaret Berg and James Ogden

Area Students Keep Busy

Tiller Otis Plans Term Of Study in Germany

Academic life for Kalamazoo College Junior Mildred "Tiller" Otis will soon shift from the oak-shaded hilltop campus in Kalamazoo to study centers in Germany.

Miss Otis, along with 36 other students, is participating in the college's Foreign Study Program. She will spend spring quarter living and studying in Münster, Germany.

Four County Students Win Degrees from CMU

Four Central Michigan University students from Charlevoix County received degrees during commencement in December.

Judith Hargreave received a bachelor of science degree in health education and Bernice Ward III received a bachelor of science degree in education.

The former Charlevoix High School student will become acquainted in some depth with a culture, a people and an educational system different from her own during the foreign study. Her academic work while abroad will be generally equivalent to that done on the Kalamazoo campus but will be enhanced by the environment in which it takes place.

Miss Otis is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Otis.

Five Students Named to Honors List

Five students from Charlevoix County were named to Central Michigan University's fall semester honors list.

Tori Alger, senior, Lynn Eby, senior, and Joe Kaufman, junior, of Charlevoix, and Lynn Dunarton, freshman, and Kevin Klevorn, sophomore, of Boyne City, were among 1,046 students on the honors list.

Honors students were chosen from the top 10 percent of each academic class. For the fall semester 217 freshmen, 299 sophomores, 237 juniors and 195 seniors made the list.

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NORWOOD TOWNSHIP ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Norwood Twp. Board will be held at the Township Hall on Sat. Apr. 2 at 8:00 P.M. The Township Bd. will hold a hearing on the 1977 budget and proposed budgeting and federal revenue sharing funds. A copy of the budget and Federal Revenue Sharing information can be seen at the Township Clerk's home. Also, the sewer facilities plan for Norwood Twp. will be discussed at the annual meeting.

Bertha Parsons, Clerk

NOTICE ANNUAL MEETING MARION TOWNSHIP

The annual meeting will be held on Saturday, April 2, 1977 at 7:30 P.M. at the town hall. The financial report and budget will be presented for adoption.

Trocy Curtis, Clerk



PENSION PLAN FOR FULL-TIME HOMEOWNERS

For the first time since Eve picked up a broom and swept out the Garden of Eden, housewives can qualify to receive a pension by staying at home and doing their job-housework.

This new retirement plan, part of the Tax Reform Act of 1976, is designed to relieve some of the financial burdens many women face when they get older.

Until this provision was passed, millions of non-employed wives had to rely upon Social Security benefits and payments, if any, from their husbands' retirement plans for income during their later years. According to a Senate Tax Force report on Women and Social Security issued last year, one out of three women "out on their own" exists on income below the poverty level—that's around \$2,900 a year. In 1975, the average monthly Social Security payment to women was \$181 per month.

The new pension program, effective January 1, 1977, is set up through an Individual Retirement Account. This is a government-authorized program in which individuals may invest for their retirement. The recently signed law permits a husband who is not covered by a company retirement plan to make contributions to an IRA on behalf of his non-employed spouse and himself.

For such an account, the maximum yearly contribution is \$1,750 or 15 percent of an individual's earned income, whichever is less. An IRA plan of this type may also be opened with subaccounts where the contributions are formally earmarked for each spouse. The maximum annual contribution is \$875 per person. Working wives not covered by a company retirement plan may make the IRA contributions on behalf of househusbands.

All contributions to an Individual Retirement Account are deducted on the couple's Federal income tax return, giving them immediate savings. And these days, who doesn't want to save on taxes? Of course, when these contributions are eventually taken out at retirement time, regular income taxes will be paid on them. But most people in their later years have lower earnings and will therefore pay less taxes on their income. The dividends and other earnings on these IRA contributions won't be taxed until they are withdrawn, again normally after retirement. So less taxes will be paid on them too. These contributions can really accumulate over the years into a comfortable nest egg—especially helpful in face of inflation.

IRA's can be set up in a variety of investment, like savings accounts, government retirement bonds and annuities. They can also be invested in any one of a wide range of mutual funds whose objectives vary. From achieving a high rate of interest to maximizing growth of capital, a mutual fund pools the money of many investors who have similar financial goals and invests this money in different securities to spread the risk.

While the number of married women who work is increasing, the majority are still not employed outside the home. Close to 27 million—57 percent of their total—are not currently in the paid labor force. A large percentage of their husbands belong to firms that don't have retirement programs and are therefore eligible to establish individual retirement accounts for themselves and their spouses.

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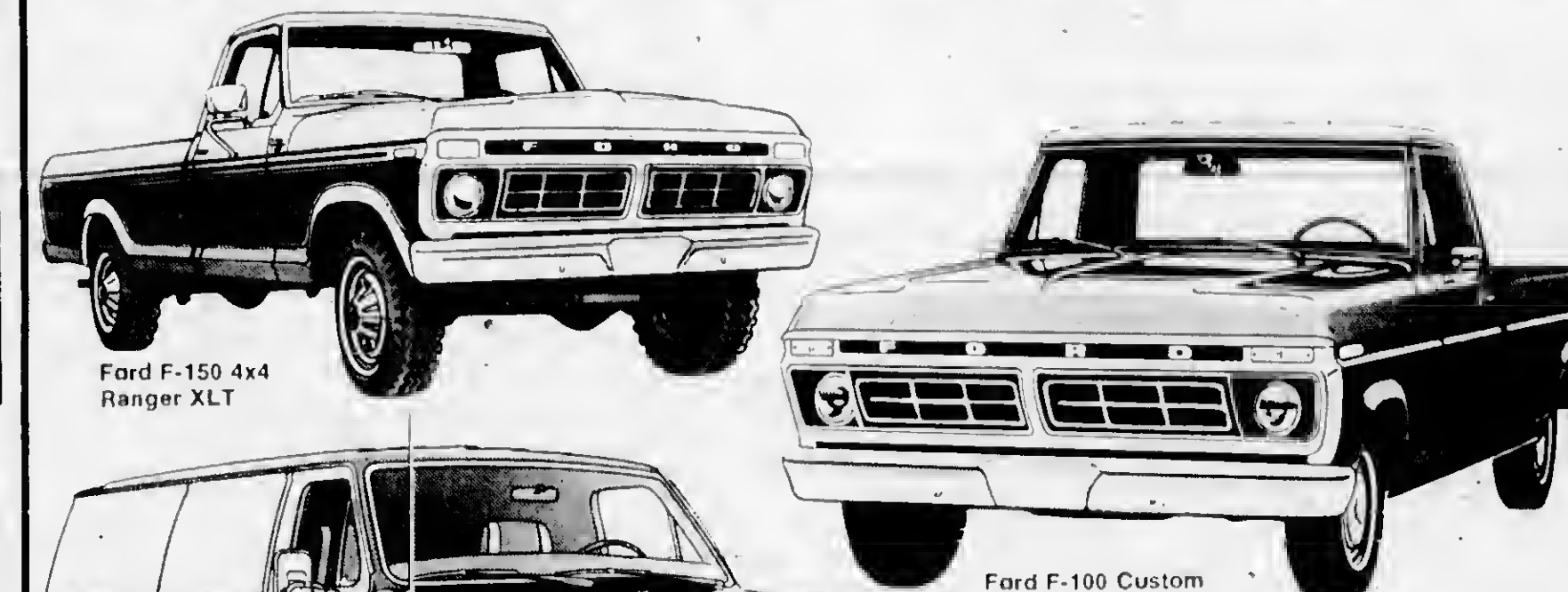
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Mark Westenbroek Joins Dr. Norton At Animal Hospital

Dr. Mark A. Westenbroek has become associated with Dr. David F. Norton in the practice of Veterinary Medicine at the Charlevoix Veterinary Hospital, effective this week.

Dr. Norton has operated the small animal hospital located on US 31 South since July 1973.

Dr. Westenbroek, a graduate of the Michigan State University College of Veterinary Medicine, has been associated with Dr. James Fox of South Haven since his graduation last

June. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Westenbroek of Charlevoix, he was graduated from the Charlevoix High School.

Dr. Norton, a 1970 graduate of the M.S.U. College of Veterinary Medicine, opened his own practice here after serving an internship at the small animal clinic at the college as a senior and two years at the Grand Traverse Veterinary Hospital. He is the son of John Norton of Charlevoix and the late Mrs. Norton.



DR. MARK WESTENBROEK and Dr. David Norton discuss heartworms in their offices at the Charlevoix Animal Hospital. Dr. Westenbroek has become associated with Dr. Norton.

Correction on Oddfellow-Mason Tournney

The late Horace K. Fowler was the captain of the original Mason's Crubbing Team during the first Mason-4-M4 Fellow tournament held in 1934.

It was reported in last week's Courier that the late Forrest Fowler was the captain. Fowler is very much alive; it was his father who was the captain.

The Courier regrets the error.

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Friendship Main Goal For Big Brothers, Sisters

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Friendship is what Big Brothers-Big Sisters of Charlevoix is all about.

"If a person has a little bit of time on his hands, there are a lot of kids on the waiting list who would like a Big Brother or Big Sister," Steven Neal, an active participant in the program, said.

"It takes so little time to be a Big Sister or Big Brother," Neal's wife, Mary who is also active in the program, added. "They just ask that you spend one hour a week with your little sister or brother. They just ask for your friendship."

Neal, a Coast Guardsman, got involved with the program three years ago.

"I can't believe it was that long ago," he said as he recalled how he got involved. "The time has really gone fast."

A friend of the Neals', Marie Packard, was the secretary of the Big Brothers organization, and she convinced Neal to try it.

"After she mentioned it, I thought it might be interesting and wanted to get involved," Neal recalled.

"And I've enjoyed the program," he continued. "It's nice to do things with people, especially with someone who has the same interests you do."

The Neals said Big Brothers-Big Sisters officers interview volunteers and try to match them up with youth between the ages of 7 and 17 who have similar personalities and interests.

Neal said he has enjoyed taking his Little Brother Thad to the Sunday for visits and on other excursions. Thad apparently enjoys the relationship, too. He listed the night he spent on the Sunday and the day he learned to shift gears on a motorcycle as his favorite experiences.

"It's been fun," Mrs. Neal said of her two years experience with her Little Sister Holly. "We enjoy getting together and it's good to have friends of all ages."

Mrs. Neal said she and Holly enjoy bowling together and no wonder-Holly has bowled as high as 150.

They have also spent time shopping together or at the beach or shopping for clothes for the Neal's eight-month daughter, Sarah.

The four also enjoy attending the various outings arranged by the Big Brother-Big Sister organization. There are 18 "matches" in Charlevoix County that participants in the various programs.

The Neals stressed that more volunteers are needed to work with the youth, but they added that there are other jobs in the organization, too.

"To be in the organization you don't have to be a Big Brother or Big Sister," Neal said. "They have a board and committees that need members, too."

"But they really need volunteers to work with the kids," he continued.

Neal said anyone can volunteer. It doesn't matter what job the person has or if they are married or single, all are welcome to join the organization.

Irish Holidays Great Fun For Big Brother, Big Sisters

The Big Brothers and Big Sisters of Charlevoix County and their little brothers and sisters were at Shanty Creek Ski Lodge recently for the annual Irish Holidays celebration.

Fifteen boys and girls from Boyne City, Bay Shore, Charlevoix and East Jordan in

from Boyne City, received a trophy and a cash prize for placing first in the ski race. Tom Carson and Jeff Probst of Boyne City, little brothers, and Will Weigandt of Traverse City, a big brother, were winners in the "inertube" competition.

Group singing with music by Alice Tryhan, a little sister

Al Anderson on the accordion concluded the outing.

A kite flying contest with the Pleasant County Big Brother-Big Sister group is planned for April 23. The event will include a hotdog roast at the Bruce Green property on Twinline road at Bay Shore.

Raises Money for Muscular Dystrophy

Each day during the week the students participated in different activities reminding them about the week. The week ended with a dance and cake raffle that also served as fundraising events.

The students collected \$157 at the dance, \$16 from the canisters they placed around town and \$9 from the sale of slushcone t-shirts.

For one week the Student School students banded together recently to help out people less fortunate than themselves.

The Charlevoix Middle School students banded together recently to help out people less fortunate than themselves.

Congress, with the aid of their advisor Allison Croucher, sponsored a variety of events to raise money for muscular dystrophy. The students raised \$183.51.

Area Residents Celebrate at Picnic

Charlevoix and Antrim county residents living in the southern climes got together for the 14th Annual Antrim-Charlevoix Association picnic recently.

More than 82 people attended the get-together at Count Phillips County Park near Satey Harbor, Fla. Frank Malone conducted the business meeting which

consisted of the reading of the minutes for the 1976 meeting and the election of officers.

Newly elected for 1978 are Anna Warner, president, Mary Louise Morris, vice

president and Gertrude Drake, secretary-treasurer. It was voted to hold the 15th annual picnic on the second Wednesday of March at Phillips Park as usual.

Medusa Challenger Makes First Trip

The cement carrier, Medusa Challenger, made its first trip into the Medusa Cement Co. dock on Monday from its winter quarters at Manitowish, Wis.

The ship docked at its South Point slip at 8:30 a.m. Monday, 12 days later than in 1976 according to Clement J. Wagner, business manager at

the plant. Severe ice conditions in Lake Michigan filled with drift ice is said to be the reason for delayed opening of navigation for the Challenger which transports cement to ports on the Great Lakes.

John C. Bradley of Charlevoix is skipper of the carrier.

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Band Members Do Well At Solo, Ensemble Fest

Charlevoix High School instrumentalists were in Charlevoix Saturday for the annual state Solo and Ensemble Festival sponsored by the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association.

Their director, Gary J. Stutzman, has announced.

One ensemble, a clarinet quartet, placed first in the festival; other soloists and ensembles received 11 rating and a snare drum duo placed third.

Winning the blue ribbon was the clarinet quartet composed of Joan Cook, James Neal, Becky Jullivert and Theresa Bears.

A 111 rating was awarded to David Boat and John Cronin for their snare drum duo.

Area Births

The following Charlevoix County residents have new additions to their families:

Mrs. John Morgan, East Jordan, March 23. A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Doug Whistler, Charlevoix, March 24.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and

NOTICE OF CITY OF CHARLEVOIX CITY ELECTION

An election to elect city officials will be held between the hours of 7 a.m. and 8 p.m. in the City Hall on April 4, 1977, to be elected at large are mayor, clerk, treasurer, constable. An ordinance also will be elected in each Ward. All qualified electors of the City are eligible to vote.

Judy D. Przybylski CITY CLERK CHARLEVOIX, MICHIGAN

10 Scouts Roll Their Way to Victory



THESE FOUR Cub Scouts watch as their Pinewood Derby entries race down the course to victory.

Ten top Pinewood Derby winners were named from among 72 entries in the local derby held Saturday to represent Charlevoix's Cub and Webelos Scouts at the Northern District Pinewood Derby in Cheboygan Saturday, according to Cubmaster Terry Salmonson.

Selected from among the 11 Webelos entered in the local derby was Mike Donnelly who won recognition as the top racer in Pack 11.

Following him were: Mike Pischner, in second place, Craig Glass in third place, and Lee Allart in fourth. Rick Gallant was named as an alternate.

Tim Plagge placed first in the Cub Scout division followed by Jim Smith in

second, Matt Lignell, third, Scott Detraz, fourth. Tim Salmonson is the alternate in this division.

Assisting were: Dan Dean and Dick Gallant at the starting gate and Charles Bentley, Edwin Crook and Vane Smith, judges. Racers were timed by an electronic judging device made by Cubmaster Salmonson.

District winners at Cheboygan Saturday will advance to the Semi-Finals Council finals late in April.

Ground Broken at Whiting Park

Ground was broken Friday for the new park manager's house at Whiting Park Ralph Richardson, chairman of the Parks and Recreation committee of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners has announced.

Jack Siebe of Charlevoix is the general contractor for the one-story frame structure that will have 10,000 sq. feet of floor space. In addition to the usual

number of rooms, the two-bedroom structure will have an office.

The new building will replace a structure that was known to be more than 60 years old and which was moved to the park many years ago from Boyne City.

Siebe's bid was for \$26,000. Completion date is scheduled for late May.

Taxes in the Spotlight Again

Taxes are in the spotlight once again in Charlevoix County, what with the day of reckoning, April 15th, just around the bend.

The big question among local residents, as they prepare their reports, is how big a bite Uncle Sam will be taking this year.

Last April he collected approximately \$18,323,000 in personal and employment taxes in the area, based upon the prior year's earnings.

That the amount of money turned in locally, as estimated from a breakdown of the taxes received from the State of

Michigan as a whole. The statewide total was \$12,215,000,000, according to figures released by the Treasury Department.

Thus, payments by local residents constituted close to 0.15 percent of the personal taxes collected throughout the state.

The Government expects that its haul this year will be substantially bigger than it was last April, notwithstanding the fact that unemployment was at a high level in 1976 in most parts of the country.

Despite that, there were

more people who were at work earning more than in 1975. And bigger incomes produce bigger taxes.

Nationally, according to a projection by the U.S. Office of Management and Budget, personal income tax collections, including employment taxes, will be about \$37 billion greater than they were last year.

The Government's budget, now before Congress, counts on \$284.9 billion coming in from this source, as against \$218.1 billion in 1976.

Taxpayers in the local area will be bearing their

proportionate share of the total. Their payment next month will be approximately \$21,401,000, it is estimated.

Just how long the rates will remain at their present level depends upon the President and Congress. Both favor a cut of sizeable proportions.

As it stands, however, personal taxes of \$26 billion are called for in the budget for the next fiscal year, \$41 billion more than at present.

If Charlevoix County residents are to carry their share of this increase, overall income in the area will have to rise considerably.

Street Repair to Begin in City

Work on city streets to repair the damage caused by severe winter weather probably won't begin for another four to six weeks, according to City

Administrator Allen Sandberg.

Sandberg said only temporary emergency repairs would be made until it warms up and spring is definitely

here.

"There's too much ground water right now that could create frost and damage any work we might do," Sandberg said. "It will probably be somewhere between April 15

Sandberg said considering the severe winter weather that hit the area, city streets are in pretty good condition.

Former Charlevoix Resident Named VFW Man of the Year

Harry Oldham, 56, a former resident now residing in Perry, Ohio, has been named Veterans of Foreign Wars Man of the Year in Lake County, Ohio. He now becomes a candidate for the national award.

Oldham is one of 16 charter members of the Madison

VFW Post No. 8548 (formed in 1973). He is presently serving as senior vice commander and service officer of the post. He also is a member of the American Legion Post No. 601 of Madison.

The Man of the Year award is given in recognition to service to the V.F.W. and the community. Chief among his

contributions was locating and restoring the grave sites of men who had fought in the Revolutionary War. A total of 101 graves were located, many of them in private cemeteries, and restored in the area where he now resides.

Oldham is a veteran of World War II, having served

Historical Society to Discuss Maple Syrup

The sugar maple, maple syrup in Michigan and the history of the making of maple syrup in Charlevoix will be the subject of the program at the April 5 meeting of the Charlevoix Historical Society to be held in the Community

Room of the First State Bank at 8 p.m.

Edward K. Shanahan, lifelong resident of the area, will discuss growth characteristics of the maple tree in native forest and urban environments and his own experiences in commercially producing the syrup. This will include the Kiwanis maple syrup project.

As indicated in "Bob Miles' Charlevoix", a pictorial history of the community, many of the street plantings of

sugar maples date back nearly a century.

An invitation is extended to everyone to attend this meeting of the historical society.

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benefit at the citizenry of Charlevoix Township, to alter the boundaries of said City of Charlevoix, by taking into, and including within, the boundaries of said City all the lands and premises adjoining thereto, being the entire Township of Charlevoix, Charlevoix County, Michigan, for the purpose of extending to said area of Charlevoix Township utilities, services, and other advantages of being located within the boundaries of the City of Charlevoix, including, but not limited to, a proposed sewer extension and construction program of the estimated amount of 3.5 million dollars to be located in and serving said City and Township.

WHEREAS, the City of Charlevoix is a Fourth Class City incorporated under Act number 215 of the Public Acts of the State of Michigan for 1895, as amended, and it is necessary for the City of Charlevoix to petition the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners to make such change in its boundaries under the provisions of Section 1, of Chapter 11, of said Act, being Section 1609 of the Michigan Statutes Annotated: "THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the Common Council of the City of Charlevoix that the said City of Charlevoix determine to alter its boundaries by taking into the boundaries of the City of Charlevoix the aforesaid lands and premises, more particularly described as being all the lands and premises situated and being in Township of Charlevoix, Charlevoix County, Michigan and more particularly particularly described as follows:

ALL lands lying North of the South lines of Sections 31, 32, 33, 34, & 35 and West of the East Lines of Sections 13 & 14, Township 34 North, Range 8 West Charlevoix County, Michigan. EXCEPT those lands presently located within the boundaries of the City of Charlevoix, described and set forth in Exhibit A, attached hereto and made part hereof.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the City of Charlevoix petition the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners to approve said change in the boundaries of the City of Charlevoix:

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor be and is hereby authorized and directed to do all acts required to prepare and present said Petition to the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners:

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Charlevoix City Clerk be and is hereby authorized and directed to give notice by publication of the time and place when said Petition shall be presented to the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners for consideration by publishing the same in the Charlevoix Courier for three weeks immediately preceding said presentation.

Resolution was adopted by the following yeas and nays: Yeas: Aldermen Whitely, Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, and Wood. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Mayor Hansen reported that he had been contacted by Mrs. Fred Anand in regard to a possible exchange of City property at the Beaver Island Boat Company dock for the Erber Auto Building on Clinton Street. Possible uses for the Erber Building were discussed. Council will discuss the matter further at the Committee of the Whole meeting scheduled for March 21, 1977.

Alderman Plumm, Chairman of the Finance and Budget Committee, questioned a bill submitted by the IBM Corporation for \$290.00. Allen Sandberg, City Administrator, informed Alderman Plumm that the charge was for rental of an IBM memorex typewriter on a six month trial basis. The present charge includes shipping, and future rent payments will be \$188.00 per month. Alderman Plumm asked that Council be advised if the typewriter is used enough to justify continuing the rental program at the end of the six month period.

The Finance Committee having examined bills totaling \$17,828.88 find them correct and recommend the bills be allowed. Moved by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Morris that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for their amounts. Motion was adopted by the following yeas and nays: Yeas: Aldermen Whitely, Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, and Wood. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Council adjourned.

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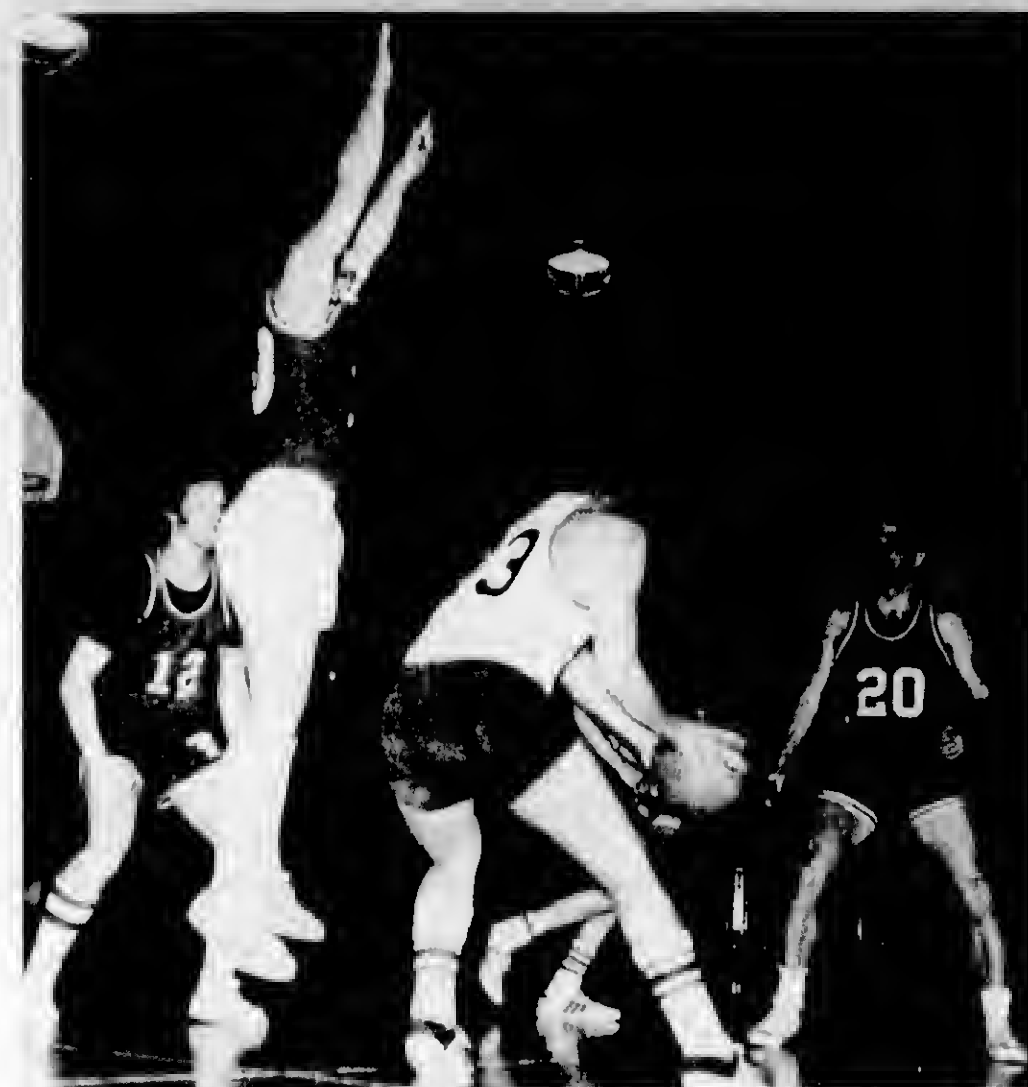
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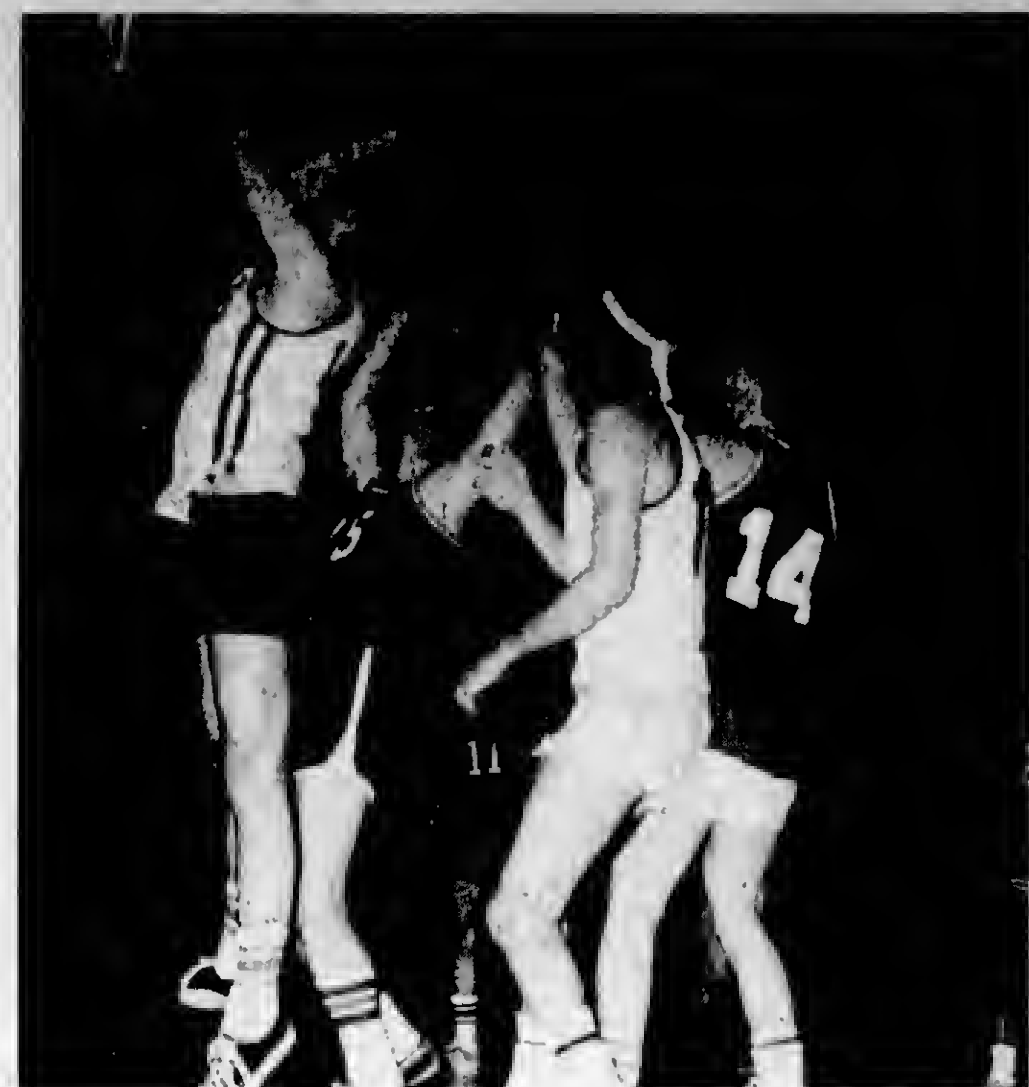
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DAN MCKENZIE (10) of Townhouse was up in the air to block this shot by Kaden's Bud Beebe (33). Townhouse surprised Kaden's to win the tournament trophy during Wednesday night's play.



JIM BAUMAN (14) of Kaden's had to stretch a long ways to get this shot in the basket during Wednesday's play against the Townhouse for the tournament trophy. Townhouse won the game.

Townhouse Comes on Strong



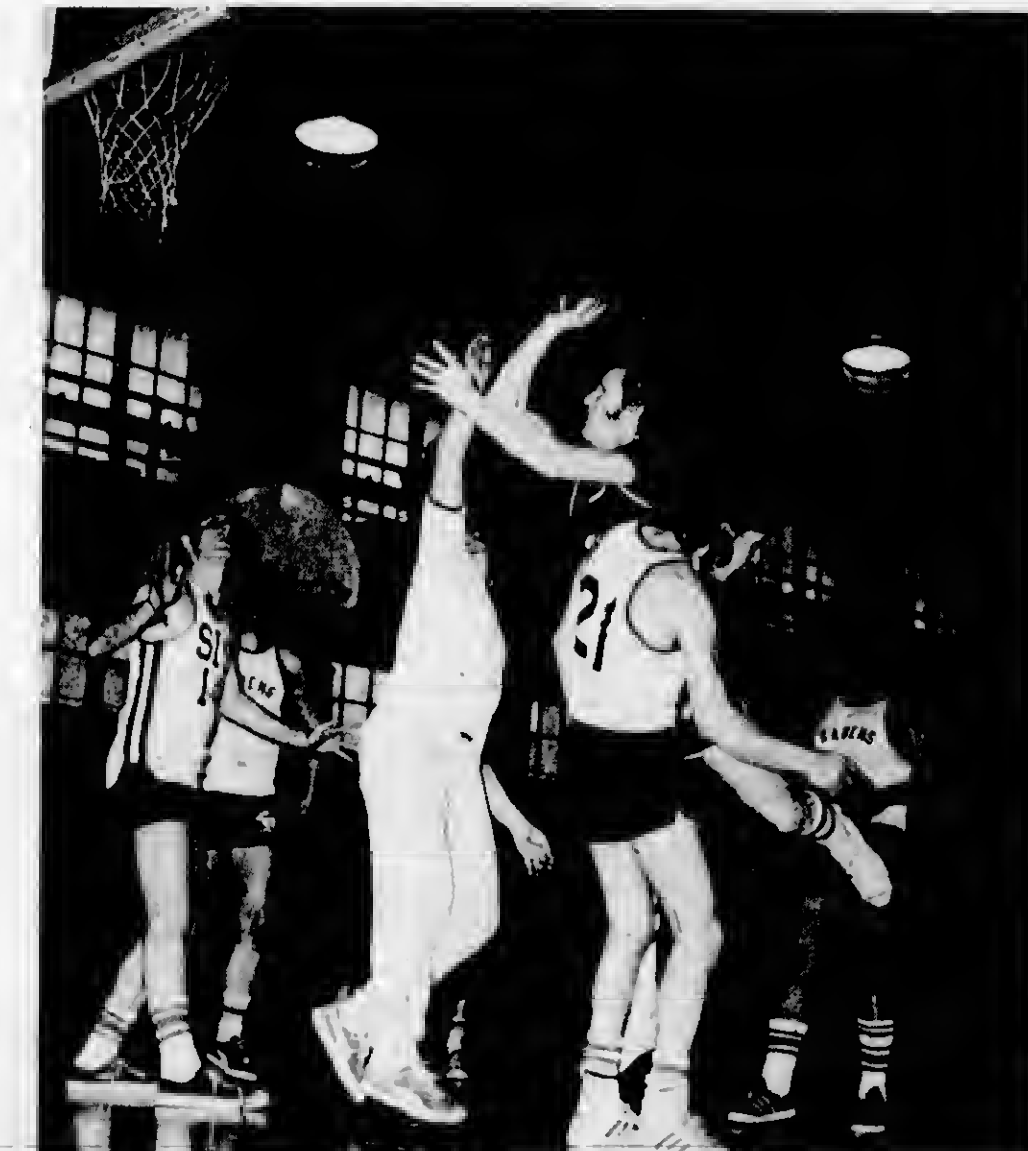
THE TOWNHOUSE Lounge independent basketball team captured the A League title in the annual Jimmy Bogart tournament last week by taking the best two of three games in the play-offs. Townhouse defeated the league champions, Kaden's Emporium, to take the tournament. Pictured with their sponsor and the trophy are, front row (l to r) Leroy Buchanan, Mrs. Helen Weslik, sponsor, Dan McKenzie, Chuck Wright, Jimmy Bogart, for whom the tourney is named. Back row: Tim Doan, Iken Boss, Dennis Dominic. Missing from photo are: Stewart Coleman, Topper Carey and Steve Smith.



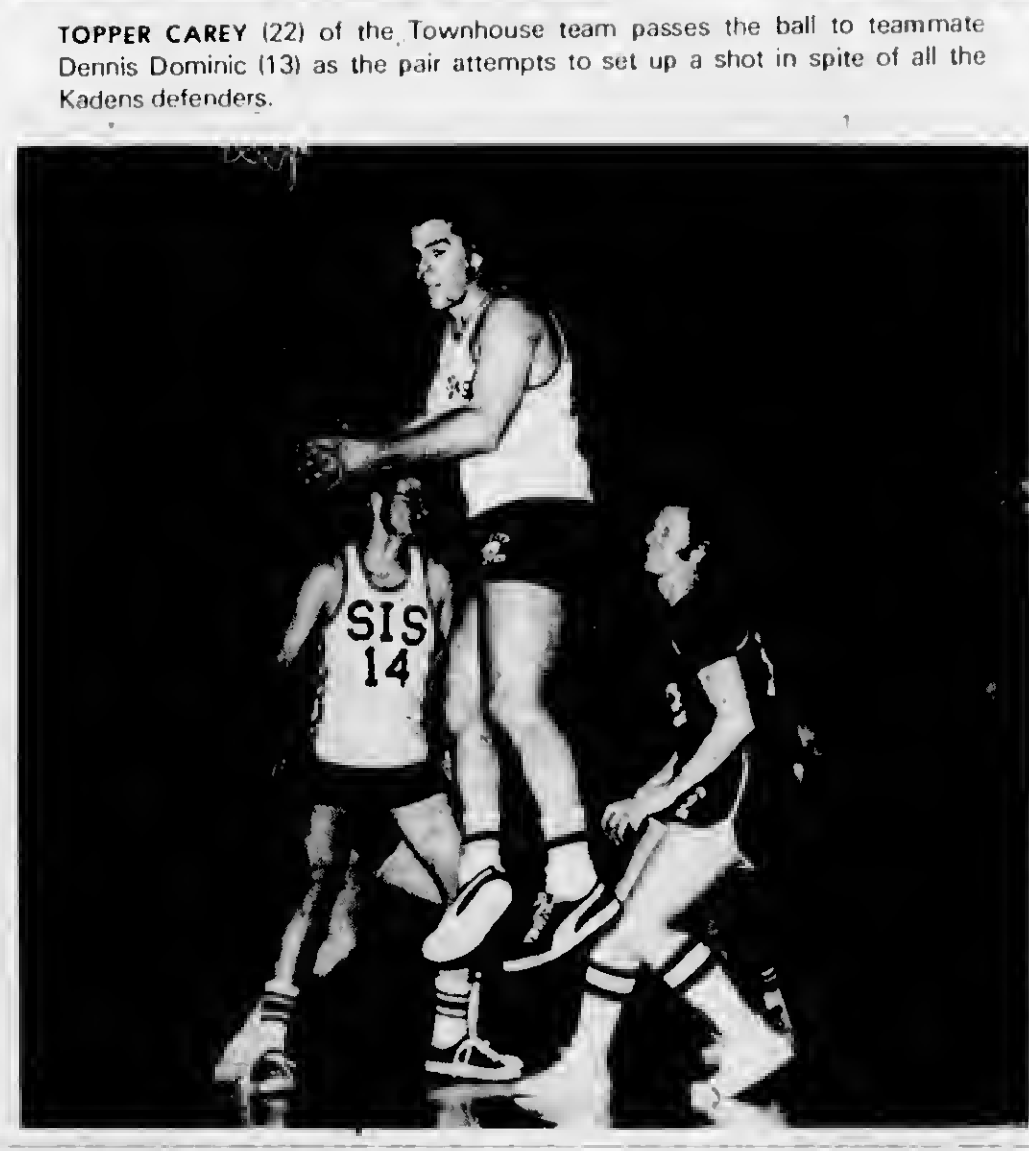
AL LOOZE (13) of Kaden's was free and clear as he hustled down court away from his Townhouse opponents.



TOPPER CAREY (22) of the Townhouse team passes the ball to teammate Dennis Dominic (13) as the pair attempts to set up a shot in spite of all the Kaden's defenders.



SPOOK COLEMAN (12) gets a flying shot off in spite of the defensive move by Kaden's players. Townhouse won the tournament game.



KIRK KUJAWSKI (23) of Kaden's snatched this rebound from the hands of his opponents as Jim Bauman (14) of Kaden's and Spook Coleman (12) of Townhouse watch.

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Middle School Matmen Place Third in Meet

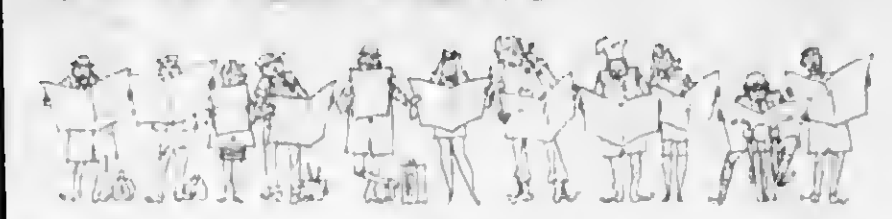
By FRANK MARTIN
The Charlevoix Middle School wrestlers, coached by Norm Probert, placed third in the Rudyard Invitational tournament Saturday with a total of 100 points. Grayling with 166 points took the tournament with Rudyard with 103 points winning second place. In fourth behind Charlevoix was Muskegon with 90 points; the Soo with 37 and Munising with 31 points. Scott Golovich won the championship in his weight class. Runners-up in their respective classes were Gerald Winner, Steve Bellows, Tim Bruce, Fred Sonnenberg, Ray Wiesler, Bruce Honeyette, Ken Wojan, Joe Sladek and Paul White. Greg Whitley, Greg Unlor and Mike DeMicheil placed third; Chuck Wiesler, Rich Geurgel, Mike Bartz, Mickey Betty, Kevin Whitley and Tom Hand, fifth place and Richard Starr, sixth place in middle school competition. Rusty Williams, with a 4-0 record, captured a championship in the elementary division. "Our boys showed a big improvement over the week before," Coach Probert said. "That extra week of practice really paid off," he continued. One reason for the success in practice time is the lack of a second mat. With 60 Varsity wrestlers and more than 40 in the middle school program, there is room to give the middle school students attention during the regular season Probert said. Probert had only praise for two high school students, Tim Mierke and Darla Bartz, a mat mauler, who volunteered to accompany the middle school

wrestlers to Rudyard on Saturday. He said without them it would have been difficult to manage the 27 young wrestlers on the all-day trip. On Wednesday the Middle School team will travel to Petoskey for a scrimmage at 4 p.m. The fifth annual Middle School Intramural tournament at 2:15 p.m. Friday will conclude the wrestling season. Awards and plaques supplied by the Charlevoix Wrestling Club will be presented at the conclusion of the meet. Defending their titles will be Scott Golovich who will be going for his third title and Sladek, Bartz, Wojan, Sonnenberg, Chuck Wiesler and Whitley who will be trying for their second titles. The event at the middle school gymnasium is open to the public.

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W	L	W	L	W	L	W	L	
Hoskins No. 1	26	14	Medusa	25	15	Paul Bunyan Lanes	22	18
Hoskins No. 2	19	20	Bay Shore Steel	19	21	Town House	17	23
Kentucky Fried Chicken	16	23	V.I.P.	15	25	TEAM HIGH SERIES		
Kentucky Fried Chicken	2348	Hoskins No. 1	2226	Bay Shore Steel	2207	Kentucky Fried Chicken	792	
Hoskins No. 1	784	V.I.P.	764	Medusa	759	Barb Skeel	468	
Carol Barry	465	Barb Skeel	468	Carol Barry	465	Barb Skeel	468	
INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES				INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME				
Mary D'Brien (sub)	521	Mary Moore	490	Barb Skeel	468	Carol Barry	465	
Mary D'Brien (sub)	207	Barb Skeel	187	Mary Moore	189	Leona Fuiman	187	
SPORTSMAN LEAGUE				SPORTSMAN LEAGUE				
March 17, 1977				March 17, 1977				
Argonne	312	216	Peters Electric	288	240	Hoskins	286	
Hoskins	286	240	Edwards IGA	283	245	Frank's Flowers	279	
Kil Carson	278	250	Country Bank	226	302	First State Bank	190	
TEAM HIGH SERIES				TEAM HIGH SERIES				
Hoskins	2430	Edwards IGA	2428	Argonne	2387	Peters Electric	2339	
Edwards IGA	655	Peters Electric	638	Argonne	616	Paul Fiedorek	825	
Paul Fiedorek	825	206	224	Randy DeYoung	800	243	210	
Randy DeYoung	800	243	210	John Swanson	752	225	221	
Howard Struthers	737	195	Roger Cran	731	200	Arnie Loper	700	
Nick DeYoung	705	202	Ray Brown	675	204	Dick Slings	675	
GUYS AND GALS LEAGUE				GUYS AND GALS LEAGUE				
March 20, 1977				March 20, 1977				
Carol, Irvin Barry	16	4	Kay, Dave Ball	14	6	Cooky, Bob Borhis	14	
Barb, Jerry Shupert	13	7	Nancy, Chuck Mathers	12	8	Lauretta, Ed Swanson	12	
Mary, Pete Winnick	12	8	Rosemary, Ed Coradi	11	9	Pauline, Jon Troop	11	
Jean, Stan Fiedorek	10	10	Marilyn, John Swanson	9	11	Esther, Bob Livingston	8	
Joke, Joe Stutzman	6	15	Susan, Brad Krige	5	15	Beverly, Leonard Espich	4	
Debra, Gale Iversen	3	17	TEAM HIGH SERIES					
Carol, Irvin Barry	1063	Barb, Jerry Shupert	998	Nancy, Chuck Mathers	990	Nancy, Chuck Mathers	403	
Barb, Jerry Shupert	398	Carol, Irvin Barry	375	INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES				
Bob Borhis	556	Stan Fiedorek	521	Chuck Barry	517	Carol Barry	513	
SPORTSMAN LEAGUE				SPORTSMAN LEAGUE				
March 24, 1977				March 24, 1977				
Rachel Niswander (sub)	476	Nancy Mathers	473	Chuck Mathers	473	Boh's Borhis	210	
Sylvia Smith	219	Barb Swanson	202	June Doan	186	Rachel Niswander (sub)	177	
EARLY BIRD MIXED DOUBLES				EARLY BIRD MIXED DOUBLES				
March 20, 1977				March 20, 1977				
Sylvia Smith	219	Barb Swanson	202	June Doan	186	Rachel Niswander (sub)	177	
TEAM HIGH SERIES				TEAM HIGH SERIES				
Argonne	347	225	Edwards IGA	314	258	Frank's Flowers	309	
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Jelly Bean Jumble

LOTS OF FUN FOR EASTER....

Each participating business has a jar filled with jelly beans and candy.... Simply stop by the businesses listed below....examine the jelly bean jars....and guess how many pieces of candy are in the jar. You could win the jar of candy plus a prize from each merchant.

In case of a tie, winner determined by an out of the list drawing.

GRAND PRIZE DRAWING

Each entry is eligible for the grand prize drawing of two delicious Easter hams on SATURDAY APRIL 9

Follow the Easter trail to these Charlevoix Merchants for fun and savings.

Reusch Jewelry
Oleson's Shopping Plaza
Cross Pendant

Kentucky Fried Chicken
215 Bridge
10 Pc. Thrift Box

Lieberman's Dept. Store
215 Bridge
\$5 Gift Certificate

County Seat General Store
In the Market Mall

1 Pr. Osh Kosh
B'Gosh Spring Bib
Overalls Weight

Oleson's Variety Store
Oleson's Shopping Plaza

Men's or Ladies' Timex Watch

Wharfside Market
330 Bridge
Box of Sander's Candy

Dahlquist Stores
332 Bridge
Merchandise Gift Certificate

Helene's Beauty Shoppe
100 Park
Charlie Cologne Atomizer Decanter

Leisure Time
Oleson's Shopping Plaza

Crewel Kit

Kaden's Emporium
101 Bridge
\$5 Gift Certificate

Hurry down to any of these fine stores to make your guess on the number of jelly beans in their jelly bean jar!

Kit Carson Lumber Co.
M-66 South
1/4" Electric Drill

Clothing Co. in the Market Mall
\$10 Gift Certificate

Frank's Florist & Greenhouse
US 31 North
\$5 Gift Certificate

First State Bank of Charlevoix

Board Fails to Approve Contracts

By FRAN MARTIN

The Charlevoix Board of Education failed to take action on two issues relative to administrative salaries and extension of contracts.

Recommendations that the contracts of employment for Ralph Raymer, K-5 principal, Vincent A. Chew, middle school principal, Roy Fortin, assistant high school principal, Vane H. Smith, high school principal, and Vincent Olach, business manager, be extended one year and that the board adopt the ratio concept of administrative compensation failed to receive support after a motion in each case had been made. The action would have extended their respective contracts one year to June 30, 1979. Present contracts run until June 30, 1978.

An experimental breakfast program will be offered at the K-5 school beginning Monday following action by the board. The meal will be offered on an experimental basis at a cost of 25 cents per participant with the exception of those eligible for free and reduced price nutritional breakfasts. The program will be subsidized by state and federal funds. An evaluation of the experimental program will be presented by the administration at the first meeting in June. The program is being undertaken because so many children come to school without breakfast.

Seventy-four tenure teachers in the school system will be offered contract following action by the board. Three other teachers, having completed satisfactory probationary periods, were given tenure status. They are Rebecca Berg, an elementary teacher, Pamela Smith, special education teacher, and Dennis VanGulder, high school teacher and assistant coach. Four others were offered probationary contracts for next year after satisfactorily completing a first year probation. They are Ronald Cox, Vera Rimbold, Kristin Schaperkottter and Charles Wright.

Abiding by its mandatory retirement policy adopted in 1972, that requires the retirement of employees when they reach the age of 65 years unless individually excepted, the board has asked that Mrs. Dorothy McTear retire at the end of the present school year. Mrs. McTear has not at this time made written application for an extension of this policy. Supt. James A. McKinney was directed to notify Mrs. McTear of the board's action in writing by April 10. Mrs. McTear has taught Kin-

dergarten in the Charlevoix Elementary School for 37 years.

The board voted to take a school census this year. This was done to comply with the School Code of 1976 requirement to obtain census data on all persons ages 0 through 25 years. This is being done to obtain information relating to future enrollment and to locate any mentally and or physically handicapped persons in the school district.

A selling price of \$44,500 was established for the Building Trades House located in Hampton Village. The price does not include the remainder of the lein for sewer construction and carpeting allowance. It shall include all other legal expenditures required of the selling party.

Approval was given an election resolution for the June 13 annual school election at which time two trustees will be elected to the Board of Education. There are no financial issues on the ballot. Prospective candidates for the vacancies are reminded that

the deadline for filing nominating petitions is 4 p.m. Monday, April 11.

A proposed baseball program for high school youths was voted by the board. In proposing that it be voted, Don Brown said that it is a matter of finances and that if such a program was initiated a second would have to be established for the girls. It was also pointed out that the program would take the sport away from the school; that the school insurance program would not cover the participants; that it was not acceptable to the Michigan Huron-Shores Conference or the State High School Athletic Association and that of the 57 names submitted, all but 14 participate in at least one other high school sport.

A resolution expressing the board's appreciation to Dr. David Strawbridge, Dr. Robert Tallas and Dr. Jeff Porter for their services and interest in the young people in the community was adopted. The trio has established a dental health program in the K-5 school.



PATTY MUMA, Cancer Crusade chairman, hands out packets for the annual fundraising drive to Barbara Fortin and Jackie Hayes, volunteer captains for the door-to-door drive in the City of Charlevoix. The drive will start with a kickoff at 1 p.m. Tuesday, April 19 at the Grey Gables and will continue until May 7.

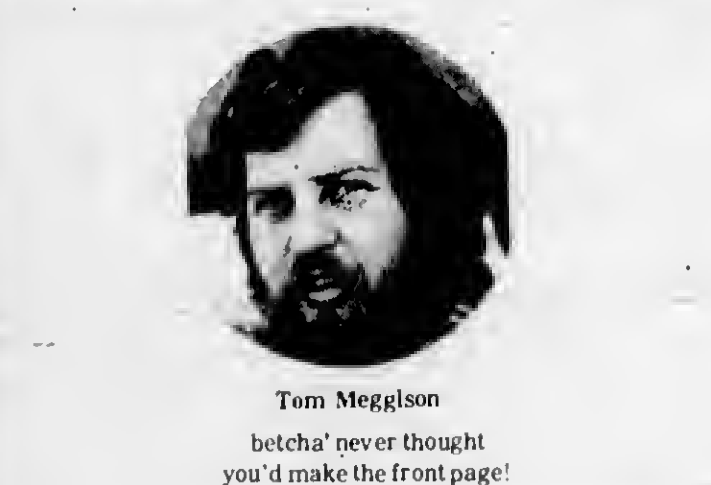
HOTLINE

Dial 547-6559

Hotline lets others know what you think. Tell us your opinion on anything by calling 547-6559 anytime after 6 p.m. No need to give your name. Selected opinions will appear each week.

Down With Breakfast
So now we are going to serve the school children breakfast. I have a better idea. Why not build some bedrooms for the children and then hire some more teachers to serve the children breakfast in bed. That way, we could waste more money.

P.S.



Tom Meggison betcha' never thought you'd make the front page!

WEATHER				
The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant:				
Date	High	Low	Precipitation	
March 29	—	—	60 rain	
March 30	—	—	22 rain	
March 31	—	—	31 rain	
April 1	39	28	0	
April 2	37	28	.28 rain	
April 3	39	33	.5 snow	
April 4	40	31	.5 snow	

There have been 137.2 inches of snow so far this year with 5.3 inches falling during April.

All Candidates Win Offices as Only 128 Vote

It may come as a surprise to no one, but all the candidates listed on the ballot for Monday's spring election were elected to office.

Of course, none of the candidates were opposed in their bid for election. Annabelle Cunningham, the candidate for city treasurer, was the top vote getter of the six candidates running for office. She received 128 votes in the smallest voter turnout in recent history.

Following Mrs. Cunningham, was Judy Przybylski, candidate for city clerk, with 124 votes. Mrs. Przybylski will begin her first elected term in office following her victory at the polls. She was appointed to the position of city clerk in the fall following the resignation of Lyle King.

Edward Hansen received 120 votes for the position of mayor while Raymond Wood, first ward alderman, received 29 votes, Ivan Whitley, second ward alderman, received 44 votes and George Plumm, third ward alderman, received 44 votes.

Site Plan Approved For Shopping Center

The proposed shopping center on the corner of M-66 and Glover Road moved a step closer to reality Monday night. Charlevoix Common Council approved the site plan for the \$1 million project Monday night.

Rick Walker, of Weatherford-Walker, Southfield developers for the commercial complex called Captain's Corners, met with the council to work out the final details of the extension of city sewer line to the property and to seek approval of the plan.

Walker told the council that Ben Franklin department store had become the second organization to sign a lease for space in the new shopping center. The store will lease 10,000 square feet as a full service junior department store, Walker said.

the deadline for filing nominating petitions is 4 p.m. Monday, April 11.

A proposed baseball program for high school youths was voted by the board. In proposing that it be voted, Don Brown said that it is a matter of finances and that if such a program was initiated a second would have to be established for the girls. It was also pointed out that the program would take the sport away from the school; that the school insurance program would not cover the participants; that it was not acceptable to the Michigan Huron-Shores Conference or the State High School Athletic Association and that of the 57 names submitted, all but 14 participate in at least one other high school sport.

A resolution expressing the board's appreciation to Dr. David Strawbridge, Dr. Robert Tallas and Dr. Jeff Porter for their services and interest in the young people in the community was adopted. The trio has established a dental health program in the K-5 school.



April Fool

SO YOU THOUGHT winter was over. April Fool! Mother Nature played a cold, snowy trick on the Charlevoix area Monday night dumping up to six inches of snow on the ground. So get out your boots, mittens and snow shovels. You haven't seen the last of winter yet.

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Council Discusses Land Swap With Beaver Island Boat Co.

By PAULA HOLMES

A proposed deed and land swap agreement between the City of Charlevoix and the Beaver Island Boat Company was discussed by common council Monday night.

No action was taken on the proposal, however, following a lengthy discussion of the issue.

The Beaver Island Boat Company has been here a long time and I don't think we can determine a better use for that property than we have now," Alderman Joe Morris said.

"I don't see any better use for the land than what we have right now with the boat company," Alderman Jeannine Wallace said. "Everyone in the city benefits from having the boat company here. And I don't just mean

the downtown merchants, I mean everybody."

"I just can't see a better use for that land and I can see a better use for the property they are willing to trade us than we have right now," she added.

Alderman George Plumm pointed out that with the deed restrictions on the property the city is considering swapping, the city will have the first right of refusal to buy the property back. Also if the boat company shuts down, the property would revert to the city. Also no new structures would be allowed on the land and the current building could not be expanded more than 50 percent.

"Everything would be just like it is now," Plumm said, "except we won't own the land any more and we won't be getting the \$2,700 a year rent we are getting from the boat company now."

Alderman Ray Wood argued that the same thing could be accomplished if the city would extend the lease to the property for the boat company guaranteeing that it could dock there. Then the city could agree to purchase the boat company garage with yearly payments the same as the rent the city would be receiving from the boat company for the dock space.

Alderman Ivan Whitley said he would like to have more input from city residents about the proposed swap before any action is taken.

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Women of the Church of God will meet at Fellowship Hall, 7:30 p.m. Mrs. Crayton Kerr will be the hostess.
American Legion will meet at Post Home 8 p.m.
Men's Prayer meeting, 7 a.m., Community Church of God.
Wednesday, April 6
First Congregational church will meet at the church for

Communion Service and Lenten breakfast 10:30 a.m. Program: Easter music by Mrs. Robert Tollas; Hospitality meeting will host the meeting; Devotions: Mrs. Robert Burns.
Norwood United Methodist Women will meet at the home of Mrs. James Mielke, 7:30 p.m.
Coast Guard Wives Club will meet with Mrs. Robert Baker, Shaw Rd., 7:30 p.m. Call 547-6903 for directions.
Charlevoix Soaring Club will meet at the hangar on TOWS, Mrs. Harold Towlesy, Loeb Rd., 6 p.m.
Thursday, April 7
Good Friday
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Charlevoix County Planning Commission will meet at County Building Annex 7:30 p.m.
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Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at the county building annex 9:30 a.m. for annual spring meeting.
Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will meet at Grey Gables Inn 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club Auxiliary family potluck at clubhouse 6:30 p.m. Business meeting 8 p.m.
Women's Guild of the Charlevoix Area Hospital will meet at the hospital 8 p.m. Char-Em Intermediate School District will meet at the Service Center, Mercer Blvd., 8 p.m.
Charlevoix township board will meet at township hall 8 p.m.
St. Mary's Rosary Altar

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"I have interviewed 18 and 19-year-olds who have admitted to a felony, who have told me that if someone had caught them earlier, they wouldn't be talking with me now," he added.
Charlevoix Middle School Principal Vince Chow also advocated stiffer penalties for juvenile offenders. Chow said he had experienced success in his school with a work program. Under the work program, the students work out the cost of the damage they had caused in the school.
Chow said a lot of the success of the program could be attributed to the fact that it was also followed up at home with a restriction of freedom.
"I'm not a great advocate of jail even though I run one," Sheriff Lassater said. "But I think it has a tendency to get the juvenile's attention."
"Let them hear the bang of the door and give them some time to think about it," Lassater said.
Chief Nol supported the

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Commerce Head to Speak To Industrial Association



Richard Helmreich

The director of the State Department of Commerce will address the Northwest Michigan Industrial Association at 7 p.m. Thursday at the Westhervane Inn.
Richard K. Helmreich will discuss the industrial climate of the state. Following his speech, a question and answer period will be held.
As director of the commerce department, Helmreich serves on numerous state boards and commissions including the State Housing Development Authority, Michigan Consumers Council, Michigan Economic

Marriages

The following marriage licenses were issued by the Charlevoix County Clerk's Office:
Clayton L. Denny, 30, Boyne City and Gail A. Parsons, 18, Boyne City.
William James Parson, 24, Charlevoix, Beatrice Kay Harris, 28, Charlevoix.
Michael Michonowicz, 21, Ellsworth, and Karla Fairley, 19, East Jordan.
Donald M. Winowicz, 22, Boyne City and Diane M. Anzell, 18, Boyne City.
Robert W. Schaefer, 26, Charlevoix and Kathy G. Messner, 27, Charlevoix.
Richard R. Blackmore, 20, Gaylord, Deborah L. Padgett, 21, Watson Lake.
Albert L. Green, 39, East Jordan, and Linda G. Thorne, 26, East Jordan.
Gregory A. Peters, 19, Boyne City, and Karen S. Weber, 19, Boyne City.

Court News

The following cases were heard in 50th District Court before Judge David Fesher:
Toni C. Sandahl, 17, Charlevoix, speeding, guilty by jury, 145 fines and costs.
Faton G. Schroeder, 21, Flint, careless driving, guilty by court, \$105 fines and costs.
Suzanne Arthur Graham, 24, East Jordan, impaired driving, guilty by court, \$130 fines and costs.
John C. Schmidt, 57, Charlevoix, impaired driving, guilty by jury, \$305 fines and costs.
Cynthia M. Sands, 20, Watson Lake, furnishing and selling alcoholic beverage to a minor, found guilty by court, \$85 fines and costs.
Danny R. Mawhorter, 28, Petoskey, driving while license revoked, plead guilty, 10 days in Charlevoix County jail, \$155 fines and costs.
The following cases were heard before Charlevoix County Magistrate Marilyn Bauman and Howard Talbot:
John N. Foth, 59, Petoskey, speeding, \$25.
Kim J. Barrett, 26, Indianapolis, Ind., speeding, \$40.
Michael A. Anderson, 24, Boyne City, speeding, \$33.
Douglas E. Hovema, 22, Grand Rapids, speeding, \$30.
Gregory J. Krueger, 17, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
Michael J. Laurin, 24, Boyne City, transporting open intoxicants in motor vehicle, \$65.
Carmen J. Cutler, 17, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
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Ray W. Menzel, 24, Boyne Falls, speeding, \$25.
Brian E. Bakdoff, 22, Petoskey, speeding, \$25.
Robert J. Sallay, 34, Troy, speeding, \$30.
Cornelius Hoonholtz, 36, Mt. Clemens, speeding, \$25.
Jeffery E. Dean, 21, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
Dale E. Tims, 17, Boyne City, speeding, \$30.
Kevin D. Self, 25, Wapahoset, Ohio, speeding, \$25.
Jeffrey L. Waggoner, 19, Boyne City, expired operator's license, \$25.
Robert G. Brooks, 32, Boyne City, speeding, \$45.
Thomas J. Doodsoner, 44, Harbor Springs, expired operator's license, \$25.
Herbert W. Pfeiffer, 19, St. Clair Shores, speeding, \$25.
Richard J. Krause, 17, Dearborn Heights, no proof of insurance, \$25.
Richard E. Legs, 35, Farmington Hills, speeding, \$25.
Melvin L. Smith, 42, Petoskey, speeding, \$28.
Leroy W. Patterson, 37, Berrien Springs, speeding, \$33.
Evans M. Bergrquist, 56, Gaylord, speeding, \$25.
Gibben E. Whittier, 52, Petoskey, speeding, \$25.
Jay M. Potter, 19, Charlevoix, speeding, \$105.
Stanley I. Sokolowski, 29, Charlevoix, speeding, \$31.
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"I have interviewed 18 and 19-year-olds who have admitted to a felony, who have told me that if someone had caught them earlier, they wouldn't be talking with me now," he added.
Charlevoix Middle School Principal Vince Chow also advocated stiffer penalties for juvenile offenders. Chow said he had experienced success in his school with a work program. Under the work program, the students work out the cost of the damage they had caused in the school.
Chow said a lot of the success of the program could be attributed to the fact that it was also followed up at home with a restriction of freedom.
"I'm not a great advocate of jail even though I run one," Sheriff Lassater said. "But I think it has a tendency to get the juvenile's attention."
"Let them hear the bang of the door and give them some time to think about it," Lassater said.
Chief Nol supported the

No One Supports Merger During Township Annual Meet

By PAULA HOLMES
Who's for the merger? Who's for the merger? The question was asked at the Charlevoix Township Annual Meeting Saturday.
Not one hand was raised among the 28 people attending the Charlevoix Township Annual Meeting Saturday.
"I wondered what the sentiment of the township was on the merger," one citizen said from the back of the township hall. "I'm against it."
"That's it," Township Trustee Don Smith said. "About 80 percent are against it."
Supervisor Oscar Stroud said he and other township board members had attended several meetings with city officials and talked about various aspects of the merger.
"Like I said before, I worked on the merger the last time, but it didn't happen," Stroud said. "So I have worked to build up the township according to the vote of the people. Now if the

fire department, \$88,000 for water line extensions and \$25,000 for road work.
Also included in the budget were fixed expenditures amounting to \$12,620 which includes \$1,000 for recreation, \$4,500 for insurance and workmen's compensation for the fireman, and \$1,100 for a yearly audit among other items.
Anticipated revenues for the coming year include a balance on hand of \$27,374.41 in the checking, savings and revenue sharing accounts, \$17,561 from federal revenue sharing, \$15,000 from state shared tax, \$20,000 from single business tax, \$20,000 from allocated mill and \$40,000 from two voted mills and \$1,000 from zoning permits.
The township residents also have been discussing the proposed expansion during the annual meeting. Stroud said he also went to Lansing to talk with her representatives and to learn about what else she could do. She said she had information about how to protect to the Michigan Tax Tribunal and urged all people who had protested their taxes at the board of review to get in touch with her if they wanted to carry their protests to the tribunal.

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Budgets, Road Programs Discussed By Area Township Residents

By FRANK MARTIN
Townships in the Charlevoix area, like those elsewhere in Charlevoix County held their annual meetings Saturday to air proposed budgets, review anticipated revenue and adopt or reject the proposed financial reports presented by township boards.
Evline Township approved a proposed budget of \$60,526 which is approximately \$1,000 less than the '76-77 budget. Anticipated revenue will be \$63,011. Included in this is a \$5,000 balance on hand from last year.
According to Eric Bieshling, the lion's share of the budget or \$24,000 will be spent on roads in the township. The township has already entered into a contract for construction of 1 1/4 miles of highway on Ridge Road on the east side of the South Arm of Lake Charlevoix.
Revenue to meet the budget which includes operational costs as well as monies earmarked for road construction will come from 1.0 mill levy on the township's State Equalized valuation, sales tax, \$15,500; federal revenue sharing, \$6,300; tax collection fees, \$5,450; Single Business Tax, \$1,678 and from various other sources.
Marion Township, a proposed budget of \$40,113 was accepted, an increase of slightly less than \$5,000 over the year before. Anticipated

income to offset the budget is approximately \$40,195 which includes \$6,500 on hand from last year.
Largest expenditure according to Doris Johnston, treasurer, is \$16,900 to be spent on Pop Road. Other expenditures include \$2,300 set aside for work on the township park on Nowland Lake where plans call for a boat launching ramp and sand for the beach area. Other expenditures include operational expenses of \$8,500; \$3,500 for fire protection and ambulance service to the township; \$3,000 for elections which may include purchase of a voting machine and \$1,000 for an audit of the township books.
Major sources of income will be State Revenue Sharing, \$16,000 (this includes funds from several state sources), Federal Revenue Sharing, \$2,861; tax collections, \$6,000; 1.0 mill allocated will underwrite the expenditures which will include the township's share for fire protection, sanitary landfill and the Medical Center, the latter shared with St. James township. The township will also pay \$7,500 toward the operation of the airport. Funds for this come from voted millage in both townships.
Hayes Township adopted a budget of \$127,610 which will be balanced with \$72,911 in funds on hand and anticipated

revenue from other sources including 1.0 mill allocated which will realize \$23,000, Federal Revenue Sharing, \$8,000, state revenue sharing, \$16,000 and tax collection fees, \$7,000 plus funds from other sources.
In the budget, according to Sandra Somerville, is \$30,000 for roads including the seal coating of Murray Road from Upper Bay Shore Road to Sloat Road (\$14,000) and a half-mile of Burgess Road. Another planned expenditure is \$48,000 for a new township hall. Also in the budget is \$10,000 for fire protection and \$2,500 for ambulance service.
Norwood Township approved a deficit budget of \$28,663 including \$20,000 for road construction. The proposed construction will include the completion of work started earlier on Beattie Road and planned construction on Warner Road.
At the conclusion of the meeting, the township residents by a vote of 10-8, approved a resolution not to collect 50 percent of the taxes during the summer unless Marion, Charlevoix and Hayes townships agreed to. Earlier the township board had agreed to collect portion of the taxes during the summer.

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Editorials/Opinions

Thanks to McKimmy For His Efforts As Superintendent

When Charlevoix Public Schools close for summer vacation this June, residents will be saying goodbye to the present superintendent.

Last week, the Charlevoix Board of Education accepted the resignation of James A. McKimmy. McKimmy advised the board he was accepting a similar position in the Cadillac School System.

It is always difficult to know exactly what to say when someone, such as the superintendent of a local school system, leaves Charlevoix.

Public officeholders never have an easy task. And they often draw mixed reactions of sentiment when they leave office.

However in the case of the Charlevoix School superintendent, we are sorry to see him leave our area.

While we are glad to see him leave for a better professional position, we feel his absence in the Charlevoix School system will be noticed.

In the last four years, McKimmy has made many inroads in our local education program.

We think one of his strongest areas has been the development of a better community attitude towards local school and needs. One of his underlying themes during the last four years has been bringing the community into the schools.

Rather than attempting to foster a separation between the school and the community, we have eagerly watched him develop programs that involve the community. Perhaps this has been best exemplified by both his and his family's involvement in Charlevoix.

While in Charlevoix, he has been involved in less than a dozen activities and organizations including the Charlevoix Lions Club, Big Brothers, the United Methodist

Church, the Charlevoix Flying Club and the Charles A. Ransom Counseling Center.

Professionally, he served on the State Board of Education Blue Ribbon Committee on Intermediate School Districts; represented the Michigan Association of Superintendents on the task force on middle school teacher preparation and on the Region II Michigan Association of School Administrators legislative committee.

He has also been a senior lecturer in Michigan State University's off-campus education program.

In a recent Courier interview, McKimmy said he felt the Charlevoix Schools had shown marked progress during his four year tenure here. He went on to say that he had enjoyed support in the community and a good relationship with the entire staff of the school system.

Community support for local schools was demonstrated earlier this year when Charlevoix residents approved both a three-year operation millage, as well as monies to improve the middle school facility.

McKimmy said that he hopes this support will continue with the eventual approval of building needs for the high school.

We think the Charlevoix superintendent has done a great deal to raise the professional image of local educators.

Charlevoix School board members will have a difficult task in attempting to find a replacement for the superintendent's position.

Charlevoix will certainly miss both the superintendent and his wife, Lou Ann, along with their three children.

We wish them best of luck in their new community.



...and, it isn't too early to make conversion plans to heaters and solar energy



Clockwise by Bob Clock

I spent the weekend down at the corner of Grand River-ave. and McGraw-st. in Detroit.

Now you know that's not true because I'm not one of those will-o-the-wisps who dashes off to Detroit every three or four years to see the sights. "do" the town and take in a half dozen sporting events.

But I did make a number of mental excursions back to those famed four corners in the Motor City all weekend.

On Saturday, I pondered Bruce Norris' decision to put the Detroit Red Wings out of Olympia Stadium and send them to the new sports colossus at Pontiac. The Olympia is the most imposing structure on the four corners created by the intersection of Grand River and McGraw.

Then on Sunday I sat in Charlevoix's Christ Episcopal Church and listened to Fred Edwards of East Jordan sing "The Palmers," accompanied by Mrs. Marge Coleman on the organ. Suddenly I was back at the second most imposing structure at the corner of Grand River and McGraw—Sevel Memorial Presbyterian Church, a brooding red brick structure so large it could swallow all of the churches in Charlevoix, without using the foyer or the gymnasium.

When I was a boy, "The Palmers" was regular Palm Sunday fare at Sevel Church, smack in the center of a neighborhood where the Scotch brogue was as thick as barley soup. It was sung by a tenor named Prescott who put a burr on every syllable. He sang the song at least once for every Sunday School class. If the class were large he'd sing it twice.

Although the Olympia and Sevel Church stand kitty-corner from each other separated by two busy thoroughfares, the church and the stadium have become mutually dependent on each other over the years, mainly because the church owns a parking lot and the Olympia is badly in need of parking.

This interdependence is a fairly recent phenomena. When I was a kid, most of the spectators arrived at the

Olympia either by street car or bus and didn't need a place to park. Furthermore, the Olympia drew a great many of its spectators from the immediate neighborhood, regardless of the event.

Holler Derby tickets only cost a dime and I could never think of a better way to spend a dime. Sometimes I'd attend every game in a series.

Hockey, ice shows, boxing, circuses, rodeos! I was fun to live in the shadow of the Olympia as a boy.

But now the glamor is wearing thin. If Norris' Red Wings leave, the Olympia will lose its last drawing card. The remaining events could hardly support such a gigantic structure.

And the same may be true for Sevel Church.

Time was when hundreds of families living in the immediate area supported the church. It had a seating capacity in the main sanctuary of from 500 to 600 and on some Sundays not a seat was vacant. It also had a rather large auditorium that would seat another 200, a huge gymnasium, parlors, a large kitchen and dining room and banks of assorted Sunday School classrooms.

Today, however, the old families have moved to the suburbs and no one has stepped in to fill the void. The church is supported chiefly by loyal oldtimers, many of whom travel 15 or 20 miles each way from the suburbs every Sunday. Of course, the church would not have been able to survive in recent years without proceeds from its parking lot, which serves patrons of Olympia stadium.

So the church and the stadium are more or less leaning on each other. If the Red Wings really pull out, then the future of the Olympia is iffy. If the Olympia closes, the church will no longer realize a profit from its parking lot and will be forced to take drastic measures to survive.

These two imposing old ladies down at the corner of Grand River and McGraw have seen a lot of history together. But their days may be numbered.

Letters to the editor

Consumers Should Question Nuclear Power Costs

To the Editor:

Recently the editor of a mid-Michigan newspaper asked his readers the following question about the two billion dollar Consumers Power Company's proposed nuclear power plant in Midland, Michigan: "If the nuclear project here goes down the tube, what will be the impact on Consumers and on its ratepayers of a potentially devastating financial loss?"

The ramifications of this question apply to all of Michigan.

I think that our federal bankruptcy laws would protect the ratepayers by having a federal receiver run the company. The rates would eventually come down as the operational costs were sold off to better-run utilities such as American Electric Power Company. The valueless nuclear plants would be owned by Consumers' first mortgage bond holders. The common stockholders would get whatever is left.

Consumers' valuable coal-fired electrical plants and high voltage distribution lines could be bought by Michigan's newly allowable joint ventures between municipal power and private power. Thus, ratepayers would continue to get electricity at better rates because the very costly nuclear plants would not be part of the rate base.

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Midland, Michigan 48604



Erma Bombeck

If you don't want to read and stories today, then skip this one. Mine is the story of a million women who once were happy in their lemon-scented houses, raising their kids, smelling their laundry, and hitting the Sears Lee every couple of hours.

Then one day I was out on the playground reading the American Journal on Tooth Decay when a sleazy-looking woman sat down beside me and said, "Hey kid, wanta try a Diet-Rite cola?"

"What is it?" I asked, my eyes wide with innocence.

"It'll make you thin," she said. "Just take one sip. Go ahead. It won't hurt you."

"How much does it cost?"

"Hey, no problem," she smiled. "It's on me. If you like it, I'll be back here tomorrow with another six-pack."

It's an old story. Within a week, I had developed a real Diet-Rite habit. I had it with my lunch. In the evening with popcorn...on the airlines...on picnics. It made me feel good. (Especially, the cans of cola out with lemon.)

One day my husband said, "I'm worried about you. You look good. Are you taking too good care of yourself?"

"Don't worry about me," I said. "I've just lost a few pounds. I'll pig out at Christmas. You'll see."

But Christmas came and went and the flab continued to drop off.

Then, last week, I went to the store and a fear gripped me that nearly

charitable enough to excuse the doctor and blame his receptionist. This isn't fair, according to a Kalamazoo woman. She wrote:

"I was a receptionist for a doctor who was never on time—anywhere from 1 to 2 hours late. I have known him to still be in bed as his first patient sat waiting for him. And the patient seems to think the particular reason for his tardiness was the convenience of their patients. One-stop shopping. Who can resist it?"

When the doctor gives you a prescription, you do not have to get it filled at the drugstore in his lobby. It is perfectly legal for you to run past the pharmacist who stands between you and the only door. Or you can sneak out a back window.

But the doctors have installed these drugstores and eyeglass shops for the convenience of their patients. One-stop shopping. Who can resist it?

Sure, the doctors usually have stock in the corporations which own their lobby shops. The more prescriptions they write, the more money they make. You might think this sounds like a conflict of interest. Shame on you

No doctor would ever prescribe unneeded pills simply so he could send his daughter to a better university. If you know Dr. Welby, you know such a accusation is outrageous.

But it is something to think about while waiting to see the doctor, isn't it?

Meet Charlevoix

...Charles Clifford

Taking care of Charlevoix's two cemeteries, Brookside and St. Mary's Catholic Cemetery, is an involved job that requires dedication and shrimbery. They will also dig graves, put in foundations for gravestones and plant shrubs and trees requested by the families and those we decide to add to the cemetery.

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Beatrice Harris Weds William Parton Here

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Church of God Choir Plans to Hold Luncheon

The choir of the Community Church of God will open the spring season with a hot casserole and salad luncheon at the Fellowship hall of the church on W. Huron ave. on Thursday, April 14. Mrs. David Julliet, chairman of the event has announced.

Servings will begin at 11:30 a.m. and continue until 1:30 p.m.

Included in the menu will be

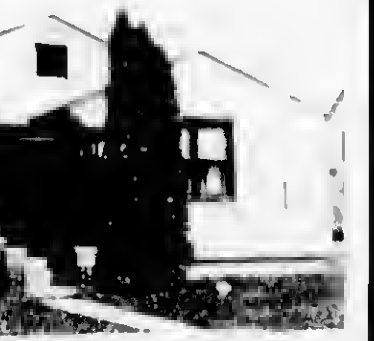
the altar by her father. She chose a light blue floor length gown of polyester trimmed with white lace and carried a red rose with baby's breath bouquet.

Engaged Olsen-Repper

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Olsen of Charlevoix announce the engagement of their daughter, Sharon Lee, to William W. (Skip) Repper, Jr. He is the son of C.M. Sgt. and Mrs. William W. Repper, Sr., of Hawaii.

The bride elect is a graduate of Charlevoix High School and is employed by Michael and Anderson, Attorneys at Law. Her fiancé is stationed aboard the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Sundew. He is a graduate of Bellevue High School, Bellevue, Neb.

A May 6 wedding is planned.



Sharon Olsen

Potter-VanStedum

Mr. and Mrs. Archie Potter of Charlevoix announce the engagement of their daughter Janet L. to Jerry A. VanStedum. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred VanStedum of Ellsworth.

The bride-elect is a 1976 graduate of Charlevoix High School. Her fiancé is a 1974 graduate of Ellsworth High School.

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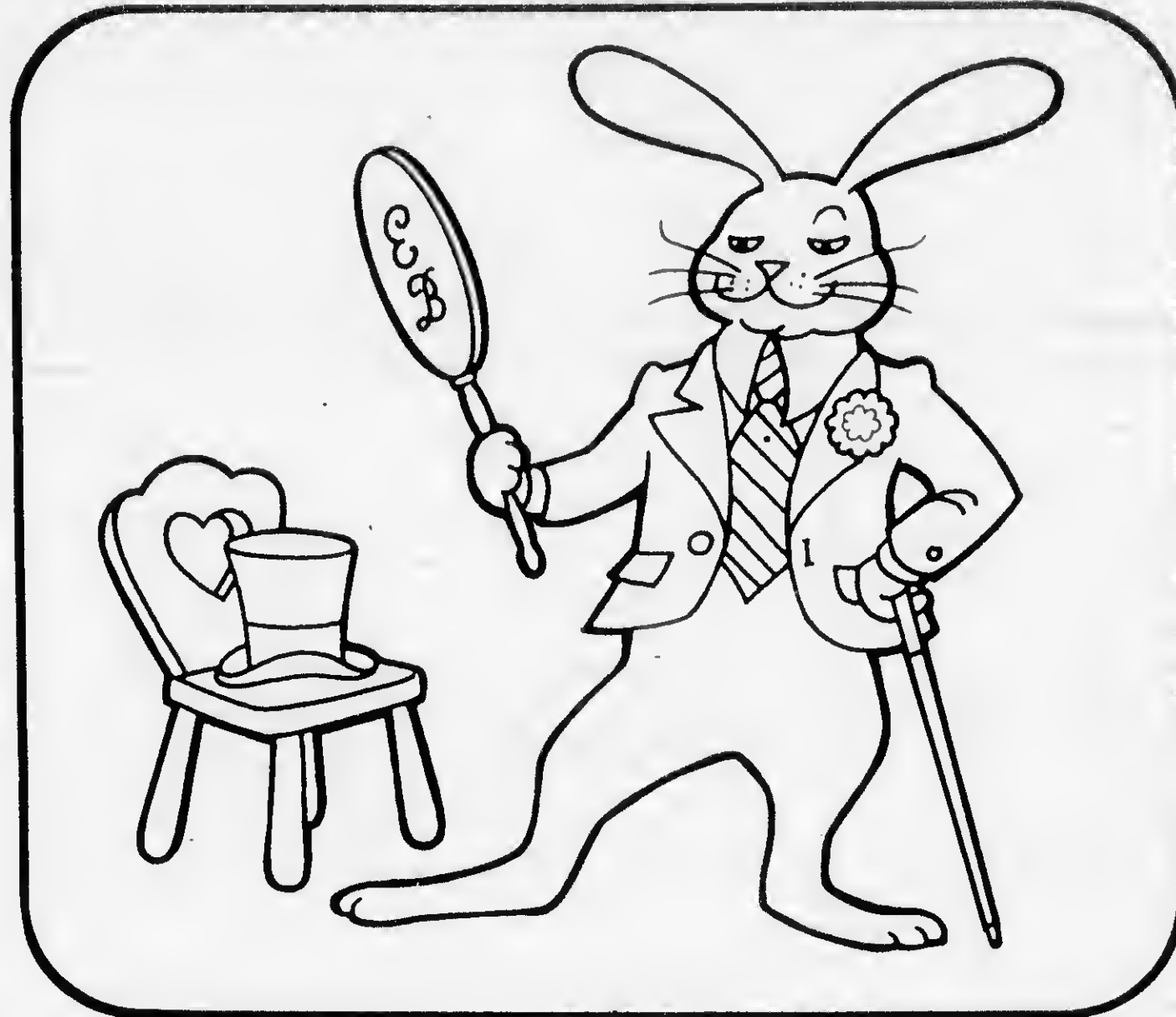
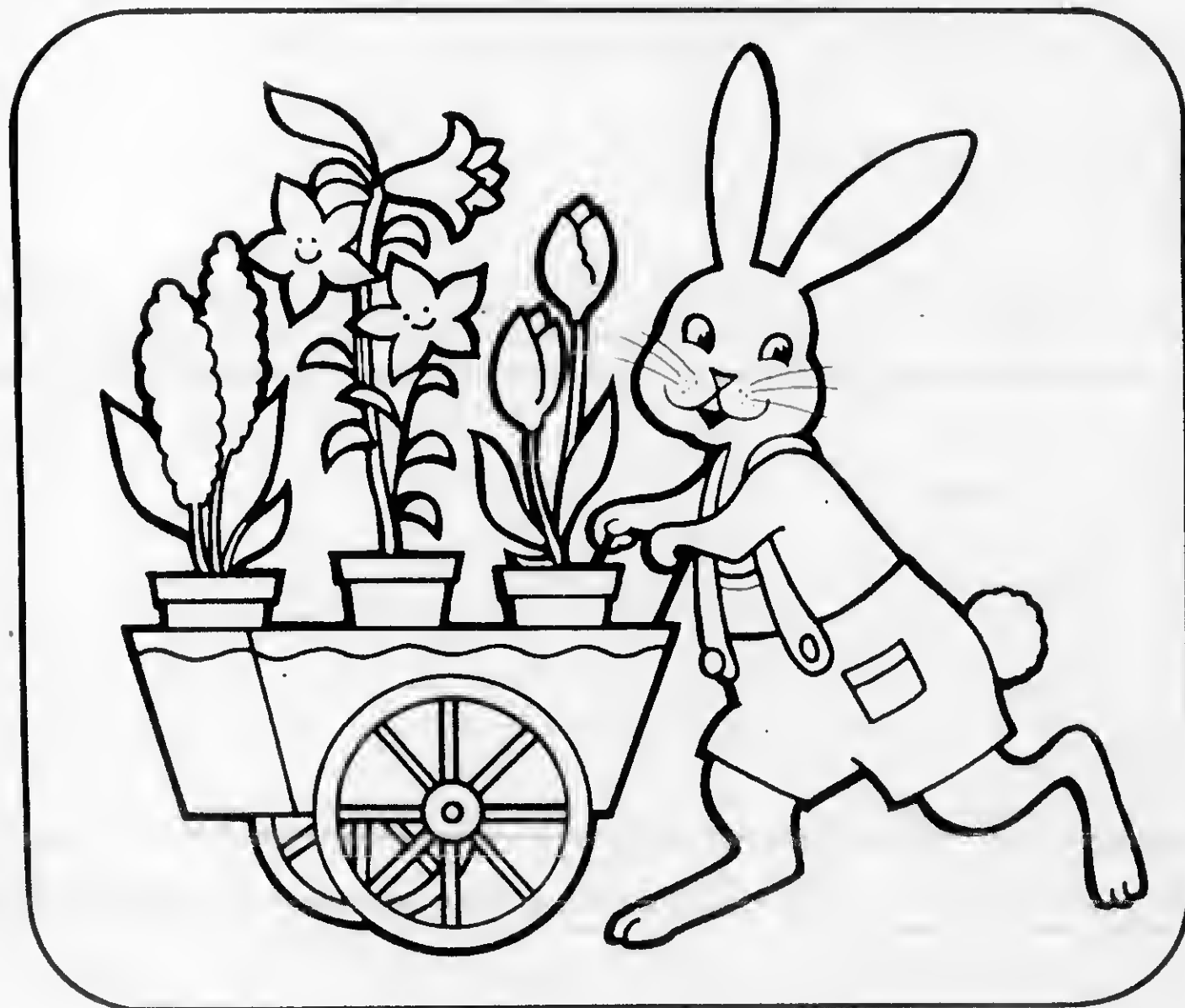
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Neglected Children Victims of Emotional War

By PAULA HOLMES

They are victims of a war—a war of emotions.

Their wounds are bruises, broken bones and scarred personalities. The lucky ones live to grow up. The unlucky ones die in their early years of life.

They come from all types of ethnic and economic backgrounds and many of them grow up to become soldiers in the same war.

"They" are the almost 1 million abused or neglected children living in this country, helpless victims of an emotional war raging in their parents' or other adults' connected with them.

But the children and their parents are not in the war alone. Another group of people, the Department of Social Services protective services workers, is at-

tempting to help.

In Charlevoix County, the protective services worker is Irene Richardson. Mrs. Richardson works with two people to cover the four-county area of Charlevoix, Emmet, Otsego and Cheboygan.

"We are not a police agency," Mrs. Richardson said explaining her role in the battle. "Our basic focus is to help keep the family together and to help them work out their problems."

"We're a crisis intervention service," Marsha Elliott, Emmet County protective services worker, said. "We can take immediate steps to protect the child when there is a case of neglect or abuse."

Job Starts With Complaint The protective services worker's job begins when a concerned relative or

neighbor, or one of the people mandated by law to report abuse or neglect, such as doctors, teachers and police officers, calls with a complaint. The three workers provide 24-hour coverage and response in any such calls made to 347-1700, Mrs. Richardson said.

"By law we must make a contact at the home to check out the complaint within 24 hours of the call," Mrs. Richardson said. "If the complaint sounds like the child is really in danger we may call the judge right away and get court permission to remove the child immediately and then ask the police to accompany us to the home."

Mrs. Richardson said she sees less abuse in Northern Michigan as compared with the Detroit area, where she served as a protective services worker for one year.

"I think abuse is less here, or else we just don't see it, as compared with Detroit, which probably has 80 percent of the abuse cases in the state," she said.

The protective services worker did say she saw more sexual abuse and neglect in Charlevoix County and surrounding areas than in Detroit.

"There is a lot of incest up here, which is accepted in many families," Mrs. Elliott continued. "I have some cases where fathers have had sexual relations with daughters as young as one and one-half years old."

Works With Family Once a case of abuse or neglect is brought to the protective services worker's attention, he or she begins working with the family while the child is still in the home. "We try to help them

recognize they have a problem," Mrs. Richardson said, "and that they can't be allowed to continue this behavior."

"Many of the people we see that abuse or neglect their children lack parenting skills," she continued. "They were never effectively parented themselves and have no model to follow. Many of them were abused children, too."

"Also they are lonely, isolated people who don't have someone to turn to when they need help," she explained. "And they tend to be married to the same type of person and don't get any support from them either."

Mrs. Richardson said the parents tend to have unrealistic expectations for their children, which change daily. The child learns that he or she can't trust anyone

because the parents are so inconsistent.

Vicious Cycle

"The child's self-concept is very low and they grow up to be parents just like their own parents," she said. "It's a vicious cycle."

To stop the cycle, the protective services worker attempts to get the parents to visit the mental health clinic or other counseling services. Also the workers are trying to develop resources such as parent aides and volunteer housekeepers who could teach the parents how to take care of their children and homes.

As far as the abused or neglected children in the cycle are concerned, the protective services workers are attempting to make more people aware that they can report abuse and neglect, 24 hours a day.

"The danger area is

children under age five," Mrs. Richardson said. "These children aren't visible. We're talking about little children who can't defend themselves."

Developing Resources

The workers are also developing resources for the children, too, such as day care programs, co-op nursery schools and other programs that would get the children out of the home for part of the day.

The workers are also looking for more good temporary foster homes to place children in, if they have to be removed from their homes.

Our focus is not to remove the children from the home but to refer the parents and the children to various agencies," Mrs. Richardson explained.

"We have become very conscious of the damage done when the children are removed from the homes, and the whole system they get involved with when that happens," she continued.

"They're liable to be in worse shape when you pull them out of their homes than if you left them in," Mrs. Elliott added.

Often probate court has a backlog of cases and children get lost in the system while waiting for hearings on their cases, the two workers said.

Solutions to the problems of child abuse and neglect are not plentiful or easy, the two protective services workers said. But one thing is for sure, it is going to take the concern and cooperation of everyone to end the problem.

Mary Clark Named BPW Young Careerist

Mary Clark of Reed City, a former Charlevoix resident, has been named careerist of the Oscoda County, Oscoda-Reed, City, Petoskey and Traverse City Women's (BPW) Club at its district meeting held recently at Ewart.

Mrs. Clark is the former Mary Plum, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Plum and the wife of Merrill Clark, also a former resident. She is a pharmacist at an Ewart drug store.

As the Young Career Woman she will now attend the state BPW convention at Boyne Mountain in May to vie with other district winners for the state title.

Ten of the 12 district clubs were represented at the meeting at which she was selected as Young Careerist

by members from Bellaire, Big Rapids, Cadillac, Ewart, Grayling, Manistee, Mason County, Oscoda-Reed, City, Petoskey and Traverse City. Judy Cole, home economist of Cadillac, was runner-up.

Mrs. Clark, 26, is a 1969 graduate of the Charlevoix High School and was graduated from the Ferris State College School of Pharmacy with a B.S. degree in Pharmacy in 1974.

She is a member of the American Pharmaceutical Association, Michigan Pharmacists Association, the Quad-County Pharmacists Association, Charlevoix Chapter No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, Women of the Moose Chapter 949, Lambda Kappa Sigma sorority and the Oscoda BPW.



Mary Clark

Charlevoix Families Larger Than Average

How do Charlevoix County families compare in size with families in other sections of the country? Have they been getting bigger or smaller in the last decade or so?

The questions arise because of concern over population control and distribution, aroused by environmentalists and ecologists. They have become increasingly alarmed at the way the atmosphere is being polluted, the rivers and lakes contaminated and the natural resources being used up.

To some degree, the trend in that direction has been slowed by recent changes in family composition and the rate of population growth.

The Census Bureau reports that the average size of families in the United States is steadily decreasing. It has reached the point, in the last few years, that will result in

zero population growth, if maintained.

What it means is that the number of children being born has dropped to just under 2.1 per family from the 3.7 that prevailed 20 years ago. That is sufficient, if sustained for a number of years, to keep the population at a fixed level.

In Charlevoix County, according to the latest figures, families are somewhat bigger than in most communities. There are now some 306 persons per 100 households locally.

Elsewhere in the United States, the average is 296 per 100 households. In the North Central States, it is 298. A comparison with 1950 figures shows that families in the local area have changed in

size since then. The average at that time was 355 per 100 households, as against the current ratio of 306.

Most population experts believe that families will continue to run smaller than in former years because of more effective means of contraception, liberal abortion laws and the changing attitude of women.

Although the fertility rate in the United States has continued to drop for the fifth year in a row, it doesn't mean that it will stay at that level, they point out. It may be offset soon by the large number of baby boom children, born in the 10 years after World War II, who are entering adulthood and starting to raise families of their own.



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Sandra Beaudoin

Sandra L. Beaudoin has joined the Charlevoix sales staff of Colwell & Co., Realtors, Bill Carey, broker-manager, has announced.

Mrs. Beaudoin completed the Real Estate Sales Course at North Central Michigan College in January and passed the State of Michigan Real Estate Salesperson exam in March.

Born and raised in Charlevoix, Mrs. Beaudoin graduated from Charlevoix High School and also attended Davenport Business College in Grand Rapids and McConnell Airline School in Minneapolis.

Her previous employment includes: executive secretary with Woodward-Gizienski, Soil and Foundation Engineers of San Diego, Calif., drivers license examiner in the Charlevoix branch of the Secretary of State office and claim clerk with the Michigan Employment Security Commission in Petoskey.

Mrs. Beaudoin's husband, Joe, is sales representative for Parts Associates of Cleveland, Ohio. They and their two children, Mark, 13, and Marcie, 3, live on Lake Charlevoix in Pine Point.

Boyne City Man Gets Law Degree From Ohio School

A Boyne City resident has received a law degree from the Pettit College of Law at Ohio Northern University in Ada, Ohio.

Gerald Heaton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Heaton of Boyne City received his juris

doctor degree at the end of fall term.

While at Ohio Northern Heaton was active in the Law Review and Omicron Delta Kappa fraternity.

Pettit College of Law is one

of four colleges comprising Ohio Northern University.

Miss Streeter Named to Dean's List

Carol A. Streeter, daughter of Marilyn Streeter, 116 East Lincoln, Charlevoix, has been named to the fall term Academic Honors list at the Davenport College of Business. To achieve this distinction a student must earn a grade-point average of 3.5 or higher. Miss Streeter is majoring in Accounting.

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- Frank's Florist & Greenhouse, US 31 North, \$5 Gift Certificate
- Clothing Co. in the Market Mall, \$10 Gift Certificate
- Kit Carson Lumber Co., M&S South, 1/4" Electric Drill
- Helene's Beauty Shoppe, 102 Park, Charlie Cologne Atomizer Decanter
- Dahlquist Stores, 323 Bridge, Merchandise Gift Certificate
- Wharfside Market, 330 Bridge, Box of Sander's Candy

High School to Host Industrial Arts Fair

The Charlevoix High School will host the annual Region 14-15 Industrial Arts Fair April 15 Jim Jinski, local chairman of the annual event, has announced.

Industrial arts vocational educational students from schools throughout a 17-county area will be entering their projects in 12 divisions in an elimination fair leading to state-wide competition at Saginaw April 21-23 Jinski said.

The fair will be open to the public from 4 until 9 p.m. at the high school gymnasium where hundreds of projects will be on exhibit. Project entries will be accepted from 7 a.m. until 12 noon. Judging will begin at noon and continue until 3:30 p.m.

Entries will be divided into four basic levels of competition: Group A, all students in grades 7 and 8; Group B, all students in grades 9 and 10; Group C, students in grades 11 and 12 receiving instruction up to eight hours per week and Group D, all students in vocational, trade, industry and technical classes spending eight or more hours per week in these classes.

Regional awards include ribbons for the top three places and honorable mention in the various classifications. Students receiving regional first and second place awards will then become eligible for state competition at Saginaw. Awards at the state fair will be in the form of ribbons, plaques, certificates, and eight savings bonds of \$100 each for the most outstanding exhibits.

The divisions that projects may be entered in include architectural drawing, electrical, graphic arts, group project, machine shop, mechanical drawing, models, open division, patternmaking and molding, plastics, wood and wrought metals.

The Michigan Industrial Education Awards Program Craftsman's Fair at Saginaw is sponsored by the Michigan Industrial Arts Society and the Detroit News.

Local People Serving in Armed Forces

Charles Nessel Joins Air Force Through Delayed Enlistment

Charles B. Nessel, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Nessel, 801 Mill St., East Jordan, has entered the U.S. Air Force's Delayed Enlistment Program (DEP).

According to Technical Sergeant Larry Whit, the Air Force recruiter here, Nessel's entry into the DEP serves two purposes. First, it allows the Air Force to schedule an opening for him to attend basic training and be assigned to a job or skill area. Second, the DEP enables Nessel, a senior at East Jordan High School, to wrap up his personal affairs before leaving home.

Nessel will enter the Regular Air Force on Aug. 2. Following graduation from the six-week basic training course at Lackland Air Force Base, Tex., he will receive technical training in the mechanical aptitude area and be assigned to an Air Force duty station.

Marine Private First Class Jeffrey A. Popenhagen, son of Patricia M. Sunley of Route 3, Silt Road, Charlevoix, Mich., has reported for duty with 3d Force Service Support Group, on Okinawa.

A 1974 graduate of Charlevoix High School, he joined the Marine Corps in January 1975.

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Dottie Best Completes Aviation Electrician Course

Marine PFC Dottie R. Best, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Daniels of Route 2, P.O. Box 302, East Jordan, Mich., has completed the Aviation Electrician's Mate Course.

The 11-week course was conducted at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Millington, Tenn. The concentrated training program is designed to provide an introductory understanding of electrical theory and circuitry, and serves to prepare trainees to perform basic electrical maintenance on jet aircraft.

Students received classroom instruction on, and studied the operating procedures for, electrohydraulic and automatic flight control systems, plus power generation and distribution systems.

She is a 1973 graduate of Flint Junior College, and joined the Navy in June 1976.

Area Students Honored East Jordan Student Named Winner in State Essay Contest

An East Jordan resident was the fifth place winner in the statewide essay contest sponsored by Farm Bureau Insurance Group.

Mike Chahk, an eighth grader at the East Jordan Middle School, received a \$100 savings bond for his entry in the "American and Me" essay contest. He was one of more than 6,200 eighth grade students from 332 Michigan schools who entered the contest.

Jan Graf, 504 May St., received the honor.

A Charlevoix student has been named to the President's List for winter term at Northwestern University.

Brian Jay Osterberg was one of 21 students to achieve a straight A average for the term at the school.

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The two types of detectors on the market use different sensors to detect smoke. Photoelectric types use a light bulb and a photoelectric cell.

The smoke cuts the amount of light reaching the cell and the alarm sounds. This type is particularly good at sensing smoldering fires.

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Because smoke rises, the detectors are placed either on the ceiling or high up on the wall. You should have one in the bedroom area (if that area is spread out, add others so the warning will be heard). And one should be located on the basement ceiling at the bottom of the stairway. For adding safety, get the detectors interconnected so that if one alarm goes off, all will sound.

Detectors use either batteries or house current. Batteries have to be changed about once a year. Most battery units have a warning when the batteries are getting weak. The household current units can either be plug-in types or wired-in. If you have an outlet close at hand, there is no problem. But wiring will take an electrician.

One of your smoke detector is up, check it every month and keep it clean.

And practice what to do when the signal sounds. Every person in your family should know at least two ways to get out of the house. And there should be a special place to meet outside so everyone will be accounted for. When the detector goes off, you have a short time to get out. So use it wisely.

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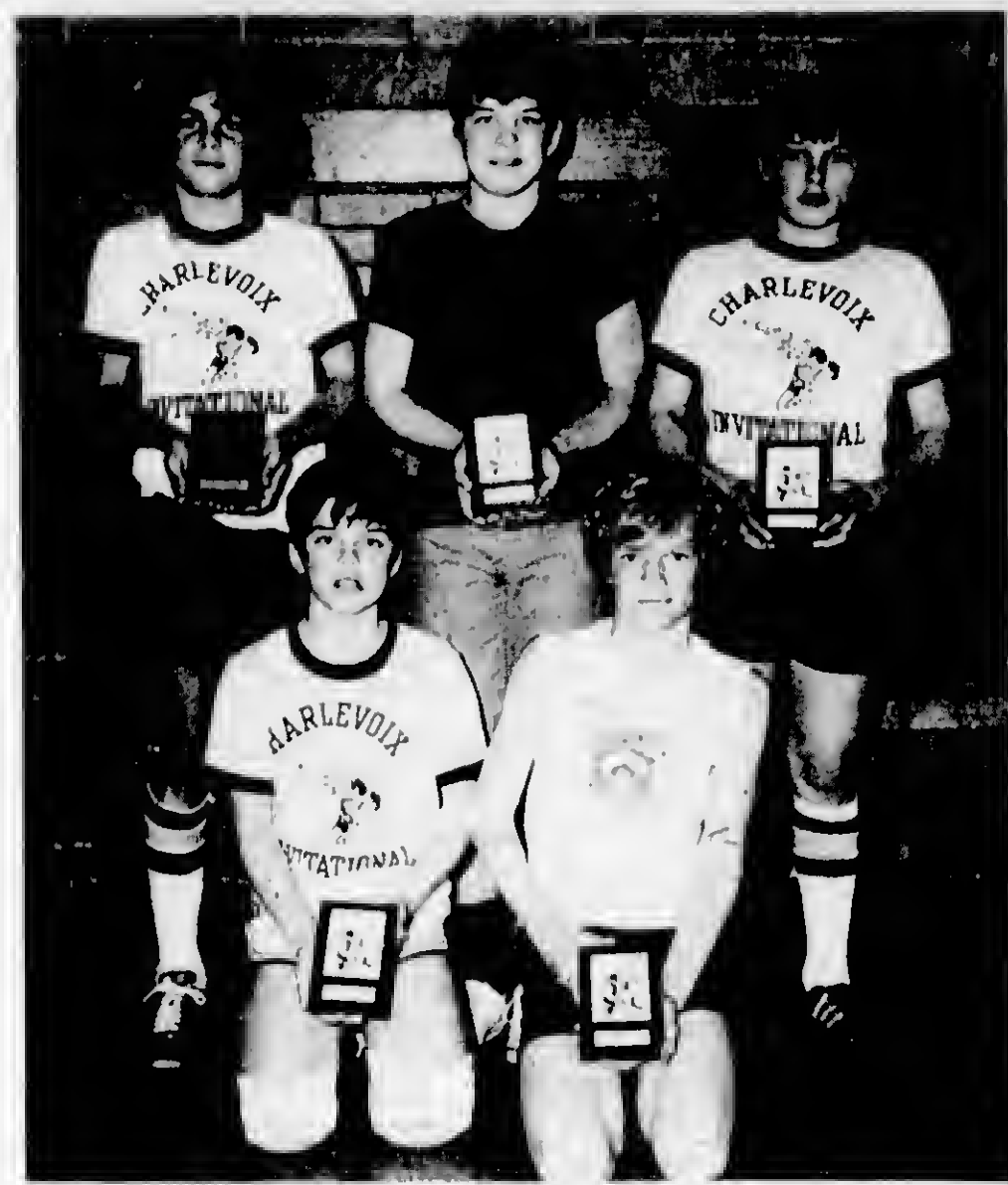
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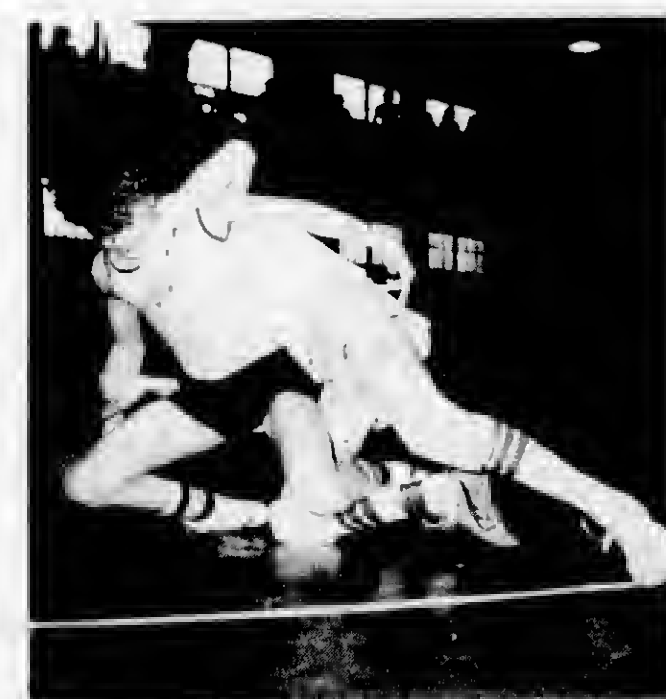
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THE WINNERS in the sixth grade division of the Charlevoix Middle School Wrestling Tournament were: (front row from left to right) Chuck Klooster and Rick Bart, (second row) Rusty Williams, Ed Sarasin and Alan Bergmann.

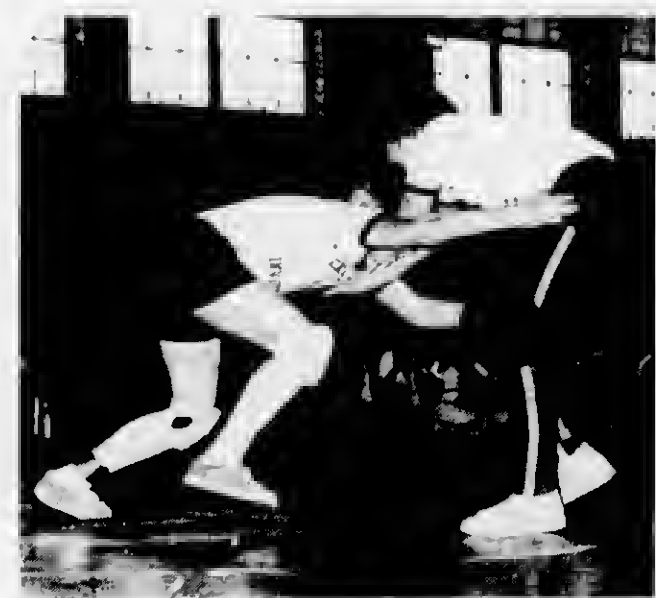
Middle School Wrestling Tournament Full of Surprises, Fun



RICK BART wrestles with an opponent on his way to a championship title during the middle school wrestling tournament.



KEN WOJAN joined the ranks of the two-time winners in an exciting match during the middle school wrestling tournament Friday. Wojan won the match by a 6-2 margin.



RICK GEORGI battled one time champion Joe Sladek in an exciting match during the middle school wrestling tournament Friday. Georgi defeated Sladek but then lost to Mike DeMitchell.



THE EIGHTH GRADE winners of the wrestling tournament are: (front row from left to right) Mike DeMitchell and Tim Bruce, (second row) Scott Golovich, first three-time winner, Bruce Honeysett and Ken Wojan.



SEVENTH GRADE winners in the middle school wrestling tournament are: (front row from left to right) Gerald Wimmer, and Michael Belfy, (second row) Chuck Weisler, Doug Whitely and Greg Umlor.



MIDDLE SCHOOL students packed the gym Friday as they watched the annual wrestling tournament. The tournament signalled the closing of the season at the school.

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W	L	W	L
Carol, Ivan Barry	19	5	5
Ray, David Bar	18	6	6
Cook, Bob Bortha	17	7	7
Nancy, Chuck Mathers	16	8	8
Barb, Jerry Shupert	14	10	10
Barb, Joe Throp	14	10	10
Mary, Paul Winnick	12	11	11
Rosemary, Ed Corrad	12	12	12
Lauretta, Ed Swanson	12	12	12
Esther, Bob Livingston	11	13	13
Marilyn, John Swanson	10	14	14
Jan, Stan Fladreck	10	14	14
Susan, Brad Knipe	16	16	16
Beverly, Len Espich	7	17	17
Joan, Joe Stutzman	7	17	17
Oebra, Gale Iverson	4	20	20
TEAM HIGH SERIES		March 31, 1977	
W	L	W	L
Carol, Ivan Barry	987	Julia Holtzman	210
Cook, Bob Bortha	969	Mary O'Brien	192
Nancy, Chuck Mathers	947	Gal Janis	189
Barb, Jerry Shupert	947	Sally Geer	186
Barb, Joe Throp	947	Cara Bergmann	179
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Ray, David Bar	186	Ray, David Bar	186
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Birdie Beauty Shop	301	219	219
Oleson's Food Store	289	231	231
Medusa Cement	281	239	239
Cinema III	274	246	246
Cross Fishers	269	251	251
Louise's Beauty Shop	269	261	261
Ron's Transmission	266	264	264
American Mold	259	261	261
Hoskins	257	263	263
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TEAM HIGH SERIES		March 31, 1977	
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Wade Davis	1737	1737	1737
Thomson Swanson	1693	1693	1693
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Gregg Seese	560	560	560
Don Kelly	549	549	549
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Kate Wade	415	415	415
Linda Seese	396	396	396
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Gregg Seese	232	232	232
Frank Thoms	213	213	213
WOMEN'S HIGH GAME		March 31, 1977	
W	L	W	L
Linda Seese	162	162	162
Kate Wade	150	150	150
Gregg Seese	130	130	130
Don Kelly	110	110	110

Little League Draft Slated for April 23

Saturday, April 23, has been set as the player draft for the six teams of Charlevoix's Little League. The draft will be held at the Little League field off Carpenter ave.

There will be six teams which are: Michigan Officeways, Rusty Smith, Dwight Detraz, manager; Klosser John Deere, Ken

Whitley, manager; Bellows Electric, Nathan Herriman, manager; Smith's Little Roasters, Lawrence Bergmann, manager; Round Lake Lodge, Jerry Burke, manager.

Efforts are also being made to organize a minor league as a feeder group for the majors. Approximately 80 boys have

participating in the three through 30 age groups. The tournament will be divided into kids, juniors and open class divisions.

An organizational meeting for the Charlevoix Slo-pitch leagues, both men and women's, has been scheduled for 8 p.m. Wednesday, April 13, at the office of the recreation director in the city hall by Dwight Boss, City Recreation director.

All teams are asked to send representatives to the meeting at which officers will be elected and plans for the season made. The number of teams will also be determined at this time.

All persons wishing to umpire are also asked to attend the meeting.

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Wrestling Season Ends For Middle School Students

By FRANK MARTIN
The Charlevoix Middle School concluded its wrestling season Friday with the fifth annual intramural tournament, according to Coach Norm Probert.

The tournament was divided into Divisions by grades with each division winner representing a championship. The results of the tournament follow:

Sixth grade: Division I: Chuck Klooster; II, Rick Bartz; III, Rusty Williams; IV, Ed Sarasin; V, Alan Bergmann.

Seventh grade: Division I, Gerard Wimmer; II, Muckle Belfy; III, Chuck Weisler; IV, Greg Whitley; V, Greg Umlor.

Eighth grade: Division I, Tim Bruce; II, Mike DeMitchell; III, Scott Golovich; IV, Bruce Honeysett; V, Ken Wojan.

Coach Probert said he was impressed with the progress of the wrestlers during their month-long season. He went on to say the future of the sport looks good with 16 wrestlers moving into high school in the fall where they will likely be participating in the annual Freshman-Sophomore Invitational tournament on Dec. 3, the largest of the kind in the state.

Probert added that with right area schools initiating middle school wrestling program, the future of the sport looks good. Charlevoix's big problem, he said, is the need of a second wrestling mat. This is important with double dual meets being allowed.

Probert added that the middle school program would not be possible without assistance of such people as Gary Probert as referee; Jerry Paul as scorer and announcer; John Oza and Terry Drew, former wrestlers in the program, high school wrestlers Tom Mielke, Dan Sayer, Curt Dixon, Jerry

Sladek, Lee DeMitchell, Curt Dixon, Dave Golovich, and Dennis Whitley and mat mauls, Daria Bartz and Laurie Burnett, who assist in staging the intramural event.

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Spring signs turn our thoughts to sunshine and flowers and outdoor gardening. If the weather is still a little cool for you to get right into your outdoor flower bed practice a little on your indoor plants.

If you're an African Violet lover try your luck with Episcia or more commonly referred to as flame violet. The flame violet is a relative

of the African Violet and requires much the same care. Flame violets prefer humid air and moderate to warm temperatures. They are happiest at 80 - 85 degrees during the day and a minimum of 62 - 65 degrees at night. Use a humus potting soil made of equal parts commercial houseplant soil and peat. Water should be offered whenever the soil

surface begins to dry. Avoid spotting by keeping the water off the foliage. A standard houseplant fertilizer should be used 4 to 6 weeks.

The small flowers of the Episcia are red or red-orange. The plants usually flower in the summer. During the rest of the year, their wrinkly, often brightly colored leaves add interest to shelves, windowsills, hanging baskets or dish gardens. Because they prefer a high humidity environment they're a natural for terrariums.

Mealybugs and cyclamen mites are also fond of Episcia. Leaf drop due to low humidity or temperatures below 60 degrees can be an environmental problem. Temperatures below 50 degrees can be fatal to the plant.

Episcia can be propagated from stem tips or leaf petiole cuttings, by seed or by division.

Cockfields Compete In Family Ski Meet

A mother-son ski team from Charlevoix will be participating in the Equitable Family Skiing Challenge National Championships Thursday in Park City, Utah.

Judy Cockfield and her son Jeff won the regional competition held at Boyne Mountain recently. The pair

will now race down a dual course in Park City. The winners in the mother-son, father-daughter, mother-daughter, and father-son categories will become the national champions and have an opportunity to participate in the celebrity ski race, which helps raise money to support the U.S. Ski Team.

Rep. Ralph Ostling To Visit East Jordan

State Rep. Ralph Ostling will meet interested residents from 10 a.m. to noon on Tuesday in East Jordan City Hall.

Ostling will discuss any

questions or comments residents might have on legislative matters or problems they have with state government.



THE FAMILIAR SAP buckets have been attached to the sugar maple trees in town by the Kiwanis Club. Each year the service club collects the sap to make maple syrup for a fund raising project.

Garden Club to Start Meeting Again Tuesday

The Charlevoix Garden Club will hold its first meeting since December at the home of Mrs. Robert Close, 201 Cherry St., at 1 p.m. Tuesday, April 12.

Mrs. Edward Lewand will be co-hostess.

A film depicting "Birch Canoe Building" will be shown by Mrs. John Stebe.

The color film, made by

A.C.D. Films, features the story and canoe building of Bill Hafeman. It is on loan from Char-Em Intermediate School District film library. In announcing the meeting, Mrs. Lewand said the program promises great interest and should round in club members a prelude to spring and summer.



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LEE BEGROW participated in many ski meets sponsored by the U.S. Ski Association as well as the meets in the Michigan Huron Shores Conference. Here Begrow skis to victory at Boyne Mountain during a USSA meet.

Lee Begrow Named To Detroit News All State Ski Team

For the first time in the history of skiing at the Charlevoix High School, a member of the Hayder ski team has received all-state recognition.

He is Lee Begrow, a senior, who was named to the Detroit News All-State ski team. Skiing is the only high school sport in which there are no classes according to enrollment.

Begrow ranked third in the Giant Slalom and seventh in the Slalom in the State Meet and was first in the Slalom and third in the Giant Slalom in Michigan Huron Shores Conference competition.

For the past four years he participated in races sponsored by the Central United States Ski Association where

he raced against participated against skiers from five central states. These were culminated in March when Divisional Ski Races were held at Indianhead in the Upper Peninsula.

Begrow earned his first Varsity ski letter as a freshman and has been pace-setter for the team since then. He has been coached by Mike Honeilo.

Next fall he plans to enter a pre-meet program at Michigan State University.

His interests are not confined to skiing. Last fall he was co-captain with Matt Doan of the Hayders championship football team.

He is the son of Pat Begrow and Jack Begrow.

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Crews Readyng Beaver Islander for Spring Opening

By FRANK MARTIN

The motorship, Beaver Islander, which operates between the mainland and Beaver Island, is being readied for the 1977 season, according to Lawrence McDonough, business manager for the Beaver Island Boat Co.

He was quick to add, however, that the navigation season is not likely to open as early as last year when the ferry, which transports mail, passengers and freight to the island, opened on April 12.

"We're shooting for the 14th or 15th but with all the ice on this side and in St. James harbor I'm a little skeptical," McDonough said.

The severe winter has resulted in heavy ice in northern Lake Michigan. There is open water out several miles but it will take heavy winds to break it up so the Beaver Islander can operate.

McDonough said that if the winds didn't break up the ice in the harbor at St. James the company may have to ask the

Coast Guard Cutter Sundew to do it.

McDonough also said that island stores were running low on some commodities but that the shortages were not serious at this time. A telephone call to Mrs. Rud McDonough at McDonough's Market, one of two general stores on the island, revealed that the shortages were annoying rather than serious.

"In most instances people can find a product to supplement the one they are asking for. It's the brand of the product rather than the shortage of it," she said.

She mentioned mushroom soup as one product not requested that is missing from the shelves in their store. She said LaFreniere's general store was also short on some name brands.

"Every year you try to second guess what the needs will be but there's something you always miss," she added.

From late December, usually about the 25th or until navigation opens in

the spring the island is cut off from lake traffic and supplies are transported via air. As a result, store owners on the island located 33 miles northwest of here build up their inventories of staples to last until spring.

"We don't always guess right," Mrs. McDonough said. She also said that the supply of bottled gas was running low and customers were being allotted one tank at a time but that she thought there was enough to last until the Beaver Islander could bring more in.

As far as she knew there were no shortages of fuel oil, gasoline and related supplies.

The Beaver Islander and her sister ship, the South Shore, are presently at their winter berths in Charlevoix. McDonough said the heat had been turned on in the Beaver Islander, the larger of the two ferries and scrubbing and painting of the interiors of the vessel had started. Work on the exterior will have to wait 'til warmer weather, he said.

McDonough added that 1977

is the year the vessel must go to the yards for its five-year Coast Guard inspection. Arrangements have already been made to enter the yards at Soo Weiding at Sauli Ste. Marie where the boat will be removed from the water for its hull inspection by Coast Guard marine inspectors. At the same time, its twin propellers will be checked and any necessary repairs made.

All vessels carrying passengers commercially must undergo a similar inspection.

The crew for the ferry will be the same as last season. Russell Green is the captain. Jerry LaFreniere and Kevin McDonough are the other members of the crew. Later in the season when the South Shore goes into service, Green will take over as skipper of the smaller vessel and Kevin McDonough will skipper the Beaver Islander. In an emergency, Lawrence McDonough takes a hand at the wheel.

Until May 1, the Beaver Islander will make three trips weekly. Effective May 1, the vessel will operate daily except Sunday until the regular season starts in mid-June when daily trips are made. At that time, the two vessels will operate out of Charlevoix, leaving the municipal dock each morning and returning late each day.

For the present, until the summer season begins, and after Labor Day in the fall, the Beaver Islander operates out of St. James, arriving in Charlevoix at mid-morning and returning at 1 p.m.

Cars, trucks and other vehicles are transported on both the Beaver Islander and the South Shore.

Since late December the only contact with the island has been via air. Two airlines serve the island, McPhillips Flying Services out of Charlevoix which has the mail contract and the Weike Flying Service with headquarters on Beaver Island.



YOU CAN TELL spring is just around the corner when you see what's begun on the Beaver Islander at its dock in Round Lake. The boat company officials are planning to make their first run of the season within the next week and they don't think they will make it by last year's date.

Six Residents File Petitions For School Board Positions

Six residents of the Charlevoix School District, seeking election to the two vacancies on the Charlevoix Board of Education, had filed nominating petitions as of Tuesday, April 4 p.m. Monday.

The vacancies are for the posts presently held by C. Max Novak, who is a candidate for re-election, and Robert J. Cook, who is not a candidate.

Besides Novak, the candidates are Wayne E. Boss, principal and teacher.

Cook, in a letter to the board, said he had plans to travel and had purchased a home in Englewood, Fla., and, as a result, would not seek re-election.

The election at which two candidates will be elected is scheduled for June 13. There will be no other issues on the ballot in the annual school election.

Sundew Breaks Ice At St. James Harbor

The U.S.C.G. Cutter Sundew entered the harbor at St. James Monday to break up the ice. The ship spent the night at the island and plans to do some work in the area before returning here.

If the present weather holds, the Beaver Islander is scheduled to make its first trip Friday, according to Lawrence McDonough, business manager for the boat company.

Winners Named In Jelly Bean Jumble

Carol Ormsby and Ron DeMichele were the grand prize winners in the Jelly Bean Jumble Contest held by the Charlevoix Courier in conjunction with local merchants.

Their names were drawn Saturday for the two Easter hams given away by the Courier.

People who correctly guessed the number of jelly beans in the jars displayed at the following local businesses were: Sarah Nartker, Dahlquist; Tom Bach,

Frank's Flowers; Jean Genet, DeKoside Pharmacy; Cindy Russell, Reusch Jewelry; Carol Wolf, Leisure Time; Joan Coyne, Lieberman's; Marsha Trimmer, Kit Carson Lumber; Judy Mabee, Wharfside Market; Joan Hanchard, First State Bank; Kim Novotny, Clothing Company; Reid McVay, Oleson's Variety; David Russell, Kentucky Fried Chicken; Brenda Currier, County Seat General Store; and Pam Stangis, Kadens Emporium.

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Golf Course Closed Despite Warm Weather

The unseasonably warm weather has sprouted a crop of golfers on the Charlevoix Municipal Golf Course, according to city officials. Golfers are asked to stay off

the links until the land has a chance to dry up. Premature use of the course may ruin the greens and the summer golfing season.

Stiff Competition Predicted For Summer Jobs for Youth

By PAULA HOLMES

Jobs for youth in Northern Michigan are going to be few and far between this summer, according to officials working with various employment agencies.

"Competition for jobs this summer is going to be pretty stiff," Duane Cox, manager of the local branch of the Michigan Employment Security Commission, said, "especially with the high unemployment in the area."

"And there's a big push on right now to get older workers in positions, too," he added.

But there is hope for the teenager looking for work, according to Alton Shipstead of the Northwest Michigan Manpower Consortium located in Traverse City.

The 10-county consortium has received \$500,000 to put youth to work for cities, counties and schools during the summer.

"This program will start in June and will put about 500 kids to work in the 10-county area," Shipstead said. "The program will be run by the

Traverse Bay Area Intermediate School District for disadvantaged youth."

A disadvantaged youth is described as a person whose family's income falls below the poverty level, Shipstead said.

Shipstead suggested youth looking for jobs apply to the Department of Natural Resources and the U.S. Forest Service for positions with the Youth Conservation Corps.

Cox added that the Michigan Department of State Highways and Transportation might have summer openings for teenagers, too. The MESC branch manager - also suggested youth scour the want ad sections of newspapers where businesses need service stations and fast food establishments were likely to advertise summer positions.

Shipstead said that many programs were in the works to help provide additional funding for summer employment for youth. The manpower consortium director said he expected to receive additional

funds through the youth bill part of the economic stimulus package recently approved by the U.S. Congress for the creation of summer jobs for teenagers, but he was not sure how much money would be appropriated.

The consortium director said the CETA (Community Development Block Grant) funds were also expected to be increased under the economic stimulus package.

Gov. William Milliken has also recommended in his budget for Fiscal Year 1977-78, that a \$10 million appropriation for a youth employment program be established. The program, which is not geared to summer employment, would provide occupational skills and training for a career in the private sector.

Presently, most federal funds provide youth training for positions in the public sector.

Shipstead said he welcomes all the programs aimed at youth.

"The problem with youth unemployment is that the longer you have it, the less likely the student is to get work experience, so that by the time he or she is 20 or 25 you've lost them as far as a job is concerned," he pointed out.

"In individual cases, I think it is much harder for a kid to get a job," he continued. "Employers would rather hire an established adult who is going to be around for a while."

Shipstead said the high minimum wage was also a factor in youth unemployment.

"With the minimum wage so high, employers don't want to hire youth," he said. "At that rate they can automate and then they don't have to hire anyone."

The manpower consortium director added that youth unemployment wasn't as bad in this part of the state as it was in some places.

"The rate is about 50 percent in the Detroit area," he said.

Char-Em Board Learns

Teacher Training Program Successful

By PAULA HOLMES

Teachers helping teachers is the purpose of the one-year-old Teacher Development Program at the Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District. Char-Em Board of Education members learned Monday night.

Janel Mercer, director of the program, explained its operation during the board members' regular meeting.

"Higher education never completely prepares a teacher for what they will meet in the classroom," Mrs. Mercer explained. "Some teachers will have problems with curriculum or with student behavior."

"Also teachers are always searching for new things to try in their classrooms," the teacher trainer continued. "We try to help them find these things."

Mrs. Mercer and Sherry Skelton, a teacher trainer from Boyne City, have set up a series of three-day inservice workshops for teachers with current goals in education in mind at St. Francis School in Petoskey.

The workshop touches on individualized and personalized instruction and also discusses materials.

"We have the teachers experience the different methods of teaching the same as a child would," Mrs. Mercer told the board members.

The teachers move through five or six distinctly different classroom settings that show different ways of managing teacher-student interaction and student-student interaction.

"We plan to do for teachers what we ask teachers to do for pupils," she added.

James Shepard, intermediate superintendent, said the program had been very well received.

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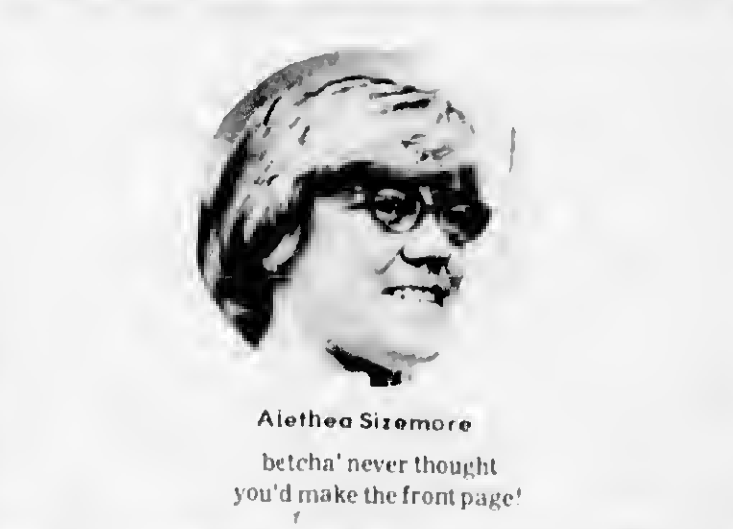
Can't Believe Land Swap

It's really hard to believe that the City would sell Round Lake frontage and lose control of such limited land to gain an old building on a side street. A lease to the boat company would give them the same security that ownership would give. We individual citizens would not be used as it appears we are being led. I do hope the council and mayor has foresight enough to see what the future will be to our community with such rash action as they are considering. Surely, Charlevoix the Beautiful should mean more to them than the plan they are contemplating. Thank you.

More On Land Swap

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P.S.



Alethea Sizemore
Alethea never thought you'd make the front page!

WEATHER

The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant:

Date	High	Low	Precipitation
April 5	34	25	6.5 snow
April 6	30	20	trace snow
April 7	37	26	2.5 snow
April 8	35	15	0
April 9	50	21	0
April 10	68	30	0
April 11	75	45	0

THE MEDUSA CHALLENGER was out and on its way this week picking up loads from both the Medusa Cement plant in Charlevoix and the Penn-Dixie Cement plant in Petoskey. For more photos see page 6.

Tired, Run-Down Condition

The pace of today's world, with its constant stresses and demands, is producing a generation of "tired people."

Whether individuals are able to maintain the pace, depends on the condition of the nervous system.

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Another Health Article from:

Dr. Jeffrey Ricks 1101 S. Bridge in
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Community Calendar

Fran Martin
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Tuesday, April 12
Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at the county building annex 9:30 a.m. for annual spring meeting.

Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will meet at Grey Gables Inn 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Rebeccah Lodge will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.

Wednesday, April 13
Charlevoix Sleazebag league organizational meeting for both men and women's teams will be held at the recreation department office in city hall 8 p.m. Election of officers for both leagues. Number of teams will also be determined. Persons wishing to umpire also asked to attend.

Charlevoix County Chapter, Michigan Association for the Blind will meet at the Com-

munity Room, First State Bank, 7:30 p.m. Persons interested in the problems of the blind are invited to attend.

Margaret Parker Circle will meet at Fellowship Hall, First Congregational Church, 1:30 p.m. Hostesses: Mrs. Arlo Crites and Mrs. Douglas Nettleton.

Mary Burns Circle will meet at Fellowship Hall, First Congregational Church, 7:30 p.m.

Little Flower Guild will meet with Mrs. Chester Otmanski, 306 Belvedere ave., 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at airport hangar 10:30 a.m.

Round Lake Lodge No. 293, I.O.O.F., will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.

Mary Brewster circle will meet with Mrs. Annabelle Webb, 707 Park ave., 1 p.m.

TOPS. Mrs. Harold Towles, Leeb rd., 6 p.m.

Thursday, April 14
Grandvue Medical Care Facility Auxiliary will meet at the Facility at 2 p.m.

Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Services Board will meet at the Administrator's office, 325 E. Lake St., Petoskey 8 p.m. Interested persons are welcome to attend.

American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the post home 8 p.m. Hostesses: Mrs. Evva Smith and Mrs. Lyda Johnson. V.F.W. will meet at post home 8 p.m.

Community Church of God Choir will sponsor a hot casserole-salad luncheon at Fellowship Hall, 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Adults: \$2.25 and children under 12 years, \$1.00. Proceeds will be used to purchase choir robes.

Friday, April 15
Regional Industrial Arts

Fair will be held at the Charlevoix high school gymnasium.

Al-Anons Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal Church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.

Charlevoix Band Boosters will sponsor a chicken dinner at the high school cafeteria 5-7:30 p.m. Tickets: adults, \$3.00, senior citizens, \$2.50; children under 12 years, \$1.50; family ticket, \$12.

Saturday, April 16
Whirl-Aways Western Square Dance Club will meet at the Lincoln School, Petoskey, 8:10-10:30 p.m. Members are asked to bring sandwiches for lunch.

Sunday, April 17
Straits Area Ostomy Association will meet.

Christian Brotherhood Hour, 8 a.m., Station WVOY

sponsored by Community Church of God.

Monday, April 18
Charlevoix Board of Education will meet at the high school study hall 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Band Boosters will meet at high school band room 7:30 p.m.

Kappa Sigma Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi sorority, will meet with Mrs. Frank Hoffman, 8 p.m. Co-hostess: Mrs. Dwayne Taylor; Program: Philosophy. Mrs. Robert Davis.

Xi Epsilon Gamma chapter, Beta Sigma Phi sorority, will meet with Mrs. Paul Stephan 8 p.m. Co-hostess: Edward Dillow; Program: Tomorrow's Dawn. Mrs. Thomas Pence.

Pearl Divers will meet at the Community Church of God 3:45-5 p.m.

Little League draft at Little League field 3:30 p.m.

Le Leche League will meet with Mrs. Robert Bellairs at the Daisy Hill Piggery Farm, RHJ, Old US 31 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, April 19
Artists North will meet at the Charlevoix High School art building for a silk screen workshop. All interested artists are invited.

Tuesday, April 19
Charlevoix high school girls track team will open its season at Rogers City 4 p.m.

Charlevoix Rayder track team will open its season at Cheboygan 4 p.m.

American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Women's Club will meet at the LaCroft Condominium for its annual meeting and election of officers. 1 p.m.

Wednesday, April 20
Charlevoix Lodge No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet at the Masonic Temple 8 p.m.

Court News

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix District Court before Judge David Foster:

Thomas D. Keiswetter, 31, Petoskey, speeding, plead guilty, \$25 fines and costs.
Robert J. Kotelski, 30, Oxford, defrauding an inkkeeper, found guilty by court, fines and costs suspended.
James F. Day, 17, Boyne City, careless driving, found guilty by court, \$85 fines and costs.
James D. Bushman, 38, Charlevoix, careless driving, plead guilty, \$85 fines and costs.

The following cases were heard before Charlevoix County Magistrate Marilyn Blauman and Howard Talboys:

Gustav A. Dittson, 48, Grand Lodge, speeding, \$32.
Mark R. Holmes, 23, Bay Shore, speeding, \$40.
Leroy R. McMillan, 33, Charlevoix, no registration on person, \$25.
William Clerk, 40, Essexville, speeding, \$31.
Brian K. Warner, 19, Charlevoix, driving too fast for conditions, \$25.
John C. Gies, 23, Bay City, speeding, \$36.
Brad L. Wood, 17, Charlevoix, speeding, \$36.
Jean Ann Rodda, 28, Grawn, speeding, \$25.
G. Therese Hothem, 39, Birmingham, speeding, \$25.
Scott Yous, 19, Grand Haven, speeding, \$25.
Stephen D. Mason, 23, Bellare, speeding, \$25.
Gail A. Weber, 19, Boyne City, speeding, \$35.
Joe Hasper, 64, Harbor Springs, speeding, \$25.
Raymond J. Parris, 42, Milford, speeding, \$25.
Francis J. Palameter, 26, Petoskey, speeding, \$25.

Terrence C. Purdie, 37, Mt. Clemens, speeding, \$25.
Samuel D. Kennedy, Jr., 40, Central Lake, speeding, \$25.
Dennis M. Kruzel, 20, Boyne City, speeding, \$25.
Chester E. Hughes, 75, Petoskey, speeding, \$25.
Judith H. Gibbons, 36, Boyne City, speeding, \$25.
Jeffrey A. Nielsen, 25, Midland, expired operator's license, \$25.
Jeffrey A. Nielsen, 25, Midland, expired registration dates, \$25.
David J. Slayter, 30, Boyne City, failure to transfer registration plates, \$25.
Robert J. Phil, 18, Orchard Lake, disregard traffic control device, \$25.
Gustav A. Dittson, 48, Grand Lodge, speeding, \$32.
Diane H. Benedict, 39, Birmingham, speeding, \$25.
William L. VanderBoach, 42, Wonnika, Ill., speeding, \$25.
Gordon D. Danville, 50, Boyne City, speeding, \$25.
Donald C. Wood, Jr., 19, East Lansing, speeding, \$25.
Charles P. Nemetz, 27, Boyne City, speeding, \$36.
Richard J. Hull, Sr., 44, Boyne City, transporting open intoxicants in motor vehicle, \$65.
Herland E. McGeorge, 61, Boyne City, speeding, \$30.
Arnold J. Roth, Jr., 44, Midland, speeding, \$25.
Ralph A. McRae, 71, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
Brian F. Backdell, 22, Petoskey, expired registration plates, \$25.
Garland K. Gilbert, 48, Boyne City, improper overtaking and passing, \$25.
Ruth A. Matalaski, Boyne Falls, speeding, \$34.
Carole A. Tervo, 32, Indian River, speeding, \$30.

Edwin L. Bexter, 62, Lewiston, speeding, \$25.
Sven E. Smith, 17, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
David D. Kelly, 44, Suttons Bay, speeding, \$25.
Mark A. Kelly, 38, Farmington Hills, speeding, \$25.
Eugene Saint Louis, 31, Windsor, Ontario, speeding, \$25.
George D. Hamlin, 47, Charlevoix, speeding, \$33.
Lora J. Samples, 18, Harbor Springs, speeding, \$30.
Timothy P. Gillen, 19, Glen Arbor, speeding, \$25.
David L. Arnold, 37, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
Clyde J. Bruce, 37, Grand Rapids, speeding, \$30.
Alan R. Krug, 20, Warren, speeding, \$25.
Sharon L. Nepe, 36, Gaylord, speeding, \$25.
Terry L. Urman, 20, Boyne City, no registration plates, \$25.
Jack R. Tilden, 19, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
William L. MacMillan, Jr., 34, Ypsilanti, speeding, \$25.
Joseph K. Cerny, 42, Rochester, speeding, \$25.
Mary L. Hindelang, 28, Boyne City, speeding, \$25.
William E. Fochmen, 49, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
Sera L. Nelson, 32, Ft. Wayne, Ind., speeding, \$30.
Isabelle D. Anderson, 39, Chicago, Ill., speeding, \$28.
John E. Vronckan, 30, Boyne City, speeding, \$30.
Rudolf A. Kavel, 58, Boyne City, speeding, \$25.
Robert Bertsch, 32, Saline, speeding, \$35.
Sara W. Leht, 27, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
Daniel Morse, 21, East Jordan, speeding, \$25.
Joanne M. Lewis, 18, East Jordan, speeding, \$25.

to what extent have Charlevoix County families moved ahead on the income ladder in recent years by virtue of their increased earning capacity?

Where do they stand, as a result, in relation to families in other areas?

According to a nationwide survey of income distribution, a greater proportion of them are now to be found in the middle and upper brackets and a smaller proportion in the low brackets than ever before. There has been a progressive shift upward, from group to group.

The changes are detailed in

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Playing Games Thriving Business for Arcade Owner

By PAULA HOLMES

He lives in a world of noise and flashing lights. Bells are always ringing, lights are always flashing, and wooden balls are always cracking together for Ray Menzel.

Menzel makes his living playing games and operating them. He is the owner of Underground Amusements in Boyne City, one of the first arcades to be established in this area.

He says his friends sometimes call him the "Pinball Wizard" and he admits his love for the game, which is like playing soccer by manipulating miniature men on wooden sticks, was one of the underlying reasons for "starting his business."

"I like football and pool," the 24-year-old said smiling. "And I like people, too."

"With this business I can see a lot of people and play some football and pool, too," he added.

Menzel said he got the idea for starting an arcade when he was looking for something different to do.

"I was tired of working in a factory," he explained. "I had thought about going into appliances and then I got this idea."

So he set to work convincing people that an arcade was a good, solid business and in November finally got his start.

"Arcades have always been around, but in a smaller degree like in bars and restaurants where you will have one or two machines," he pointed out.

Menzel's business consists of 22 machines including pinball, air hockey, football, pool tables and picture screen games. He also operates a small snack bar for thirsty and hungry customers.

In spite of the popularity of the song "Pinball Wizard" by The Who, Menzel said that the mechanical game does not

attract as many people as football and pool.

"With pinball, if you've played one game, you've played them all," the arcade owner pointed out. "Pool and foosball are more competitive, more interesting."

In fact, Menzel's customers have found foosball and pool as competitive that he has set up leagues which play tournaments every Sunday.

People of all ages show up for the tournaments and during other days of the week. Some stop in after school or work for a few games to unwind before they go home, Menzel said. Others come in for recreation on the weekends.

"I've had children as little as four years-old come in and play pinball," he said. "They can flip the flippers and play pretty well."

"One of the oldest people that comes in is a 68-year-old man who brings his wife and comes in to play pool," Menzel

said. But the average age of his customers falls in the 18 to 20-year-old group.

"As far as the business is concerned, I call it an amusement center, but it does keep the kids out of trouble," the arcade owner pointed out. "It gives them something to do and keeps them off the street."

And Menzel tries to make the arcade a good place for kids to come. The walls are painted half way up and then papered with an attractive striped design. Placed

strategically around the arcade are posters of such teenage idols as Elton John, the original Pinball Wizard, Farrah Fawcett-Majors and the Fonz. The lighting is not too dark and not too bright.

Also decorating the walls are such sayings as: "Great people talk about ideas. Average people talk about things. Little people talk about people," and "Try nothing. Do nothing. Be nothing."

"The sayings are just ones that I remembered that I liked," Menzel said smiling sheepishly. "I thought they

would be good for the kids." Also posted on the walls are the rules of the arcade: "No alcohol, drugs, abusive language or horseplay on the premises," the sign admonishes.

But in spite of his efforts to make the arcade a reputable place, Menzel said it is still the first place the police come whenever something happens in town.

"Any time anything happens in town, they zero in on here," Menzel said. "They think this is a dope den or something and it's not like that at all."



RAY MENZEL, owner of Underground Amusements, takes aim before making this shot during a game of pool. Menzel operates the arcade in Boyne City, but still finds time for a few games of pool and foosball.

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The Second Front Page



BOB MAPES concentrates on this game of foosball. Young and old alike come to the arcade to try their hand at foosball, pool and pinball.

Greater Proportion of Residents In Middle, Upper Income Brackets

As for the various income groupings in Charlevoix County, the breakdown lists 13.9 percent of the households with \$5,000 to \$9,999 in net earnings, 11.1 percent at the \$10,000 to \$14,999 level, 25.7 percent with \$15,000 to \$24,999 and 35.7 percent with incomes higher than that. The remainder have \$5,000 or less left after taxes.

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Council Approved Rate Increases At Brookside, St. Mary's Cemeteries

Rate increases were recently approved for the Brookside and St. Mary's cemeteries by the Charlevoix Common Council.

Sexton Charles Clifford and the Cemetery Committee recommended increasing the rates so that the cemetery could pay for its own perpetual care charge because of an agreement with the family that donated the land for the cemeteries.

Last year the cemetery had about \$9,000 in revenues and ran on a budget of about \$30,000.

The resolution governing the cemetery rates will become effective May 1. The new rates increased the cost of a riverbank plot, single burial, to \$140, and a riverbank lot, five burials, to \$600. All other plots will cost \$90 and lots will cost \$350. Prices for nonresidents for lots and plots are double.

The prices for grave openings and monuments foundations were also increased. A list of prices and regulations can be obtained from the sexton.

To Match Union Increase Nonunion City Employees Get Pay Raise

The wages of nonunion city employees were recently given a boost by the Charlevoix Common Council.

The common council settled earlier with the Communications Workers of America in a one-year contract granting a 39-cent an hour increase for the union employees and a 6-cent per hour increase in payment to a retirement program.

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Editorials/Opinions

A Change in the System May Spark More Interest in Elections

It was too bad that only 128 people participated in last week's city election.

The voters can't really be blamed for the poor turnout, it is hard to get up the enthusiasm to go to the polls when there aren't any contested races on the ballot.

But laws are laws and the election had to be held to insure our freedom of expression and our right to select the people who are running our city government.

And it is OUR city government, if we choose to participate in it. Unfortunately, the city could not muster enough people that were interested in participating in government to have a choice on the ballot.

We are not criticizing the candidates that did run. We think it is admirable that they would agree to hold second and third terms in very trying positions. But we are criticizing an attitude that seems to be prevalent everywhere — an attitude of let the other guy do it.

Operating the City of Charlevoix and making decisions about sewers, roads and zoning—decisions that often are found intolerable by neighbors, friends and others — can be trying and difficult. It is easy to see why we are so willing to let the other guy do it.

But the point is, our system of governing is one of the people, by the people and for the people. The key word is people — we all of us are responsible for city government.

Support Cancer Society During its Drive

April is Cancer Month and soon members of the Charlevoix County Unit of the American Cancer Society will be busy participating in many fundraising activities throughout the county.

Cancer is a disease that has touched or will touch almost everyone in this nation. It is estimated the disease will strike in approximately two of three families. During the 1970s, there will be an estimated 3.5 million cancer deaths, 6.5 million new cancer cases and more than 10 million people under medical care for cancer.

According to researchers of

every six people who get cancer, two will be saved and four will die. But of the four who will die, one might have been saved with earlier diagnosis and prompt treatment.

The other three of the four will die in this nation. It is estimated the disease will strike in approximately two of three families. During the 1970s, there will be an estimated 3.5 million cancer deaths, 6.5 million new cancer cases and more than 10 million people under medical care for cancer.

Help the cancer society help us. Give, so that research can continue and so that the educational efforts may continue.

Help wipe out cancer in your lifetime.

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Last week the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) ordered boutiques and department stores across the country to remove from their shelves all children's sleepwear treated with the fire retardant Tris.

Government sleuths fear that the chemical may cause cancer in youngsters who wear such garments.

Which is all well and good. If Tris might cause health problems, it should be bootied out, along with the PCP's, the PBB's, the IRS's and all of the other noxious agents that have made life a nightmare for Americans for too long. To compare its action against Tris, the CPSC cited the results of laboratory tests using animals, which is one of the reasons why there is such an awful credibility gap between the federal government and the people.

You and I can readily understand how the government might use little creatures to test the effects of such chemicals that are easily ingested. You simply add a dash of whatever it is you are testing to their daily ration of rat-pellets, or whatever it is they are eating.

If the animal comes down with warts and a bad cough, you had better stop the experiment, or you are going to have a lot of angry animals on your hands.

But how in the world do you get a white rat or a guinea pig to dress up in a nightgown or a pair of Doctor Dentons before going to bed? This is what bothers me.

And we're not just talking about one white rat or one guinea pig, mind you. These tests sometimes involve hundreds of animals with widely assorted preferences in sleepwear.

In order to conduct experiments of this sort, the CPSC would have had to hire a battalion of dressmakers to cut and sew little nightgowns and P.J.'s for their animal friends. Of course, they could have purchased old clothes and treated them with Tris but I imagine they wanted at least a modicum of

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The average driver doesn't care what type of engine is in his car. That's not important. The only important question to consider when buying a new car is: Who sings to it?

Recently I described the anguish I suffered trying to dim the lights on my new Oldsmobile. I kept stomping my foot on the car floor where the dimmer button is supposed to be, but nothing happened. I finally had to stop at a bar and learn from a tankhouse player that the dimmer is hidden just below the steering wheel, disguised as a turn-signal switch.

Several readers responded emphatically. Bill Small, for instance, admitted he'd owned a new Olds for almost two months and didn't know how to dim the lights until he read my column on the subject.

"I have read your column for many years and this is the first time I ever got anything out of it," he said.

Small is an itinerant printer currently snuggling ink in the shoe of Mich. I have known him for many years and I'm not surprised he could drive a car for 2 months without locating the dimmer control. He is usually not allowed out after dark.

similarity between the garments to lend an aura of scientific respectability to the tests.

Furthermore, an equal number of angry gorillas or useless research assistants would have had to be on hand every night to get the little creatures ready for bed. If you have ever tried to dress a dog or cat in your grand-mother's best camisole you have some idea of what I am talking about.

Something in the savage breast abhors the finery that we take for granted, and little arms and legs flail mercilessly until the last button is buttoned, the last hook is hooked, the last snap is snapped and the last zipper is zipped. And then the creature isn't exactly happy until he struggles free from his bonds and knocks over a lamp.

The whole undertaking has an Alice-in-Wonderland quality to it that makes one wonder at the validity of the tests, if in fact they were conducted at all.

However, I do not believe that parents should worry unduly if their children have been supplied with sleepwear treated with Tris.

In the first place, very little Tris actually survives the first washing, largely mitigating the severity of the problem. In the second place, I have come to the conclusion that very few children actually put on bonafide sleepwear to go to bed.

Any parent will tell you it is next to impossible to get a kid to remove yesterday's underwear, much less retire in any garment designed specifically for sleeping. One of daddy's old T-shirts? Fine. Mama's slip? Super! Grandma's camisole with all the hules in it? Right-on! In the buff? Ho-ho-ho!

But honesty-to-goodness sleepwear? Forget it.

So I think the parents of America have little to be concerned about. The chances are good that their offspring never came in contact with Tris. I'm only sorry I cannot offer the same encouragement to the parents of white rats and guinea pigs.

Letters to the editor

Need Stricter Controls

On People with Power

Resident Urges

Dear Editor:

Weapons do not start wars. National populations do not start wars. National political and military leaders do start wars and they draft their populations to fight those wars.

National political and military leaders seek the most destructive weapons that science can provide for them, and they now have thousands of nuclear bombs, some bombs are more than one thousand times more powerful than the two nuclear bombs that destroyed two medium sized Japanese cities, and they possess various alternative means for delivering them.

Negotiating on whether a nation should have a nuclear weapon overkill of two times or four times is ridiculous. Any demand to possess any of these weapons automatically makes those national leaders suspect.

The past record of national political and military leaders in achieving the professed objectives of their wars is poor. The record of responsibility of national political and military leaders for the consequences of their wars is worse.

The national political and military leaders of the world are far more expendable than their populations are.

The President Carter position that human rights transcend the authority of national governments is encouraging only if it is translated into a functioning practical principle. How about, any national political or military leader that would subject any people to the consequences of modern warfare automatically forfeits his right to power before he can exercise it. More specifically, no subordinate shall obey any verbal command in use nuclear weapons and any written order that is not obeyed but will be used as evidence to prosecute the responsible leader for attempted warcrimes.

Ray E. Peltz
Charlevoix, Mich.



Some Expressions

Really Get Me

There are three four-word expressions that give me stomach cramps.

One is, "One Size Fits All," and the other is, "Have a good day," and the other is, "You can't miss it."

The latter usually accompanies a 15 minute set of directions, a fold-out map, and a series of list of emergency numbers on how to get to someone's house.

I have been my experience that most people know exactly where they live. They just don't know how to get there. Most of them overtrain you for the trip.

Who among you has not received directions from Mister Rogers, who talks to you like you are the poster child for Mental Health Week.

He begins by asking, "Do you know where you are now?"

When assured you are at home he says, "Fine, go to the end of your driveway and turn right. That is the hand you want with, and then go to the traffic light at the end of your street. When it turns green, signal for a left turn. That is the hand nearest the window and get into the middle lane so other cars can pass as you will be going slow," etc.

There's a Charles Kuralt breed who not only give you directions on how to get to their house but throw in just enough history to confuse you. "You'll be turning left at the little

church on the corner, which incidentally had half of its structure burnt to the ground in 1936. Don't confuse this with the structure on the previous corner that also burnt. That was rebuilt in '43, but the architecture on that one is strictly Doric, so watch it!"

The directions I love are the ones given by a Rowan and Martin team where a man is on one phone and his wife is on the extension and together they tell you how to get there.

"I'd take the freeway and exit at ramp 34," says the husband. "Are you crazy? They'll be driving half the night," his wife interrupts. "Take Northern all the way to the Gooney Golf Course, then make a right."

"That road is torn up," says the husband, "and they'll have to back-track. Come to think of it, they could use Miller Road and that way when they miss the turn-off, there's an all-night station open with a phone to call us for directions."

Our house is a doozie in find. The street changes names three times on you, comes to three forks and doesn't go all the way through, but if you turn where the road narrows, bear right, and go two doors past the barking dog, you can't miss it.

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Who Sings to Your Car?

That's what the auto experts say, and I wouldn't argue the point. There is as much difference between a \$5,000 Ford and a \$5,000 Chevrolet as there is between a 54-cent gallon of Texaco gasoline and a 54-cent gallon of Shell.

That is why no one got very upset about buying an Olds containing a Chevy engine. My old dealer claims he hasn't received one complaint. Not even about truth-in-labeling, which obviously doesn't apply to the auto industry where the operative label is "car."

A Chicago newsman started the fuss about Chevy engines in Oldsmobiles. He was reaching for Watergate, claiming neither GM dealers nor customers knew exactly what was under their hoods. Everyone shrugged. There were no front-page headlines.

For automotive news to interest the public, it must titillate. As when John DeLoach marries a movie actress, or Henry Ford fires Bunkie Knudsen.

You probably remember the marvelous job done by the media when Knudsen got the heave-ho as Ford president. The most poignant moment came when Knudsen had to admit he

Meet Charlevoix

...Clarence King

As warm weather draws near (we hope), it becomes time to think about plowing the fields or planting that backyard garden.

One place many people go for supplies and equipment is the Charlevoix Coop Company on Stover Road. This week the Courier talked with Clarence King about the coop and spring planting.

COURIER: Who does the coop serve?

KING: Anyone can buy supplies and equipment here. I'm sure there has been an increase in the number of backyard gardeners coming in to purchase supplies at the coop?

COURIER: I'm sure there has been an increase. I don't have any statistics, but I know we are getting a lot more in the area selling them salt and other chloride mixtures for snow removal and to keep their lawns from freezing.

COURIER: When did you first notice the increase in gardeners coming in?

KING: I think they first started coming in in 1974 and 1975. Gardening started out at

first as a way to make ends meet, but I think it has turned into a hobby now for many people.

COURIER: What types of things does the coop handle for gardeners?

KING: We sell a lot of garden supplies—fertilizers, and starter sets for cabbages and tomatoes. Those will come in about May. We also sell rosebushes, flower seeds and flower bulbs.

COURIER: Are the residents of this area interested in flowers?

KING: Oh, yes. As soon as we had the rack up with the flower seeds in it, the ladies were here looking at them. I think everyone has rubin fever after such a long winter and they are anxious to see a little green.

COURIER: What should gardeners be doing right now in preparation for spring?

KING: Those who want to save money by making their own starter sets should plant tomatoes, cabbage, melons

and cucumbers. We have pots and starting soils for those who want to try it. These plants can't safely be put out until the middle of May so there will be enough time to get them started.

COURIER: What else should people be doing?

KING: It is a good time to put fertilizer and grass seed on the lawn. Up until we had this last snow we had sold a lot of seed and fertilizer. You can put the fertilizer on as soon as the snow melts and then it will be ready to work when it warms up.

COURIER: What are area farmers doing to get ready for spring planting?

KING: The farmers are mostly getting their supplies and getting ready to get in the fields. If it hadn't snowed, I think they would have been in the fields this week. Fortunately the frost did not go too deep this winter because of the early heavy snow and then it melted away so nicely that many of them could have been in the fields.

COURIER: What is one of the first crops area farmers will put in?

KING: Most of them will put oats in first.

COURIER: What are some of the other crops grown in this area?

KING: The biggest agricultural industry in this county is the dairy operations. They have the largest operations and have put the most money into their business. There are also still many farmers who have livestock unlike the farmers in the southern part of the state who have mostly gone to cash crops. Then I would say that corn is the largest crop up here with oats, some wheat, one or two navy bean growers and some truck gardens.

COURIER: Has agriculture changed much up here?

KING: I've lived a lot of places in the state and I'm amazed at the changes that have been made in agriculture up here. They used to raise a lot of navy beans, sugar beets, cucumbers for pickles and

potatoes for seed. Also the farmers raised a lot of crops for seed supply such as radishes.

COURIER: How does the coop operate?

KING: The organization, which was incorporated in 1919, is owned by the farmer members. Each member is a common stockholder. The membership elects a board of directors that is responsible for the operation of the coop. As manager of the coop, I answer to the board. Robert Stuve is the president of the board this year.

COURIER: When did you come to Charlevoix?

KING: I came here in November, 1974, after managing a petroleum coop in the Coldwater area. I have worked for the Farm Bureau for about 17 years.

COURIER: Do you farm?

KING: My background is farming, but I've been out of it since 1955. My wife, Leola, and I have a backyard garden at our home on Mason Street. My wife gardens all year around.



Clarence King

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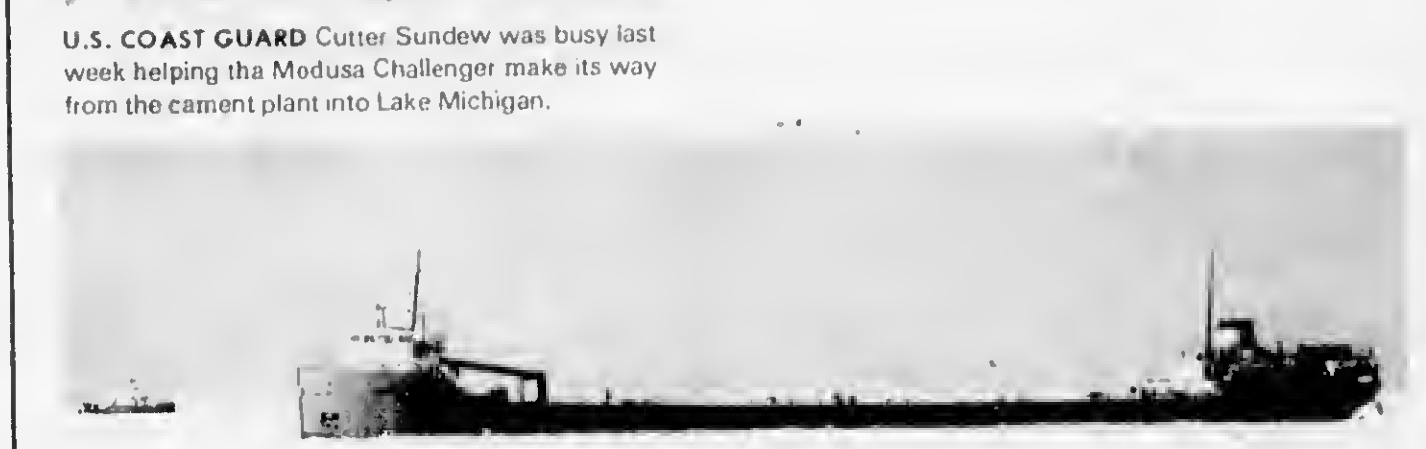
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NOTICE is hereby given that a Special Election will be held in the Township of St. James, in the County of Charlevoix and the State of Michigan on

TUESDAY
APRIL 26, 1977
from 7 o'clock in the forenoon until 8 o'clock in the afternoon, Local Time, to vote on the following propositions:

PROPOSITION 1
Shall the 15 mills tax rate limitation for ad valorem taxes within St. James Township, Charlevoix County, Michigan be increased up to 2 mills for the years of 1977 through 1991?
☐ YES ☐ NO

PROPOSITION 2
Shall St. James Township, Charlevoix County, Michigan levy up to 2 mills against the taxable property within said Township for the years 1977 through 1992 for the purpose of purchasing and operating Beaver Island moorings (Coast Guard Station) for use of the Township residents?
☐ YES ☐ NO

Said Special Election shall be conducted at the place of holding elections in the Township as follows:
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NOTICE RELATIVE TO OPENING AND CLOSING OF THE POLLS
Election Law, Act 116, P.A. 1964
Section 120. On the day of any election, the polls shall be opened at 7 o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be continuously open until 8 o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

THE POLLS OF SAID ELECTION WILL BE OPEN FROM 7:00 A.M. LOCAL TIME, AND REMAIN OPEN UNTIL 8:00 P.M. LOCAL TIME ON APRIL 26, 1977.

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BOARD OF COUNTY COMMISSIONERS
CHARLEVOIX COUNTY
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Four Students Named to Deans List

Four Charlevoix County students were named to the dean's list at Western Michigan University for the fall semester.

Janice VanTress, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack VanTress, received all As. She was one of 367 students at the university to achieve perfect marks.

Other scholars were: Marjorie Carey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Carey of Charlevoix; Jeffery VanTress, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack VanTress of Boyne Falls; and Melvin Bowman, son of Mrs. Frona Bowman of Boyne City.

Diane Best Receives Ag Award

Diane Best of Ellsworth has received an award presented from the Agriculture and Natural Resources Student Senate at Michigan State University honoring members of the four-year program and the nine technical programs within the College of Agriculture and Natural Resources.

Miss Best, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Best, is a recent graduate in food systems and economics management. She received a \$750 National Food Broker's Association scholarship. Miss Best now works for the Quaker Oats Co. in Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Two Students Honored at Eastern Mich.

Two Charlevoix County students were recently recognized for their academic achievement during the 29th Honors Convocation at Eastern Michigan University. Kathryn Britton of Charlevoix and Laurie Ball of Boyne Falls were among the more than 2,500 students honored.

Miss Britton attained an average of 3.5 and Miss Ball had an average of 3.7.

Local Woman in Model UN

A Charlevoix resident will participate in the fifth annual Model United Nations at Grand Valley State College. Diane Alexander, a student at the college, will act as a justice of the International Court of Justice, during the program held for high school students from 16 Michigan schools.

The program seeks to help students achieve a better understanding of international relations, the governing processes of all governments, and their ideologies by simulating the United Nations.

There were nine accidents including seven property damage and two personal injury accidents. Five traffic arrests were made, four warnings issued and five general assists.

Sixteen dog complaints were received; four warnings issued and four dogs destroyed.

Twenty civil cases were processed; 135 meals served; 469 telephone calls received and two doors on business places found open.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Charlevoix County Road Commission will receive sealed proposals at their offices at 105 E. Division, Charlevoix, Michigan 49712, until 10:00 a.m. (EDT) Monday, May 9, 1977, for furnishing equipment, materials and labor for:

Project Number 2096 - Springbrook Road from Spring Brook to Springvale Road, 0.5 miles long. Grading and drainage structures for 30 foot finished earth grade, subbase as required and 21" wide x 6" deep compacted aggregate base course.

Estimated quantities are as follows:

Clearing	26 Stations
Machine Grading Modified	26 Stations
Subbase (compacted in place)	3200 Cu. Yds.
6" Compacted Aggregate	6160 Sq. Yds.
Surface Course Modified	120 Lin. Ft.
15" Class B Culvert	480 Lbs.
Roadside Seeding	4 Tons
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A bid deposit in the form of a cashier's check or bank money order payable to the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Charlevoix, Michigan must accompany each bid. The bid deposit required for this project is \$1000.00.

Plans, specifications and bidding forms may be obtained at the Road Commission offices.

All proposals must be on the Road Commission's bidding forms in sealed envelopes plainly marked as to the project number and the bidder's name.

It is the intention of the Road Commission to award this contract to a contractor fully capable financially and previously experienced in this type of work.

The Charlevoix County Road Commission reserves the right to waive the irregularity of any bid, or reject any or all bids or to split the awards by items, or to make the award in whole or in part, as may be deemed to be in its own best interest.

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City Assessor Resigns To Take New Position

Charles Pease, city assessor and deputy city administrator, has resigned to take a new position.

Pease left his office with the city Friday to join First Savings and Loan. He will be working at the Cheboygan branch of the company as a mortgage appraiser for the four-county area of Charlevoix, Emmet, Cheboygan and Presque Isle.

Following a week of training in the company's main office in Saginaw, Pease will begin his new duties April 18.

Pease, his wife and one-year-old son will be moving to Cheboygan as soon as they sell their Charlevoix home.

"I hate to leave Charlevoix. I really love the town," Pease said. "But opportunity knocks."

"Hopefully I will be back some day," he added.

Pease has served as city assessor since 1974. Last August, he took over as acting



Chuck Pease

Study Shows Population Increasing in Charlevoix

The number of cars in operation in Charlevoix County continues to increase, year by year, with no saturation point in sight.

As a result, the car density in the local area, as well as the number of two-car and three-car families is now greater than ever.

The latest published figures show that, as of the beginning of this year, there were more passenger cars locally, per 100 families, than in most communities.

On January 1st there were some 8,750 cars registered in the area. This was equivalent to 151 for every 100 local families.

It was a bigger ratio than was found generally throughout the United States, where the average was 146 per 100 families. In the East North Central States, it was 149.

Despite the slowdown in auto production and sales during the recent recession, the number of cars on the nation's streets and highways is considerably greater than five years ago.

The records show that auto registrations in the United States are now over 105,625,000, which is 15,844,000 more than in 1971. It represents an increase of 8,700 cars per day over the five-year period.

The additional millions of cars, combined with more trucks, buses and other vehicles, is causing traffic jams and bumper-to-bumper driving, especially in urban areas. No relief is in view in the struggle for traveling and parking space.

Much of the increase in car ownership is attributed to the progressive movement of families from heavily populated urban communities to the suburbs, where the automobile is the basic means of transportation.

The growing proportion of late model cars in and around Charlevoix County is a reflection of the rising purchasing power in the area. As family income rises, so does the number of cars in operation.

The net result is that auto registrations locally have increased from 7,220 to 8,750 in the last five years.

With more cars in use, more money is being spent annually for maintenance. The expenditures in the past year in local service stations for gas, oil, repairs and incidentals came to more than \$879,000, as compared with the total that was spent five years earlier, 2,374,000.

Complaints Steady to Sheriff

Complaints continue to come in at a steady rate the weekly report issued by the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department reveals.

Twelve of the 32 complaints received during the week of March 31-April 7 remain open while 20 have been closed.

A breakdown of the 32 show seven felony, four misdemeanor, two domestic, 16 other and three unfounded.

One felony arrest was made during the week and three inmates booked.

There were nine accidents including seven property damage and two personal injury accidents. Five traffic arrests were made, four warnings issued and five general assists.

Sixteen dog complaints were received; four warnings issued and four dogs destroyed.

Twenty civil cases were processed; 135 meals served; 469 telephone calls received and two doors on business places found open.



IT MAY LOOK LIKE these ducks are walking on water, but actually they are enjoying one of the advantages of winter. A thin film of ice covered Round Lake one day last week and gave the ducks swimming legs a break.



MIKE HERRIMAN, 9, poses with his snow friends. Last week was a snowy vacation for most Charlevoix school district students and a lack of anything else to do lead Mike to try his hand at snow sculpture.

Some Help With Rents May be Available to Seniors

There's some good news and some bad news for senior citizens looking for help with their rents.

In a letter to Shirley Roloff, spokesman for senior citizens facing a 25 percent rent hike at the Charlevoix Apartments on May Street, Congressman Philip Ruppe, R-Houghton, said the local housing commission could apply for the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) or to the Michigan State Housing Development Authority for Section 8 existing housing rent subsidies.

"This type of funding is extremely limited at the present time, and there is no way of predicting that the chance for approval might be," Ruppe said in the letter. "If approved, however, these federal monies could be used to make up the difference between the reduced rents paid by low income tenants and the fair market rents established for your area by HUD."

Mrs. Roloff wrote to Rep. Ruppe for help following the announcement by Frank Vaydick, co-owner of the Charlevoix Apartments, that rents in the 40-unit complex would have to be increased. At that time many of the tenants in the building believed it was a low income housing unit and that their rents would not be increased unless their income was increased.

Mrs. Roloff said that about one-half of the tenants in the building were living on social security payments amounting to less than \$4,000 a year. She said the rent increase would force the tenants to give up buying food and clothing if they continued to live in the apartment complex.

Since the announcement of the rent hike, six tenants have found new housing and others are still looking, Mrs. Roloff said.

Rep. Ruppe pointed out in his letter that the Charlevoix Apartments were constructed with funds from the Farmers Home Administration rural rental housing loan program, which allows developers to make a limited profit of 8 1/2 percent on the initial investment. Ruppe said some FHA officials question whether even the new increased rents are high enough to maintain an acceptable level of profit.

"I was disappointed (with Ruppe's letter)," Mrs. Roloff said. "I thought there was something we could do."

Mrs. Roloff said she is still going to try and help the senior citizens by establishing discounts at various stores for local senior citizens.



CHARLEVOIX APARTMENTS on May Street has been the home of many senior citizens. But due to a recent rent increase several of the residents have been forced to find new homes in a rent level they can afford on their social security income.

Meeting Slated April 26 On HUD, FHA Housing Funds

Representatives from Farmers Home Administration (FHA), the Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD), and the Michigan State Housing Development Authority will attend a workshop in Traverse City to explain their programs on single family, multiple family and low income and elderly housing assistance.

The Northwest Michigan Authority will attend a workshop in Traverse City to explain their programs on single family, multiple family and low income and elderly housing assistance.

Regional Commission developed the program in response to requests from local housing interest groups, planning commissions, and county councils on the aging. The meeting will begin at 9:30 a.m. April 26 at All Faiths Chapel in Traverse City.

Anyone with questions about the workshop may call the Northwest Commission office at 946-5922.

Planning Commission's New Format Successful During First Meeting

The Charlevoix County Planning Commission held the first in a series of meetings it has planned at locations throughout the county last week and met with success.

More than 30 people attended the meeting held at the East Jordan City Hall to discuss the proposed master plan for the city with the county planning commissioners, city planning commissioners, city council members and other interested people.

"We had a good exchange of ideas," William Mercer, county planner and zoning administrator said. "People were enthusiastic about the meeting and the plan."

In an attempt to educate county residents about planning and zoning procedures and to become more involved in coordinating planning and zoning throughout the county, the planning commissioners decided to embark on a work program.

The outreach project is a part of the work program and it involves meeting in various township and city halls to discuss specific zoning and planning problems with the residents of that area.

In addition to meeting with the various planning commissions, the county body has also undertaken a revision of its bylaws. Under the bylaws, which have been approved for publication and vote, the commission will expand its size from nine to eleven members.

The next planning commission meeting will be held May 5 in Hudson Township to discuss zoning and planning problems in that and Boyne Valley Township.

Keep the soil moist, especially if temperatures are high. Dry soil and high temperatures shorten the blooming period.

After bloom, continue to feed and water the plant. The leaves make food for the bulb to use to make next year's flowers. After the foliage turns yellow, stop watering and store the pot in a cool, dark place.

After the danger of frost is past, knock the soil ball loose from its pot and plant it in a well-drained, shady area in the garden. The bulb should be covered with 6-8 inches of soil. It will rest until midsummer, when it will send up new growing shoots. If fall frost is late, the plant may bloom again.

To rebloom this year's lily for Easter next year, dig the bulb in the fall and place it in a plastic bag filled with peat moss. Refrigerate it for at least six weeks before potting.

Potting bulbs for forcing in a porous, well-drained soil mix. When you pot depends on when you want the plants to flower. Potting around Thanksgiving gives blooms around mid-February. For flowers in mid-March, pot around New Year's. If you want blossoms in mid-April, wait until Feb. 1 to pot the bulbs. When shoots begin to appear, place the pot in a brightly lit spot and fertilize with a liquid nitrogen fertilizer according to label directions. Fertilize again in 10 days. Continue to fertilize every 10 days with a complete houseplant fertilizer.



PLANT OF THE WEEK:
Easter Lily
Easter lilies (Lilium longiflorum) are usually thrown away after they have finished blooming. With proper care and a little luck, however, you can enjoy your Easter lily for years.

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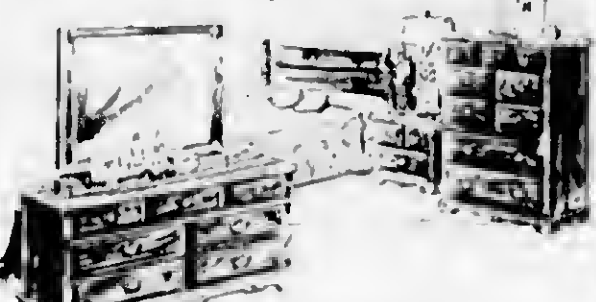
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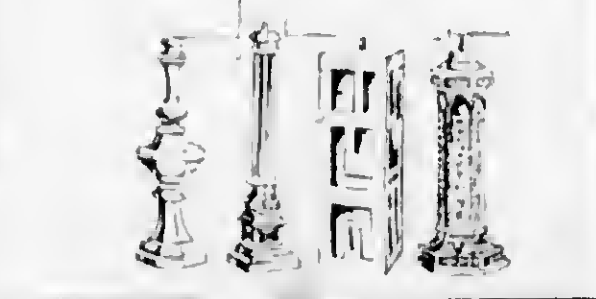
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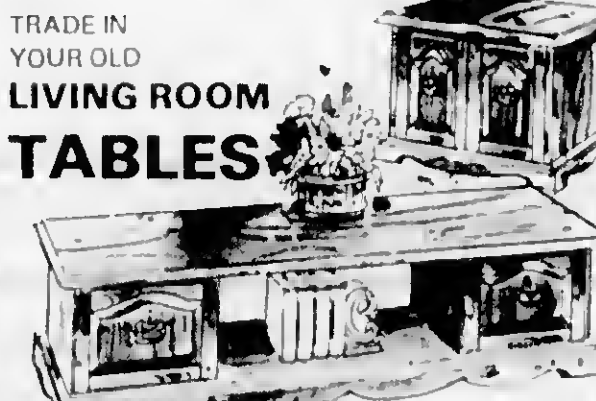
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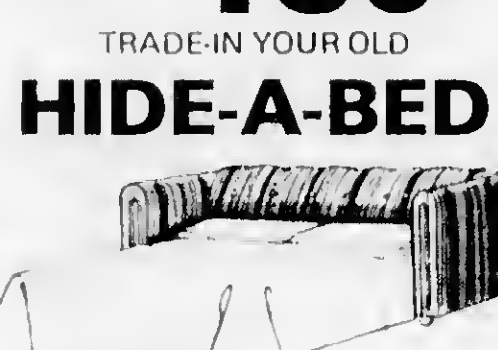
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accepted for the Charlevoix area program. Preschool children, ages 3 and 4, second, fifth and eighth graders who live outside the city or children who have recently moved to Charlevoix from an

area without fluoride water are urged to enroll in the program. Fluoride treatments are a painless, inexpensive method of protecting children's teeth, according to the organizers of the program. After completing the treatment, studies have shown tooth decay is reduced as much as 40 percent.

The clinic, held by the Michigan Department of Public Health, is slated for June. It will consist of four visits where the children's teeth are cleaned and a fluoride solution is applied to the teeth at a cost of \$5.

Applications for the clinic can be obtained at the local school offices, or by contacting Sandy White, 347-5669, or Cheryl Hoffman, 347-4578. The applications should be returned as soon as possible due to the limited number of openings. Scheduling of the clinic dates will begin shortly.

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COUNCIL MINUTES

APRIL 4, 1977
8:00 p.m.

The Common Council of the City of Charlevoix met on the above date and time with Mayor Hansen presiding. Aldermen present: Whitley, Wallace, Morris, and Plumm, Absent: Aldermen Wood and Erber.

The Minutes of the March 21, 1977 regular meeting were approved as presented in writing and as recorded in the Council Minutes Book.

Enter Alderman Wood. Mrs. Sharon Oestreik appeared before Council in regard to a small building being erected on the Gordon Neff property adjacent to the Oestreik property. Mr. Neff had originally applied for a 6 foot variance at his property for a 9'x12' addition to his home to construct a workshop in which to make bird carvings which he supplies to gift shops. Mr. Neff abandoned the proposed addition and had received a building permit and started work on a separate storage shed. Mrs. Oestreik contends the proposed storage shed will be used as the workshop and objects to the building being used for this purpose on the grounds that it will be a highly flammable operation. Council informed Mrs. Oestreik the building is in violation of the Zoning Ordinance and that Mr. Neff would be advised to stop work on the building until he has the proper variance.

The following Resolution was ordered and moved for its adoption by Alderman Plumm, supported by Alderman Wood.

RESOLUTION 77-4-1
WHEREAS the City of Charlevoix deems it necessary and expedient that the wages of employees of the City who are not covered by a Union Contract be brought up in parity with the bargaining unit employees.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that wages of the non-union employees be raised in the amount of 39 cents per hour, effective beginning the 1977-78 fiscal year.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the City Clerk salary be set at \$11,122 per year, and \$10 per meeting for clerking at meetings of the Council. The City Treasurer's salary shall be set at \$10,143 per year.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that to clarify the per diem for members of the Council that meetings out of town over 25 miles away shall be \$30 per day.

Resolution was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yea's: Aldermen Wood, Whitley, Wallace, Morris, and Plumm. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Erber.

Motion was offered by Alderman Morris and supported by Alderman Wood to approve the site plan submitted by Captain's Corners at M-46 and Slocum Road subject to the City Utility Ordinance with sewer extension under Plan B whereby sewer facilities would be constructed by Captain's Corner, developer Weatherford / Walker, and easements will be drawn up by the City Attorney reverting ownership to sewage lines to the City. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yea's: Aldermen Wood, Morris, and Plumm. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Erber.

Motion was offered by Alderman Morris and supported by Alderman Plumm to approve the site plan for a Foto-Fast booth to be located at Puff's Appliance parking lot. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yea's: Aldermen Wood, Morris, and Plumm. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Erber.

Motion was offered by Alderman Wallace and supported by Alderman Morris to approve the site plan submitted by the First State Bank for a canopy addition. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yea's: Aldermen Wood, Whitley, Wallace, Morris, and Plumm. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Erber.

Motion was offered by Alderman Wood and supported by Alderman Wallace to accept the resignation of Charles A. Pease, City Assessor. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yea's: Aldermen Wood, Whitley, Wallace, Morris, and Plumm. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Erber.

Charles Clifford, Cemetery Sexton, appeared before Council to explain the proposed changes in cemetery rules and rates. The following Resolution was offered and moved for its adoption by Alderman Wallace, supported by Alderman Wood.

RESOLUTION 77-4-2
BE IT RESOLVED, that the following prices for lots, plots

and burials be effective as of May 1, 1977.
NOTE: Prices of lots, plots and burials for residents of the City of Charlevoix are listed below.
Prices for non-residents for lots and plots are double.

Riverbank lots	Five burial	\$600.00
Riverbank plots	Single burial	140.00
All other lots	Five burial	350.00
All other plots	Single burial	80.00
Baby Plot	Single burial	25.00
Baby grave opening	0-2 years	30.00
Adult grave opening	2-10 years	50.00
Removal and reburial		75.00
Cremations		125.00
Weekends, Holidays and burials after 4 p.m.		Double

Winter burials Dec. 15 to April 1 with full set-up Double
The Chapel storage for other cemeteries 25.00

The City defines a resident as a qualified voter or any person whose usual place of residence is in the City and who is qualified to vote if age was eliminated from qualification requirements.

A request will be made to the Sexton at least 24 hours before any grave will be opened.

Burial lots, plots, grave openings and foundation work shall be paid for within 120 days of purchase contract, or remaining plots will be reclaimed by the City and resold. Foundations and markers will be removed until payment is made.

One urn for each plot will be allowed on each grave. Urns and flower pots shall be maintained by owner. It shall be mandatory that all burials be in cement boxes or vaults.

Prices for foundations shall be \$50.00 for monuments; \$30.00 for a double marker; and \$20.00 for a single marker. Markers with base foundations, are \$10.00 additional. All foundations are required to have a washbase of not less than 3' around them.

Dead or dying trees, bushes or other plants shall be removed from the cemetery at the discretion of the Sexton. Privately owned vehicles will not be allowed on grassed areas.

Any request for permanent shrubbery to be planted or removed, monuments or markers be moved or straightened or installed, must be made to the Cemetery Sexton at which time he shall set the price and see to collection.

All transfers must be done through the City Clerk's office at the charge of \$1.00 per Deed Transfer.

Lot owners wishing to sell lots back to the City shall be paid at the rate of \$100.00 per burial plot; the City to determine and purchase only the plots that would be considered resalable.

No ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS are allowed on Cemetery. Only Rush-type markers, (including United States Armed Forces) may be used in all areas being open and will not be strictly enforced.

Resolution was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yea's: Aldermen Wood, Whitley, Wallace, Morris, and Plumm. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Erber.

Mrs. June Cross appeared before Council to request dock space for a 46 foot yacht to be given to the Charlevoix Hospital by Mrs. D. D. Walker if the hospital does not sell the yacht before the space where it is presently moored is no longer available. Council agreed that some arrangement would be made if it should be necessary.

Council discussed proposed Covenants, Conditions, and Restrictions, as drawn up by the City Attorney, to be placed on the Beaver Island Boat Company in regard to the proposed exchange of City-owned waterfront property for the old Erber Auto Building on Clinton Street. Any action on this matter was delayed until the matter can be discussed with representatives of the Boat Company and Council members can better determine the will of the public on relinquishing ownership of the waterfront property.

The Finance Committee having examined bills totaling \$15,925.20 find them correct and recommended the bills be allowed. Moved by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Wood that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for their amounts. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay votes. Yea's: Aldermen Wood, Whitley, Wallace, Morris, and Plumm. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Erber.

Council adjourned.

Judy D. Przybylski, City Clerk.



Mr. and Mrs. Michael Walker

Julie Franklin, Michael Walker Wed

Julia Franklin and Michael Walker were united in marriage Saturday at the home of the bride's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Julius W. Gilbert, 510 Michigan Ave., on the occasion of their anniversary. Parents of the bride are Mrs. Scott Grove of Grand Rapids, and Mr. Glen Gilbert, Chicago, Ill. Mrs. N.

Walker of Sarasota, Fla., is the mother of the groom. Rev. Raymond H. Giffin of the Congregational Church performed the double ring rites before the fireplace banked with white star chrysanthemums. Guitar music highlighted the wedding.

The bride chose a white quana gown with embroidered see-through lace, finger tip length veil and a Juliet crown embroidered with seed pearls. She carried a corsage of white roses with blue peck-a-bow bows.

Wendy Alpert served as maid of honor and Russell Bolt was best man.

The wedding was followed by a dinner, catered by Mary Dillen in the Gilbert home. The buffet table was decorated with a mixed spring garden bouquet of pussywillow, heather, tulips, daffodils and iris.

Out of town guests included Jay Gilbert, uncle of the bride, and Curtis and Vicci Gilbert, cousins of the bride, from Webster, N.Y., Mr. and Mrs. Glen Franklin and Leigh Franklin of Chicago, Ill., and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond A. Shaw, Toledo, Ohio.

Band Unit To Hold Dinner
The Charlevoix Band Boosters will sponsor a chicken dinner at the high school cafeteria Friday, Mrs. Vincent Ouchi, co-chairman with David Julieret, has announced.

Dinner, which will feature a half chicken salad, cole slaw, breads and a choice of dessert and beverage will be served from 5 until 7:30 p.m.

Tickets which can be purchased at the rate of \$3.00 for adults; \$2.50, senior citizens; children under 12 years, \$1.50 and \$1.00 for a family.

Among those assisting as vice chairmen are Mrs. Ouchi and Johnson who will be in charge of the dining room; Mrs. Julieret, desserts; Mrs. Neil Jones and Mrs. Louise Johnson, tickets.

Kathy Messner Marries Robert Schofield

Arrangements of white daisies and yellow mums were the altar of the First Congregational Church Saturday, April 2, for the wedding of Kathy G. Messner and Robert W. Schofield.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Bill R. Messner of Canineville and Mrs. Harold Dutcher of Charlevoix and Herbert B. Schofield of Petoskey.

The Rev. Raymond Giffin officiated at the double ring service in the presence of 200 guests.

The bride, given in marriage by her parents, chose a full length gown of ivory tulle for her wedding. Fashioned with a sweetheart bodice, the gown had long sleeves, an A-line skirt and a matching hooded cape. Her bridal bouquet was of white gardenias, ranunculus, baby's breath and ivy.

Mrs. William Dawson of Rockford, as her sister's only attendant, wore a midnight blue quana gown similar to the bride's and carried a bouquet of spring flowers. Willard Martineau assisted the bridegroom as best man. Gary Moore, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, and Jeffrey Messner of Kalamazoo, brother of the bride, seated the guests.

Mrs. Messner chose a butterscotch knit suit and matching accessories for her daughter's wedding. Mr. Dutcher, mother of the bridegroom, wore a navy knit suit and matching accessories.

A reception followed at the Charlevoix Yacht Club. Mrs. Gary Moore, sister of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Jeffrey Messner of Kalamazoo, sister-in-law of the bride, served the wedding cake. Mrs. James McKinney and Mrs. Kenneth Wojan, sisters of the bridegroom, were in charge of the gifts and Mrs. Willard Martineau tended the guest book.

The couple will make their home in Charlevoix. The bride is a Special Education teacher in the Petoskey Schools. The bridegroom is employed at the Irish Boat Shop here.

A rehearsal dinner at the Elks Club in Petoskey was hosted by the bridegroom's father, H.B. Schofield, Friday evening.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schofield

Art Fair Scholarship Open to Aspiring Artists

Applications are now available for the Waterfront Art Fair Scholarship. Connie Poitner, chairman of the Scholarship Committee, has announced.

The scholarship is available to any aspiring young artist in the Charlevoix area. Mrs. Poitner said the committee will make its decision by June 1.

Scholarship applicants must submit written statements to the committee outlining their plans for academic studies or the pursuit of a career in art and a portfolio.

The portfolio must include seven items of original works of art by the applicant, no larger than 16 by 20 inches properly matted. The portfolio also may contain no more than three color photographs slides depicting works of art too large for submission.

Last year's winners were Dan Tollas and Laurie Bolt. Dan received \$500 scholarships. In addition to the scholarship, winners are given the chance to exhibit in the Waterfront Art Fair.

For more information contact Mrs. Poitner, 401 Michigan Ave., Charlevoix, 547-2874.

Puts Bite on Fast Food

Day of Deli Dawns

Across the land, the day of the deli has dawned. "No longer is the delicatessen an overrated oasis found only in the big cities of America, specifically in neighborhoods with a Jewish heritage."

Today the delicatessen is crowding in on the territory of the fast-food franchise, where the cheeseburger with everything, pancakes and ketchup syrup, and the fried chicken finger feast have tried to stave off the nation's taste buds.

Nobody knows how many delis there are in the United States, except that there are never enough for the wandering deli hot pastriani, garlic bagels, chopped chicken livers, Polish salami, kosher dills, cheesecake, pickled herring, potato salad, lox, cream cheese, and Russian dressing.

Nostalgic Heartburn
The heartburn of nostalgia for good delicatessens may be increasingly harder to work up as these unique eateries multiply around the country, sometimes with such regional accents as the ethnic fare as George grits, Texas chili, and California egg rolls.

One man's downtown delicatessen may be another's mere cold cuts counter in the suburban supermarket. But whatever, the essential eye-appealing edibles are usually abounding from low calorie counts and low cholesterol levels. So are the customers.

According to New York newspaper Israel Shinker: "A persistent legend has it that Columbus was a Jew-and a persistent joke is that he never settled in the New World simply because he could not find a Jewish delicatessen here." Times have changed, Jews were among America's earliest settlers, but the great waves of immigrants from Russia, Romania, Poland, and Austria-Hungary in the 35 to 40 years before the first World War brought the food tastes that soon were flowering in the tiny ethnic groceries of Eastern U.S. cities.

These delicatessens soon developed their own flavor, markedly different from the various sausage shops of the Old World.

Big Bite of Heaven
The American delicatessen became renowned not only for its savory delicacies to take home, but as a place to feast the eye and delight the nose-and to stretch the mouth, perhaps around a three-necked hot pastriani on pumpernickel stuffed with sauerkraut and dripping with

LAST WEEK'S answer



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GUYS AND GALS LEAGUE		W	L
April 3, 1977			
End of Second Half			
Kay, Dave Ball	22	6	
Carol, Irvin Barry	21	7	
Nancy, Chuck Mathers	18	10	
Cooley, Bob Barth	17	11	
Paulette, Joe Throp	17	11	
Mary, Pete Winnick	15	13	
Barry, Jerry Shapiro	15	13	
Marvin, John Swanson	13	15	
Laurita, Ed Swanson	13	15	
Susan, Brad Kripe	12	16	
Joan, Stan Fredrick	12	16	
Rosemary, Ed Conradi	12	16	
Joan, Joe Stuteman	11	17	
Estel, Bob Livingston	11	17	
Bruce, Len Gaspich	10	18	
Detra, Gabe Vernon	5	23	

TEAM HIGH SERIES		W	L
April 3, 1977			
End of Second Half			
Susan, Brad Kripe	967		
Marvin, John Swanson	962		
Kay, Dave Ball	952		
Joan, Stan Fredrick	362		
Carol, Irvin Barry	348		
Marvin, John Swanson	343		

INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES		W	L
April 3, 1977			
End of Second Half			
John Swanson	428		
Bob Barth	409		
Brad Kripe, Dave Ball	404		
Susan Kripe	454		
Kay Ball	429		
Carol Barry	478		

INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES		W	L
April 3, 1977			
End of Second Half			
John Swanson	211		
Susan Fredrick	186		
Irvin Barry	181		
Paulette Throp	190		
Nancy Mathers	178		
Susan Kripe, Marvin Swanson	177		

SENIOR LEAGUE		W	L
April 4, 1977			
End of Second Half			
Paul Bunyan Lanes	35%	15%	
Puffs	32%	19%	
Town House	30	22	
State-Wide Realty	28	24	
Charley's Potters	26	24	
Burns	27	25	
Cornell Drugs	26	25%	

SPORTSMAN LEAGUE		W	L
April 7, 1977			
End of Second Half			
Edwards IGA	339	22	
Birdies Beauty Shop	335	26	
Dillon's Food Store	303	26	
Musica Cement	297	26	
Cinema 11	284	26	
Ron's Transmission	282	26	
Louise's Beauty Shop	287	26	
Cos Fishers	283	27	
Sally's Grocery Store	279	28	
American Maid	275	28	
Lake Construction	274	28	
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Don Wells	545 197 188
Harvey Broadway	544 703
Howard Struthers	539 210
Dale Meredith	530 190 192
Bob Bergman	528 175 176 177
Less Lughbell	261 73 90 98

TUESDAY NIGHT LADIES
April 5, 1977

Cancer Society Seeks Help in Reaching Goal

In 1977, more than 600,000 people will discover they have cancer.

The knowledge that they have this dreaded disease will be a frightening and unsettling experience for them and many will not know where to turn for help in obtaining special hospital equipment or financial assistance for purchasing expensive drugs. Help is available to cancer victims in this country through the Charlevoix County Unit of the American Cancer Society. Last year more than 22 people received help in paying for drugs to treat their diseases and numerous others took advantage of the hospital beds and wheelchairs available from the loan closet run jointly by the cancer society and the Easter Seal Society, according to Patty Muma,

chairman of the Cancer Crusade. "Each year after our Crusade, we try to buy something new for the loan closet," Mrs. Muma explained. "Last year we bought another wheelchair and a hospital bed."

The cancer society helps residents of Charlevoix County who are healthy, too. Four nursing students are awarded a three-year renewable scholarship each year.

Also through the public education committee, the cancer society makes films and pamphlets available to any organization or school that is interested in learning more about the topic. Mrs. Muma said residents interested in help or information should contact her.

She also added that now the cancer society needs the help of county residents. The kickoff for the Cancer Crusade, a door-to-door drive for funds, will be at 1 p.m. Tuesday, April 19, at the Grey Gables. "Our goal is \$13,000," Mrs. Muma said. "For the last five years we have collected about \$9,000 from our door-to-door campaign. This year we are going to try some new events to raise the rest of the money."

A bake sale will be held April 29 and 30 at Oleson's. Also at Oleson's will be a drawing for \$100 worth of groceries. Tickets for the drawing will be sold May 6 and 7 at the grocery store. On May 13, a drawing will be held for a 13 inch color television set at the First State Bank. Tickets for this drawing will be sold for the next four weeks and may be obtained from Mrs. Muma, at the First State Bank, Muma's Sunoco and Helene's Beauty Shop.

The students have not been forgotten by the cancer society, either. Each student will receive an Iron-on T-shirt decal from the "Send a Mouse to College" program. The cost of research mice has been hit by inflation and students are being asked to donate money toward purchasing more research mice for college studies.

More than 375 residents in the county have volunteered their time to support the cancer society drive," Mrs. Muma said. "We all have to work together to reach our goal," she added. "We need everyone's help."



AREA STUDENTS will receive T-shirt iron-on decals from the Charlevoix County Unit of the American Cancer Society during the Cancer Crusade. Students are being asked to help send mice to college for research purposes. Here Phillip Muma poses with one of the decals on his T-shirt.

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Don't Spill the Beans, But...

Charlevoix Namesake Being Phased Out

By PAULA HOLMES
It may sound like a hill of beans to you, but Charlevoix County is losing one of its namesakes.

The Charlevoix red kidney bean is in peril of being phased out of production in favor of a harder bean called Montcalm, according to Frank Sneathen, the only producer of Charlevoix bean seeds in the county.

"The Charlevoix bean is being replaced by the Montcalm bean among growers because it is more blight resistant," Sneathen explained. "If the canneries like the Montcalm bean better, too, then they'll eventually do away with the Charlevoix bean completely."

Sneathen, who grows foundation and certified Charlevoix bean seeds, is not only the last farmer to be growing the bean in the county, but he was also one of the first. About 12 years ago, Sneathen was approached by County Extension Agent Ed Hehrman to experiment with a new variety of kidney bean produced by Michigan State University agricultural scientists.

"MSU had this new variety of dark red kidney bean and they needed a place to try it out," Hehrman recalled. "They got it in the bean. Since the bean seed grew so well in this area it came to be called the Charlevoix kidney bean. And that's how Charlevoix is going to lose its namesake bean."

"Plant breeders are continually working to improve their products and to make them more resistant to disease," Hehrman explained. "It's just natural that one would be phased out as another harder bean is discovered."

Sneathen said that when the Charlevoix bean was first introduced it was one of the most blight-resistant kidney beans around. He said as a seed grower he had very good luck with the bean.

His seeds were then sent to farmers in the Alpena-Rogers City area where the Charlevoix kidney beans were grown to sell for commercial use by canneries.

"I can remember years when we had up to 50 semi-trailers of Charlevoix red kidney beans going out from the Northern Michigan Bean Growers Association offices in that area," Sneathen said. But in recent years with the blight and the drought, bean growing has faded as well in the county. Hehrman said that mutations of the blight virus are now attacking the once resistant Charlevoix bean and plant breeders have come up with the more blight-resistant Montcalm bean.



FRANK SNEATHEN holds a handful of the Charlevoix kidney beans he raised last year. The Charlevoix bean is being phased out in favor of the harder Montcalm kidney bean.

Board Approves Pay Hikes

The Charlevoix Board of Education had a change of heart Monday regarding administrators' contracts and salaries.

By a four to two vote the Board approved a one-year extension on present contracts and a salary increase for the 1977-78 school year. After earlier turning increases down, the board approved the extension of the contracts of the three principals, one assistant principal and the business manager for one year with salary increases of 5 percent.

Max Novak, chairman of the board who had objected to the extension of the contract because the school district will be hiring a new superintendent, again voiced his objection and, with Claire Martin, voted nay on the issues. Charles Elzinga, Ardet Wieland, Kenneth Boss and Robert Cook cast yes votes. Don Brown had left the meeting earlier because of illness.

In other action, the board approved bids for a school bus chassis and body. The bid of Zamboni Equipment Inc., of Elmira, being the lowest bid, was accepted. The bid was in the amount of \$9,149 for an International with a 392 engine, 2-speed axle and fiberglass hood. Other bids were submitted by Fochtmann Chevrolet-Buick, \$9,428; Erber Auto, \$11,135 and Bryce Barnes, Inc., \$10,414.

At the same time, a bid of \$8,600 for a bluebird body submitted by the Great Lakes Coach Sales Co. was accepted. This bid, while being the highest, was accepted because it is the only body that will fit the existing hoist garage area at the bus garage. The school district presently has three other buses with Blue Bird bodies. The Carpenter, Superior and Thomas bus bodies are too long for existing facilities and Ward and Wayne bodies were rejected for other reasons. The bids ranged from \$7,626 to \$8,600.

The board voted to request a renewal of the operating millage for the Charlevoix Public Library in the amount of 5 1/4 mills for five years. The present millage for this purpose which expires this year is 5 mill; however, only

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Senate Committee Considering Bill To Lower PBB Level

By PEG OHLIE
The four-year-old drama concerning the contamination of Michigan farm animals with polybrominated biphenyl (PBB) is now being played in the courts and in the State Legislature.

The House has passed a bill requiring the Director of the Department of Agriculture to take reasonable steps to identify and locate livestock or poultry which is contaminated with more than .02 parts per million of PBB as determined by chemical analysis of fat tissue samples.

A similar bill is now in the Senate Committee on Agriculture and Consumer Affairs. The Senate has held one public hearing on the bill and another one is scheduled for 10 a.m. this Thursday in the Law Building Auditorium in Lansing.

The Federal Department of Agriculture presently allows up to 3 parts of PBB per million in food products, but proponents of the bill say this is an arbitrary guide based on what is known to date of a similar chemical and very harmful substance called PCB (polychlorinated biphenyl).

They believe that chances should not be taken with the public health when it is possible that small amounts of PBB could prove to be harmful in the long run.

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P.S.

I am just reading that they are raising the Ferry rates again to .75 cents a crossing. I wonder if it's possible to have the ferry records made a public record in the paper. Have them publish them. It sounds like there is a lot of mismanagement somehow. If they're coming off with a deficit the size they state, I just cannot understand that an attraction like this would lose money. It attracts a lot of people in the area on vacation to make the crossing, since it's rather unique. So how can it be operating so in the red?

WEATHER

The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Stations and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant:

Date	High	Low	Precipitation
April 12	39	29	0
April 13	37	25	0
April 14	40	36	.08
April 15	38	40	0
April 16	41	43	.03
April 17	40	50	0

Residents with anything to say about the proposed trade of the municipal dock on Round Lake for the former Erber garage on Clinton, should circle Monday, May 9, on their calendars.

That's the day Mayor Edward P. Hansen has called for a public hearing on the swap at 8 p.m. in council chambers.

Hansen said the trade suggested by the Heaver Island Boat Co. which has leased space at the city dock as long as anyone can remember. However, he said the company anticipates buying a third vessel and would like to nail down a Charlevoix landing site for all time to come before it does.

The mayor said ownership of the property would make the boat company less vulnerable to a competitive "skinning operation", and would put the property on the tax rolls.

Furthermore, Hansen said the city could make good use of the Erber garage for storage and as public safety building.

Area Population Stops Getting Younger

The Charlevoix County population has been undergoing a change in the last few years. It has stopped getting younger.

Back in 1960, for every person in the area who was older than 30.2 years, there was one who was younger.

This was the median age locally, as determined by the 1960 Census.

Also, it was found, the median age was moving downward, year by year, which meant that the population as a whole was getting younger. It continued in that direction until 1971, when it reached its lowest point, 27.8 years.

From then on, the age level has been on the rise. According to the latest figures from the Department of Commerce, the median age in Charlevoix County is now approximately 28.6 years.

217 children in her lifetime, down from 2.4 in 1970.

The Population Reference Bureau attributes this, in part, "to a realization by younger married couples that rearing children in this complicated and expensive world present big problems."

The general effect of the lower birth rate shows up in the Census Bureau's so-called "fertility ratio," which refers to the number of children under age five per 1,000 women of child-bearing age.

In Charlevoix County, in 1960, this ratio was 561. It is now estimated at 385.

Compared with many sections of the country, some of which have a ratio of no more than 100, the local figure continues to be relatively high. Elsewhere in the United States, the average is 337. It is 350 in the State of Michigan.

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22 OZ. WT. PKG.

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600 Students Compete at Area Industrial Arts Fair



JEFF LUTZ of Charlevoix High School, poses with the motorcycle trailer he made to enter in the Industrial Arts Fair. Lutz took a regional first place for his efforts.

Charlevoix Middle and High School students entered in the annual Industrial Arts Fair here Friday, captured more than 30 ribbons including 16 blue ribbons, James Jinsky, fair host has announced.

There were also 14 second, 22 thirds and 29 honorable mentions in the high school. There was one first, two seconds, four thirds and 11 honorable mentions.

More than 600 entries from 27 schools in Regions 14 and 15 that encompasses 17 northern Michigan counties were entered in the show sponsored by the Michigan Industrial Arts Society. First and second place winners are eligible for state competition at Saginaw

Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

There were exhibits in 12 categories. They ranged from the simplest of drawings by middle school students to various exhibits that were of near-professional standards.

Charlevoix students, the categories in which they were entered and how they fared follows: Letters A, B, C and D designate the level. A, 7 & 8 grades; B, 9-10; C, 11-12; less than eight hours per week and D-students receiving more than eight hours per week instruction: AD-B: Steve Melke, two-level home; 1st; Bob Hanger, one story home; 2nd; AD-C: Dale Wimmer, ranch house 1st; Gary Stebe.

MS-3C: MacLachlan Shop; Gary Charlevoix, pin punches; 1M: David Bowman, layout punch; 3rd; MS-3B, Brian Wimmer, depth gauge; 2nd; MS-2C: David Sonnenberg, meat tenderizer; 1st; Charlevoix Middle School; Tom Morrison, Bob Plumb, See Fair page 2.

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Community Calendar

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Tuesday, April 19
Charlevoix high school girls track team will open its season at Rogers City 4 p.m.

Charlevoix Rayder track team will open its season at Cheboygan 4 p.m.

American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Women's Club will meet at the LaCrosse Condominium for its annual meeting and election of officers 1 p.m.

Men's Prayer meeting, 7 a.m., Community Church of God.

Wednesday, April 20
Charlevoix Lodge No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet at the Masonic Temple 8 p.m.

William Renis, District Supervisor for Michigan Tax Commission will be the speaker at the meeting called for the purpose of discussing the State Tax Tribunal. County commissioners, township assessors and others interested in taxes are asked

to attend. 7:30 p.m. Court room at the County Building.

TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towles, Loeb Rd. 6 p.m.

Thursday, April 21
Charlevoix Rayder Tennis Team will host Boyne City here at municipal courts 4 p.m.

Charlevoix Senior Citizens potluck dinner 6 p.m. Charlevoix high school cafeteria. Program: Forrest Fowler will make a slide

presentation on the Canadian Rockies.

Big Brothers-Big Sisters will meet at 215 1/2 Bridge St. 7:30 p.m.

V.F.W. Auxiliary will meet at the post home 8 p.m.

United Methodist Youth Group will sponsor a pancake supper at the church dining room 4:30 - 7 p.m.

Friday, April 22
Tennis, Grayling here at Municipal courts 4 p.m.

Al-Anon Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal Church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 437-2145.

April 21, 22, 23
Michigan Industrial Education Awards Program

Monday, April 25
Public hearing at the Charlevoix high school gymnasium to discuss proposed acquisition of property on M-66 as a possible site for a high school 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix County Chapter, Michigan Township Association, will meet at Northern Michigan Cooperative building, Division ave., Boyne City, 7:30 p.m.

Wednesday, April 27
Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at the county building annex 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, April 28
Charlevoix girls track team will host a triangular meet at Kipke Field, 4 p.m., with Gaylord and Grayling.

Charlevoix Rayder track team will be at Gaylord 4 p.m.

St. Mary's School Board will meet at the school 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Rebekah Lodge No. 293 will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.

Men's Prayer meeting, 7 a.m., Community Church of God.

Wednesday, April 27
Charlevoix County Humane Society will meet at the community room, Charlevoix City Hall 7:30 p.m.

Tennis: Alpena here at municipal courts 4 p.m.

Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at the club hangar track room 8 p.m.

Round Lake Lodge No. 283, I.O.O.F., will meet at the American Legion post home 8 p.m.

TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towles, Loeb Rd. 6 p.m.

Charlevoix Slo-pitch association will meet at the office of the city recreation director, city hall 7:30 p.m.

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Commissioners Get Report on Grandvue Activities

Richard Tilden, director of the Charlevoix County Department of Social Services, presented the operating statement of the Grandvue Medical Care Facility and the financial report for 1976 for the Department of Social Services at the Tuesday meeting of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners.

The revenues received during 1976 for the operation of the Grandvue Medical Care Facility totaled \$724,696 from such sources as Medicare, Medicaid and from private patients.

Expenditures came to \$744,038 which includes the expenses of the entire operation, from administration, patient care, food, housekeeping and other related expenses. This leaves a net operating cost of \$19,432 which is paid by the county.

The cost per diem is \$28.27 and the net cost to the county is 75 cents per day.

The financial report for the Department of Social Services showed a balance on hand of \$23,201 on Dec. 31, 1976. Total funds available for the year totaled \$862,566 and expenditures \$839,305, included in these figures are the operation of the Grandvue Medical Care Facility.

The lifestyle of Charlevoix County residents is at a relatively high level, judging from their mounting acquisition of major household appliances and other expensive equipment.

With the exception of the last few years, a period marked by recession, high inflation and unemployment, which caused consumers to reduce their spending for non-essentials, local families have been adding to their possessions with each passing year.

Their purchases of stereos, air conditioners, dishwashers, color TV sets, food freezers, cars and other high-cost articles have been on a steady

increase since 1969.

What made such expenditures possible was the income gains chalked up by most families in the area.

The rate at which they have been adding to their ownership of automobiles and appliances is calculated from data compiled by the Department of Commerce and others.

With regard to home freights, for example, the figures indicate that approximately 47 percent of the households in Charlevoix County now have them. In 1960 they were to be found in only 30 percent of the homes.

Air conditioners, also, are in much more general use

locally. About 24 percent of the housing units in the area are equipped with them, as compared with 2 percent previously.

Similarly, many more local homes have color TV sets. Over 35 percent of them now do, as against 88 percent formerly.

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Editorials/Opinions

City Council Should Look At Land Deal

Beaver Island Boat Company's proposal to swap land in downtown Charlevoix for permanent ownership of the docks it now uses deserves serious consideration.

At a recent city council meeting, the local boat firm proposed that it trade its garage on Mason Street for a deed from the city to the land where it currently docks its boats in Round Lake.

Mayor Edward Hansen said the company is planning to expand its business by adding a third boat and that it wanted something more than a 20-year lease to the docking facilities.

Council members have apparently fallen into two camps over the issue. Most of the members feel the swap would benefit both the city and the boat company. Some of the other members indicate it is not a good idea for the city to give up any property it owns on the waterfront.

Strongest in their support of the move have been Aldermen Joe Morris and Jeannine Wallace.

Both have indicated they couldn't see any better use for the property than what the city has right now with the boat company. Both have been quick to point out that everyone in the city benefits from having the boat company in Charlevoix.

Supporting both Morris and Wallace's feelings is the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, who at a recent meeting endorsed the proposed swap pending approval of the entire board of directors.

Chamber directors indicated concern over the boat company's attempt to add boat service from Petoskey to the island. They said the additional service could possibly affect the business now in Charlevoix.

Other retailers have said the traffic brought into Charlevoix by the Beaver Island Boat Company has been a boon to their businesses.

City Administrator Allen Sandberg said the boat company is planning to expand its services and wants something a little more definite than the current lease it has for

the waterfront property.

"The swap matches up with the city's need for additional parking space and room for its public safety vehicles," Sandberg explained in a recent interview.

Although many are supporting the move there is some justification for moving cautiously in making such a transaction.

Alderman Ray Wood argued that the same thing could be accomplished if the city would extend the lease to the property for the boat company guaranteeing that it could dock there. Then he said the city could agree to purchase the boat company garage with yearly payments the same as the rent the city would be receiving from the boat company for the dock space.

After watching the Alice Street controversy evolve last year, we can anticipate that this type of swap will probably become an emotional issue.

During the many heated debates, many residents indicated the city had too little access to Round Lake to be giving away or selling any of the property it now has.

While this is a valid concern, we suggest the city council also look at the long range benefits of having the Beaver Island port in Charlevoix as well as the additional downtown parking it could receive from the swap.

The proposed land swap is an issue that we feel deserves serious consideration by the Charlevoix City Council for the future of the city.



Clockwise

by Bob Clock

Suddenly last Tuesday night there was no more to do.

After two years of trudging down to the city hall once a week to argue the merits of the ward system and sort out the differences between licenses and franchises, the work of the Charlevoix Charter Commission appears about over.

And if you had told me two years ago that our task would continue into the spring of 1977, I wouldn't have believed you. Why there's nothing to be done here, the city charter! All the groundwork has been done by other cities over the years. There are even model city charters to choose from. All you have to do is collect a lot of charters and take the best from each.

The problem, of course, is that Charlevoix isn't just any city. It is located on one of the most attractive pieces of real estate in North America. And down like a yoyo, depending on the season, although it is located hundreds of miles from the closest metropolitan areas, the population by and large is more sophisticated, more urbanized, than the population of industrial cities to the south.

And all of this posed a heavy burden for the Charter Commission.

Take, for example, the ward system. When the nine of us—Richard Feichtman, Charles Duerr, Lawrence Feichtman, Ralph Shuler, Jay Oliver, Jeff Porter, John Schroeder, Don Landke and myself—were elected two years ago, I for one was convinced that the ward system had gotten a bad press through the years, thanks to the high-handed ward bosses of the big cities. Furthermore, as far as I could see, the ward had done more to divide the people of Charlevoix than it was worth as a tool in the election process. The division continues around the council table, where too often members are expected to think in terms of their own wards rather than the city as a whole in deciding questions that affect us all.

I wanted members of the city council elected at large and let the chips fall where they may. And I believe this feeling had wide support around the commission table.

Then slowly things began to change. One of our first visitors was Mayor Edward P. Hansen, a long-time student of city government. We asked him for

his views on the ward system. Hansen didn't exactly come out and say it was wrong to abolish the ward system, but he had nice things to say about wards as the basic units of city government. I think he used the words "grass roots." This is where it all begins. The ward is, in fact, where a fellow can feel at home.

So we took another look at wards and made it a point to attend ward conventions in Petoskey, one of the few cities in the Midwest that has really put the ward to work. Each convention, regardless of size, had the air of a town meeting about it. Councilmen were called upon to account for their actions during the past year; the city budget was discussed on an informal, neighborhood level; plans for the coming year were discussed. It was beautiful.

The Charter Commissioners returned to Charlevoix convinced that Ed Hansen was right. The ward had to be preserved, but it also had to be put to work.

So when you get your copy of Charlevoix's proposed city charter, turn to Section IV and learn about the ward conventions. They'll be held the second Monday of September every year. You'll get together with your friends and neighbors to sound out your councilmen on the job they have been doing. You'll be able to ask questions and pick fights, if you like.

Then you'll be asked to select two candidates to represent your ward in the November election. Only one will be elected for a two-year term—but we want to make sure there is a choice on every ballot.

The only major difference under the proposed ward system will be that candidates nominated by each ward will be elected by the city as a whole. I'll have a voice in who gets elected from the second and third wards, as well as from my own first ward. Charlevoix will have all of the advantages of the ward system, plus the advantages of at-large elections. Think about it. I don't think you'll find it anywhere else in America. Each ward will still have two voices on the council, but members will be elected by the city as a whole.

The system should induce each ward to put its best into the fray—not just the rubber-stampers or the "yes" men.

Letter to the editor

Garden Club Opposes City Land Swap

Dear Editor,

We, the interested members of the Charlevoix Garden Club, feel it is our duty to voice our opinions about the forthcoming issue of the "Land Swap" the Charlevoix City Council is now considering passing.

Many of your readers are interested people of the Charlevoix area and we feel this issue should be more prominently brought to their attention before it is too late.

How can the Mayor and some of the City Council members even consider selling water frontage on Round Lake of which we have so little? A city as beautiful as ours should not be lost to the future for a mercenary trade that doesn't please the majority of the citizens of Charlevoix.

The loss of quaintness and beauty over the past six or seven years has been washed on us by people who have come into this area to make dollars at our expense, leaving the ruins for us to live with forever. This

should be a lesson to the officials who represent us.

This is not to downgrade the Council, who are concerned citizens contributing their time to help us, but there are times when more concentrated forward thinking should be done by all of us and concerted effort made toward greater beautification and improvement of our city and not make gifts at the expense of the townspeople.

The Beaver Island Boat Company is and has been a part of us, as are the people of Beaver Island. Most of them are our neighbors, our friends and possibly relatives, not people uninterested in Charlevoix and here for a brief time.

Let's all put our thinking caps on, make forward strides to keep Charlevoix the Beautiful-AUTIFUL, so that our children can enjoy it as we have in the past and present.

Sincerely yours,
Charlevoix Garden Club

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After 6 P.M.



Erma Bombeck

My kids said the other day, "Mom, good news! We just signed you up for the intramural tennis team at the recreational center."

"I don't like to play tennis," I grumbled.

"Of course you do. Every red-blooded American mother likes to play tennis. Besides, it's good for you. You sit around and watch too much television and you don't get enough exercise."

"How often do I have to practice?"

"My goodness, that's no attitude," said my son. "Tennis is fun. You're going to love it. And you're going to win. And we're going to sit in the stands and root for you and who knows, you might even get your name in the paper. Would you like that?"

I shrugged and flipped channels. Practices were a drag. I went every afternoon to the center and played my heart out... running to strengthen my legs... hitting 50 million balls and dropping into bed each night exhausted.

One night as I was doing off, my son came in and put a rubber ball in my hand and said, "Keep squeezing. It's good for the old serving arm."

The first match was last week. My kids took me aside for last-minute instructions. "Okay now, Mom, just relax. This woman serves like she's swatting flies. Just watch her at the net. Don't let her draw you in. Hang back and keep it steady. Play your Evert game. Just keep slugging 'em in. Got that? Now, we don't want you to get uplight or anything but if you win, there's that water message shower you've had your eye on. Go get 'em."

The stands were full of vicious kids, all with their eyes on their own mothers, shouting instructions, calling the line judges names, and screaming, "That turkey foot-faulted. Didn't anyone see her?"

On the way home they tried to comfort me. "Hey, it's just a championship game where you either bring honor to your team or humiliate them. Don't sweat it. You almost gave your best. Of course in that second set, you stood there like you were waiting for a city bus..."

"And you could have gotten that corner shot if you'd had your racket back in time, but what the heck... Hey, your opponent had 30 pounds on you. We're just going to have to get you into better shape. We'll get it all together before next week's match. Besides, you had a wonderful time, didn't you?"

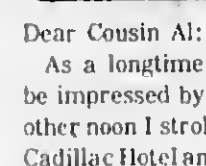
I woke up in a cold sweat. What a lousy dream. It was a dream, wasn't it? What am I saying? Of course it was. I mean, how many people push their mothers into organized sports?

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Rotary, City-style

If it Fitz

by Jim Fitzgerald



Jim Fitzgerald

Dear Cousin Al:

As a longtime Rotarian, you should be impressed by your city cousin. The other noon I strolled over to the Detroit Cadillac Hotel and made a speech to the Detroit Rotary Club.

How about that? I worked at the newspaper in Lapeer for 25 years and your Rotary Club never once asked me to talk. You had me as a guest listener a few times through the years, and every time I sat on a wet napkin.

Al, I'll bet you won't believe that Detroit Rotarians never play the wet-napkin trick. Several of them gave me a strange look when they saw me feeling the seat behind me before I sat down. How Lapeer Rotarians did paper napkins into their water glasses and then slip the soggy napkins under unsuspecting fannies, thus sending hundreds of businessmen back to work with wet pants.

The Detroit Rotarians got a big laugh out of that. They said they'd never heard of wet napkins and I said I was surprised to hear it. I said the next thing they'd probably try to tell me they didn't have a cow tied to a parking meter in front of the hotel. This got me another strange look.

I explained that Lapeer Rotary always raises funds by raffling a cow. I told them how you guys bring the cow downtown every day and make people buy tickets on if they don't want to be stampeded. I told them how the people who win the cow never know what to do with it. I said I'd give it back to Rotary and you guys have been raffling off the same cow every year for 20 years.

The big-city Rotarians laughed as hard about the cow as they did about the napkin. Al, they claimed they had never raffled off a cow, but I saw a couple of those slickers taking notes with their silver pencils. I would like to see a Rotary cow tied up at the entrance to our new Plaza Hotel which has dozens of saloons in it but not one spittoon.

You probably think I'm getting stuck up because I talked to Detroit Rotary but I said no when you asked me to talk at your Farm Bureau meeting. But I wasn't lying when I said it makes my stomach hurt to make speeches. Al, the thing is, my boss asked me to speak to the Rotarians and there are some things worse than a stomach ache. Such as unemployment.

But that's enough Rotary stuff. I want to tell you about somewhere else I went.

I took Pat to the Allie Theatre in Greektown. That was really something. You know me and actors. Al, I'd watch a show in a sewer. So I wasn't bothered when I discovered they don't call the theatre an attic just to lend some ersatz rustic charm, the way an Indian and call a chrome motel a dude ranch. The place really is an attic, two lights up.

There is no stage, just an open space on one side of the attic with around 99 funeral parlor chairs set in front of it. The room was decorated by a barn burner. I wasn't the only guy there wearing a tie, and the man next to me wasn't the only guy wearing pitails. I told Pat it would take some real magic to turn that attic into a theatre. And real magic is just what we got, Al. When the lights went out to talk at your Farm Bureau meeting. But I wasn't lying when I said it makes my stomach hurt to make speeches. Al, the thing is, my boss asked me to speak to the Rotarians and there are some things worse than a stomach ache. Such as unemployment.

The play is a proven winner — "The Effect of Gamma Rays on Man-in-the-Moon Marigolds." Joanne Woodward was in the movie, remember? You wouldn't recognize the names of the

Greektown stars, but you have got to see them, Al.

I know you didn't enjoy it a few weeks ago when I took you to the Fisher. You thought it was too ritzy, especially when the woman in front of us draped her fur coat over the back of her seat and you saw that the coat label was on upside down to make it easier for you to read how rich she was.

You won't be rich to death at the Allie, Al. In fact, when we entered the theatre, Stella was coming out. Remember, I wrote about her last December. Stella is the little Greek lady who wears corollas' stripes, sleeps in hallways at the police station, and screams a lot.

Stella was locked up a few days after I wrote about her, and several readers blamed me. So I was glad to see her back on the street again. She will never wear her stripes upside down so you can tell she is a corporal even when she's standing on her head.

That's all for now, Al. Just remember I walked to Greektown and I walked to Rotary. I've been in downtown Detroit for a year now and I haven't been mugged yet. I haven't even been mugged at by a Rotary cow.

—Your City Cousin

Meet Charlevoix

Ken Swan is an artist employed by the Char-Em Intermediate School District under the Comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA). Here he tells about some of his projects and what they mean to the community.

COURIER: How does it happen that a school district has a full-time artist?

SWAN: About two years ago, CETA, in cooperation with the State, started a

"Community Artists Program" to help schools save money. They hired artists to work with school districts to produce their own graphics, with the artists being paid by CETA funds.

COURIER: Besides costs, what are the advantages of school districts producing their own graphics?

SWAN: We can design programs that are specific to our students. For instance, as the result of a

speech survey made by Char-Em, we have designed a Speech Improvement Program which is used in all kindergartens in the district. It is a 15-page booklet featuring a sound-object correlation. Students often come out of kindergarten reading at the grade 2 level. It might have cost \$1,500 to purchase such a program. We produced it for under \$500. Another advantage is that we can design programs for

specifically handicapped children under our jurisdiction.

COURIER: What other kind of graphic work do you do for the school district?

SWAN: We design all communications for in-services; we design all graphics for class room use; we do portraits for all kinds of programs; we design materials for vocational and career education. One program is on "Shaping Hot Metals". We made several trips to the East Jordan Iron Works and sketched the process in their shops. The program is now being used in high school shop classes. Another thing we do is design such things as logos and insignia for public service organizations, for which the organization is billed by the Intermediate School District.

This gives handicapped children vocational training and provides physical therapy.

COURIER: We understand

you are doing some television work. What's that all about?

SWAN: Yes. We are producing some commercials for Columbia Broadcasting affiliates. It is a national project called "Project Childfind". Statistics show that one of 10 children has some kind of special need. "Project Childfind" is an effort to locate preschool children with symptoms.

There is a Watts number to call and a specialist will contact the parents. Locally, the commercials will be shown on TV 9, 10, 7, 4 and 6, 14.

COURIER: What kinds of special needs should people look for?

SWAN: Needs that have to do with physical impairments, mental retardation, problems with vision or hearing, delayed speech and language development, emotional impairment, and unusual social behavior.

COURIER: Why should these needs be detected early?

SWAN: Because special help now, before school, can mean the difference between treating an established handicap or preventing one.

COURIER: Do all the Intermediate School Districts in the state have similar

programs?

SWAN: No, when the project started there were 46 participating districts. There are only three left. Our graphics department has been mentioned in Michigan Manpower Magazine, recognizing us for our work in graphic design, for which we received an award.

COURIER: Do you consider yourself a graphic artist?

SWAN: I consider myself a children's artist. My top priority is helping children I believe that "one picture is worth a 1,000 words."

COURIER: Do you have an education in art?

SWAN: I studied at Central Michigan University for a short period of time but I am really self-taught.

COURIER: What did you do before you took this job?

SWAN: I made and sold my own works to several companies.

COURIER: Do you live in Charlevoix?

SWAN: Yes, my family — wife Carol, daughter Kimberly who is right and son three who is trouble — live at Windmill Farm. Carol is employed by Radio Station WVOY.



KEN SWAN, artist for the Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District, works on some of his projects.



DAVID WILKERSON, author of 'The Cross and the Switchblade'.



THIS CLOSER VIEW shows some of the things Artist Swan has in his works for the intermediate school district.

Age Affects Type of Job Youth Can Get

If you're a teenager getting ready to look for a job, did you know your age can affect what kinds of jobs you can get?

A free factbook from the Department of Labor spells out job limitations for 14 through 17-year-olds. For your free copy of "The Young Worker," just send a postcard to the Consumer Information

Center, Dept. 5345, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

If you're 14 or 15, you can do service jobs like pumping gas, bagging groceries, or bussing dishes — with these restrictions: You can't work more than 3 hours on a school day, or 18 hours in a school week. If it's a non-school day, you can only work 8 hours, and no more than 40 hours in a non-school week. And, you aren't allowed to work before 7 a.m. or after 7 p.m. except from June 1 to Labor Day — then the evening hours are extended till 9 p.m.

You might wonder what that means for paper boys or girls. That's a different story. You can deliver newspapers, net or perform in television, movies, radio, and theatrical productions, or work for your

parents in a nonfarm family business at any age.

When you're 16, you are eligible for any job except those the Secretary of Labor declares hazardous.

And when you're 18, you can be hired for any job at any time, for unlimited hours, whether or not the work is hazardous.

Most workers whose employment is covered under the Fair Labor Standards Act

must be paid at least minimum wage and in most cases — extra pay for overtime. Exceptions are full-time students and apprentices who may be paid less than the minimum under special certificates issued by the Department of Labor.

Farm jobs are different. A 14-year-old can be employed in any non-hazardous farm job outside of school hours. And a 16-year-old can be employed at

any time in any farm job, whether the work is hazardous or not.

"The Young Worker" (free) is one of over 200 selected Federal consumer publications listed in the Spring edition of the catalog, "Consumer Information." The catalog is published quarterly by the Consumer Information Center of the General Services Administration. You can get a free copy by sending a postcard to the Consumer Information Center, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

Safeguarding Computers Is A-Battle of Wits for Companies

If you see a man kissing a computer, it means nothing of the following: (a) he's a banker (b) you're bonded (c) he's happy, or (d) it's his job.

The last is correct.

In the escalating war of wits between crooks, spies, and security men, a Japanese company has produced a computer that registers lip prints. It won't work until the operator presses his or her lips against it, and then only if the kiss suits something in the computer's memory bank.

Most computers are more easily turned on, and that can cost money.

Thief and Espionage

Since computers only follow orders, crooked programmers can lead them astray. The electronics marvels have added and obeyed theft and espionage, fraud and extortion, and military and industrial espionage.

Authorities believe computer crime ranges as high as \$300 million a year. But that's just an estimate, since some computerized chicanery is undetectable. One man related to computerized a bank checking accounts programmed the computer to ignore overdrafts on his own account.

He spent regularly and deposited rarely, while the bank made good on his checks. Similarly, a man engaged to adjust a computer for one of the nation's largest credit card companies adjusted it to enter no charges against his card number. He then went on an extended travel and shopping spree.

Both thieves were nabbed, not through good detective work, but because the computers later broke down and their accounts were processed by sharp-eyed human

bookkeepers.

Pennies Add Up

Another breakdown undid the programmer for a mutual funds company. He instructed the computer to take all fractions of cents that appeared when it posted interest investors' shares each month and add them to his account. It cost him a little when stocks

fell, but he more than made up for it when they rose.

New York City was the site of the largest computer fraud yet uncovered. An insurance firm fed information on hundreds of phony policies into its computer. The company then used the faked assets to obtain large bank loans.

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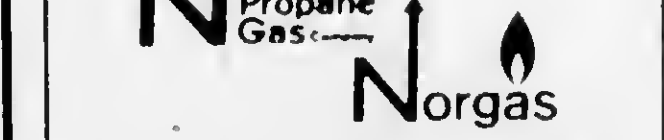
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Ten Young Men Headed For MSU's Boys State

By FRANK MARTIN
The 40th annual American Legion Wolverine Boys State will be held on the campus at Michigan State University in East Lansing, June 15 through 22.



LOOKING OVER last minute instructions before they attend Boys State at Michigan State University are: (front row, left to right) Rich Borths, Jim Kerner, Matt Stangis, Bob Taylor and Kerry Speer. In the second row are: Tom Bradley, Steve Hufford, Steve Schuch, Greg Krueger and Guy Carter.

The Leslie T. Shapton post No. 226, American Legion, in cooperation with local industries, businesses and organizations will sponsor 10 Charlevoix High School candidates, the Charlevoix Lions Club, two, and the Medusa Cement Co., Kiwanis Club, V.F.W. post 1153 and the First State Bank and Ski and Shore together, one each. One other sponsor remains to be named.

Those named are Bruce Avery, son of Mr. and Mrs. Valois Avery; Richard Borths, son of Mrs. Angela Borths; Tom Bradley, son of Capt. and Mrs. John Bradley; Guy Carter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carter; James Elzinga, son of Mrs. Louis Elzinga; Steve Hufford, son of the Walter Huffords; Gregory Krueger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Krueger; Joseph Left, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Left; Steve Schuch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Kerry Speer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harland Speer.

Alternates are James Kerner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kerner; Pat Klooster, son of the Henry Kloosters; Matt Stangis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Stangis; and David Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Taylor.



"AND DO YOU know what she did?" Linus (Don Trimmer in the center) asked. "She kissed me right on the nose." Members of the Forensics multiple group reading team which performed "You're a Good Man, Charlie Brown," are: (from left to right) Geoff Nelson, Tammy Helms, Trimmer, Lisa Wiener, Corinne Ranger and Steve Hufford.

Forensics Team Excels, Heads for the Regionals



THE MEMBERS of the Charlevoix High School Forensics Team are doing very well this year. Several students qualified for the Regionals at Cadillac in individual events. They are: (front row, left to right) Lynn Blanchard, Laurie Dussal, Annmarie Watson. In the back row are: Laurie Stongis, Laura Glass, Joe Thorne and Sue Miller. Missing are Bill Sweet and Louise Caldwell.

4-H Achievement Day Slated Saturday

Exhibits, a style show and the premiere appearance of the 4-H clowns will highlight the annual 4-H Spring Achievement Day Saturday.

The achievement day, which brings all county 4-H members together, will begin at the Charlevoix High School cafeteria at 8 a.m. for the set up of the exhibits.

Evaluators will talk with exhibitors about their projects from 9 a.m. to noon. At noon the ribbons will be placed on the projects. The exhibits will be open to the public from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

Bob Bellairs, 4-H program assistant, said the primary purpose of the 4-H project is not the project itself, but the learning and skills developed in completing the project.

"That is why we use evaluators in our morning program, instead of judges," Bellairs said. "In this way, the 4-H members are judged not in relation to what another member has accomplished, but according to the member's own progress in completing his or her task."

"We really believe in this system because everybody emerges with a winning attitude," Bellairs added. "Too often, in straight judging, one gifted child can make losers out of the other children."

Exhibits will include projects from such interest areas as: arts and crafts, indoor gardening, horses, knitting, crocheting, wood working, cooking, photography, Christmas decorations, sewing, leathercraft and canning.

The style show will begin at 7:30 p.m. in the high school gym. Modeling is a barn dance setting will be about 40 girls and five boys in the young, junior and senior categories. Comedy skits and the premier appearance of the 4-H clowns will add to the evening program.

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THE GIRLS WHO WILL be attending Girls State at Olivet College this summer and the alternates are: (front row, left to right) Lisa Wiener, Dana McKenzie and Kim Lehman, and (back row) Patty Sneathen and Peggie Hosmer.

3 High School Girls Selected for Girls State

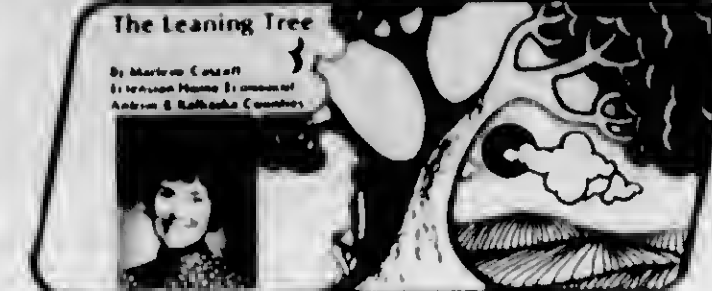
Three Charlevoix High School girls, all juniors, have been named to attend the 37th annual American Legion Auxiliary Girls State to be held on the campus of Olivet College June 11 through June 19.

The purpose of Girls State is to emphasize the importance of government in modern life, to stimulate a deep and lasting interest in government and to enlarge the understanding of government, according to

Mrs. Ray Wood, Girls State chairperson. The American Legion Auxiliary and the Lions Club will sponsor the attendance of the annual Girls State, Mrs. Wood added.

The trio named to attend the event are: Kim Lehman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lehman; Dana McKenzie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Max Hosmer; Chris Pidek, daughter of John Pidek and Lisa Wiener, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Wiener.

All are enrolled in history, math and English classes. Their other interests vary from girls sports to cheerleading and clubs.



SPIDER PLANT

ASTRICKING DISPLAY
As the spring sunshine filters through my windows I become acutely aware of how dirty they are. At the same time when I'm thinking about the house cleaning chores ahead I also become aware of some revival needs of my house plants. They're asking for repotting, trimming, fertilizing and other special attention. One of my favorites is a spider plant I acquired a couple years ago. It's easy to see how it got its name. It does resemble a many-legged spider.

However, the appeal of the spider plant (Chlorophytum) is not in its resemblance to its namesake but in its habit of forming plantlets on long flowering stalks that originate in the center of the rosette of leaves. A plant with cascades of plantlets suspended around it makes a striking hanging display.

The two popular theories on what triggers the parent plant to propagate itself are the short days, long nights theory and the underpotting theory. According to the first theory, the spider plant sends out shoots and makes plantlets when it is exposed to short days—8-10 hours of sunlight—and long nights. The fact that some spider plants make baby plants only when they get 16-hour days casts some doubt on the short-days theory.

According to the underpotting school of thought, spider plants send out plantlets only when they are rootbound. The best advice horticulturists at Michigan State University can give is to observe your plants and try to figure out what works for them.

Normal care for the spider plant means giving it a spot near a sunny window where it will get temperatures around 70 degrees F during the day

and 50-55 degrees at night. Pot in a well drained potting mix that provides good drainage, and water whenever the soil surface starts to dry. Fertilize every two months with a standard houseplant fertilizer according to label directions.

Browning of the leaf tips is the most common problem of spider plants. This may occur because the soil or the air around the plant is too dry, because the plant has received too much fertilizer or too little light, because the soil is acid, or because the water used on it contains a lot of fluoride. To avoid the problem in the future, water more often, increase the humidity around the plant, fertilize less often, increase the light, add lime to the soil, or water with distilled or rain water.

Spider plants do not usually suffer from insect infestations, but spider mites can be a problem. Propagate by potting up the plantlets. Cut them from the parent plant after they have developed their own rooting systems.

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COURIER Lifestyle

Rochelle Hansen Marries Richard Klein Saturday

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Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Edward P. Hansen of Charlevoix and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Klein of Saginaw.

The Rev. R. Dale Magoon officiated at the double ring service in the presence of 100 guests. Mrs. Brendan LaBlance, at the organ, played a program of traditional music and sang "Sunrise, Sunset" and "Nadia's Theme."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, chose an empire gown of polyester chiffon for her wedding. Venice lace trimmed the bodice of the gown and the tiered veil fell from a Juliet cap. Her bridal bouquet was of yellow roses.

Heidi Hansen was her sister's maid of honor and another sister, Gayle Hansen, her bridesmaid. They wore identical gowns, in yellow and light blue, respectively, fashioned with empire waists, short puffed sleeves and full length skirts. Each carried bouquets of mums to match their gowns.

Jack Stultz assisted the bridegroom as best man. Kirt Lyons, was groomsmen and James and Rick Klein, brothers of the bridegroom, seated the guests. All were from Saginaw.

Wedding guests were present from Chicago and several Michigan cities. (Photo by Mick Smith).

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MEMORANDUM
DEPOSIT OF STATE MONEY—MICHIGAN (Included in item 20)
Change for 10 of 32 currency notes and 100 bills
a. Cash and due from banks (corresponds to item 1)
b. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell (corresponds to item 7)
c. Total loans (corresponds to item 5)
d. Total deposits of \$100,000 or more (corresponds to item 30)
e. Total deposits (corresponds to item 24)
f. Federal funds purchased and securities sold under agreements to repurchase (corresponds to item 25)
g. Other liabilities for borrowed money (corresponds to item 26)
h. Standby letters of credit outstanding
i. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more
j. Time deposits of \$100,000 or more

1. Gordon B. Williams, President
I, Gordon B. Williams, President of the above named bank, do hereby certify that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
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By: James H. Lutz, Jr., Secretary

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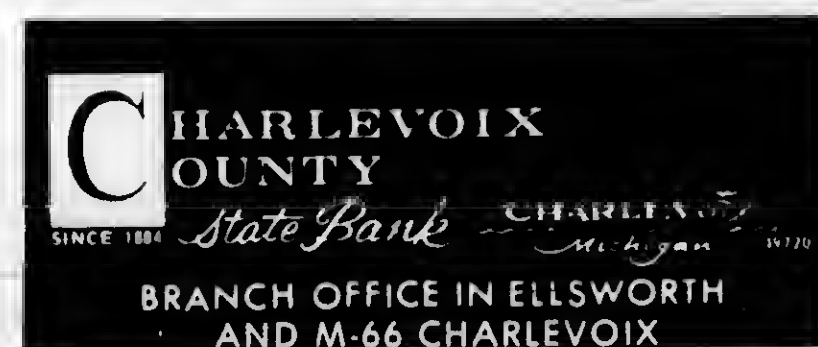
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Preventative Medicine Important In Animal Health Care, Too

Preventative medicine is important for the health of pets, too. And now is the time to begin thinking about protecting your dog, Dr. David Norton, Charlevoix veterinarian, said.

Heartworm season is approaching and it is time to have pets checked so that preventative medicine can be administered to the animals to prevent them from getting the disease, Dr. Norton said.

"We are seeing a significant number of cases of heartworms in this area," the veterinarian said. "It used to be that the disease was isolated in the southern states like Georgia and Florida, but now it is all over the country and it is definitely in Northern Michigan."

Norton said a blood test has been developed that can determine whether or not dogs have heartworms. "It is important to find out if the animals have heartworms before the preventive medicine is administered," Norton stressed. "If the animal does have heartworm and the medicine is given to them, it can result in the animal's death."

Norton said heartworms is a disease that is spread by mosquitoes. The insect picks up the heartworm larva from one animal and can transmit it to

another one in the same manner that they transmit malaria between human beings. Heartworm season lasts from May 1 to December 1.

The reason the season lasts so long is that you have to medicate for 30 to 60 days past the last mosquito bite the animal might get," the veterinarian explained.

Norton said heartworms can be successfully treated if it can be found soon enough. By the time the animal starts showing the symptoms of the disease such as lifting easily, coughing and acting run down, it is too late.

The vet said the heartworm larva get in the bloodstream and finally settle in the heart where they grow up to 14 inches long. The worm wrap around the heart valves and causes the heart to malfunction.

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GIRLS TRACK drew a lot of interest this year as shown by the turn out of team members. Pictured here are: front row, left to right Becky Allard, Kim Lehman, Corinne Ranger, Andrea Klooster, Tami Noiroi, Karen Snizik, Shari Barnes, Amy Elzinga, Sherie Selessen, Chris Lohman and Tami Hase, manager. In the second row are: Assistant Coach Dennis VanGuilder, Karen Sell, Kathy McMillin, Tami Mann, Tina Klama, Maria Buday, Liz Morris, Chris Jones, Laura Dziedzic, Chris

Athletes Get Set for Spring Sports



WHO ARE THOSE MEN running through the mud and the snow and the rain? Members of the Charlevoix High School track team, of course, practicing for their spring season of meets. Team members pictured here are: front row, left to right Neil Dziedzic, Kerry Spiller, Jack Cross, Gilbert Noiroi, Dan Murray, Scott Morgan, Dave Elzinga, Scott Way, Kevin Kratt, Todd Williams, Brian Williams. In the second row are: Assistant Coach Hal Evans, Nat Klooster, Jeff Dreth, Doug Buday, Pat Schmidt, Steve Niekke, Norbert Scharenbrock, Kurt Williams, Mark



THE CHARLEVOIX HIGH School Tennis Team will open its season with its first home meets on Thursday and Friday this week. Team members pictured here are: front row, left to right Terri Bradley, Debby Tollas, Lisa Wiener, Lynne DeMoore, Tracy Sell, Mark Lignell and Ed Engstrom. In the second row are: John Grooters, Kip Greene, Dave Tollas, Tom McNamara, Geoff Nelson and Erik Lundteigen. In the last row are: Marc Malpeti, Steve Berlage, Jeff Cockfield, Lee Begrow and Coach Chuck Wright.



GEOFF NELSON gets caught while trying to return a shot during practice last week. More than 20 high school students went out for tennis this season.



ONE OF THE STRONG women's players on the Charlevoix Rayder tennis team is Lisa Wiener. Here she practices returning a serve across the net.



ERIK LUNDTIEGEN serves up a smasher during tennis team practice at the municipal tennis courts last week. The team will hold matches at the courts at 4 p.m. Thursday and Friday.

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CHURCH LEAGUE			TEAM HIGH GAME		INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES	
April 8, 1977			April 8, 1977		April 11, 1977	
Dieter's 443	257	Kit Carson Lumber 835	Potter 313			
Smith Roofers 386	314	Koritz Construction 787	Jane Bogart 589			
St. Mary's 351	349	Koritz Construction 774	Jane Bogart 589			
Paystone Concrete 343	357	County State Bank 770	Paula 337	27%		
Atwood Reformed 336	364	INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES	Charles Brown 438			
Community Reformed 326	374	558	Bulch Gies 570			
Browe Electric 315	385	558	Bill McKay 532			
Lupineans 300	400	511	Scott Blanchard 500			
TEAM HIGH SERIES		511	INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME			
Smith Roofers 2528		511	219			
Dieter's 2431		511	164			
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Pitch, Hit, Run Set for June 4

By FRANK MARTIN
With the 1977 Major League baseball season underway, tip books include valuable youngsters in the Charlevoix area will have the opportunity to enter Pitch, Hit and Run, Baseball's official youth program sponsored by the National Recreation and Parks Association (NRPA) and the President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports. Youngsters will compete at given levels of competition...local, district, division and finals. The final competition will take place at the All Star game at New York's Yankee Stadium. All entrants will compete in three events...pitching, hitting and running. The pitching competition gives each youngster three throws to hit a special target 46 feet from the pitching line. In hitting, they get three tosses to hit two fair flies, fungo style. The contestants must run around the bases against a stop watch. Winners are determined on a total point basis. All local competition winners advance to district competition.

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Further information and specifications may be obtained at the Road Commission offices.
All proposals must be in sealed envelopes, on bid forms obtainable from the Charlevoix County Road Commission, plainly marked as to the item bid upon and the name of the bidder.
The Charlevoix County Road Commission reserves the right to waive the irregularity of any bid, or to reject any or all bids or to split the award by items, or to make the award in whole or in part, as may be deemed to be in its own best interest.

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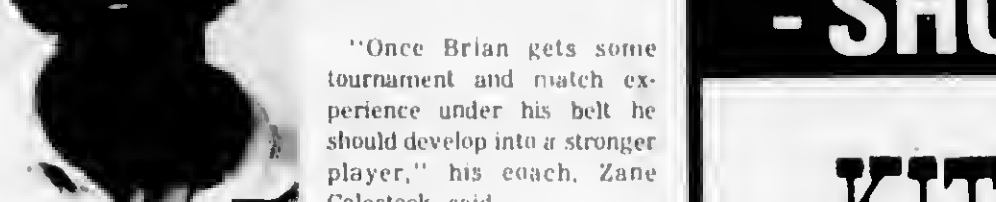
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Boys Track Team Looks Good, 12 Return

By FRANK MARTIN
"We had our first real workout on the track last Monday night and the kids looked real good!" Coach Presnell said of his Rayder track team which opened the 1977 season at Cheboygan Tuesday.
Presnell said he had 50 candidates out for the team including 12 lettermen from last season and a host of young enthusiastic newcomers who show great promise. "We have many slots to fill but I think we'll do alright. The boys have set high goals for themselves and they've been working hard," Presnell said of the team.
The team had been working outside until the most recent snowstorm that limited outdoor activity. The team did workout inside during the recent spring break.
Among the returnees are Ed Mann, sprinter and relay man; Wally Dreth, high jumper and sprinter; Matt Doan, hurdler and relay man; Ed Bourke, middle distance runner and relay; Tom Jones and Barry Potter, shot putters; Kip Crammon, high jumper; Nate Klooster and Steve Schuch, sprinters; Brian Williams, middle distance and mile relay and Kerry Speer, long jump and discus.
He also mentioned Gary

Osterberg Makes Northwood Team

A former Charlevoix High School tennis team member is going to the nets for Northwood Institute in Midland.
Freshman Brian Osterberg plays number four singles for the team. He also pairs with Bill Boe of Miami, Fla., to play number two doubles for Northwood Institute.
"Once Brian gets some tournament and match experience under his belt he should develop into a stronger player," his coach, Zane Colestock, said.



Brian Osterberg

Bill Supernaw Elected Head of Slo-pitch Unit

Bill Supernaw was elected president of the Charlevoix Slo-pitch Association at the annual organizational meeting held recently at the city hall.
Other officers are Charles Lehman, vice president; Mary Ann DeBo, secretary and Bill Joy, treasurer.
Jim Willis was re-elected commissioner for 1977.
A second meeting of the association has been called for 7:30 p.m. Wednesday.
Team rosters must be completed and turned in by Friday, May 13.
A team fee of \$80, the same as in 1976, is also due along with player fees of \$10 for residents of the city and \$12 for players residing outside the city limits. The fees apply to both the men's and women's leagues.
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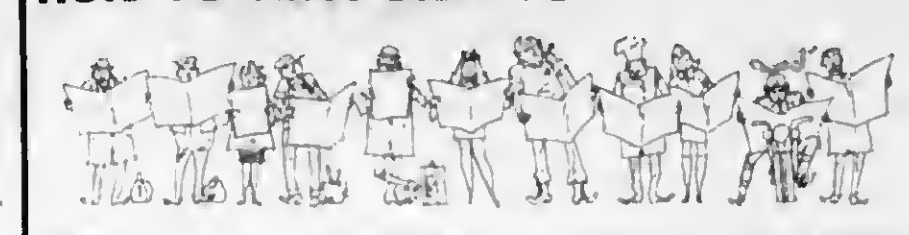
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Village Decorators, Charlevoix, filed by Charles L. Curry, II.

Temple Products Company, Boyne City, filed by Robert Courneau.

Marriages

The following marriage licenses were issued last week by the Charlevoix County Clerk:

Michael W. Walker, 20, Charlevoix, and Julia L. Franklin, 20, Charlevoix.

Michael E. Bavin, 29, Watson Lake, and Linda L. Fuller, 29, Watson Lake.

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April 25, 1977, 7:30 p.m.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard

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Our friends and neighbors

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Harrison and Mrs. Effie

Harrison are vacationing in

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their summer home.

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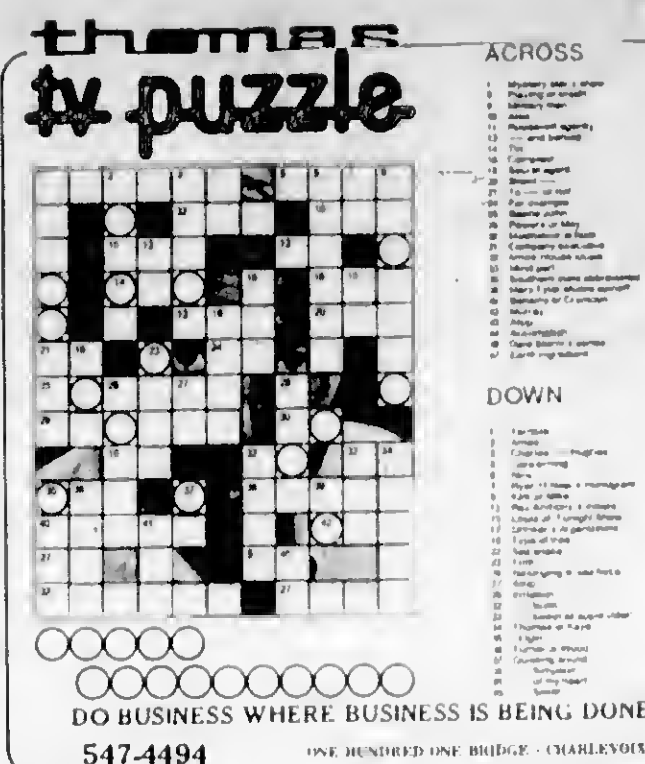
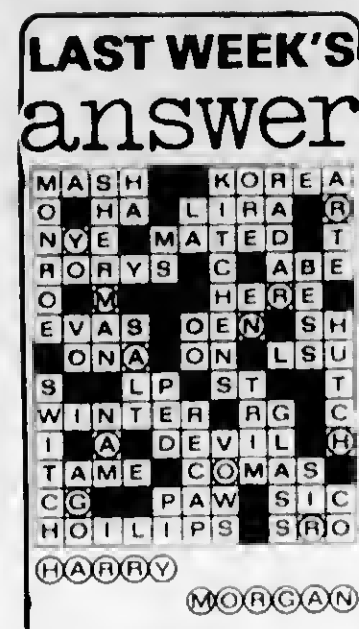
Local Talent Abounds at Arts Fair Held at Charlevoix High School



TAKING A REGIONAL first place with this architectural model was Jodi Alger of Charlevoix High School. Miss Alger also drew the plans for the model home.



THE CHARLEVOIX HIGH SCHOOL gym was packed with Northern Michigan residents visiting the Industrial Arts Fair last weekend. Projects in the woodworking, wrought iron, architectural drawing and many other areas were on display.



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Artist Captures History in Paintings for Minnesota DNR

By FRANK MARTIN
"People who once were looking only to where they were going are now taking time to see where they are and are looking back to where they have been," Greg Wimmer, budding young artist, said.

"That's what makes my work so rewarding," Wimmer works as an artist for the Minnesota Department of Natural Resources. Two of his murals, both about 35 feet long, are located in state parks in the southwest part of the state around New Ulm. They depict the early history of the area.

"I never knew that combining history with painting could be so interesting," Wimmer said, explaining that he had always been a history buff so that researching the history of southwestern Minnesota for his art works turned out to be very enjoyable.

He explained that most people think of Minnesota as the land of lakes. However, the southern and western sections of the state are where the Great Plains begin and stretch across to the Rocky Mountains. The Great Plains are where the Indians held forth in the early days, clashing with the first white men who came to the area.

One of the scenes in the mural relates the story of the buffalo hunts prior to the days of the horse. The buffalo were stampeded over a mound or a bank along a river to their death after being hunted by an Indian brave who was fleet of foot and hopefully, could sidestep the thundering beasts. Others show the early battles with the white man as well as their way of life on the plains.

Wimmer has also traveled to the northern section of the state where he visited an abandoned iron mine and did drawings of it for a publication on the history of iron in the state.

Wimmer has done art work for many of the Minnesota DNR publications, most of which have related to environment and conservation. "These are the things I believe in so I really enjoy doing these sort of things," he commented.

Other pamphlets Wimmer has illustrated relate stories of the past. "I find this work very rewarding," he said. "If I can make people aware of the world around them, I feel I am doing something worthwhile."



THREE CHARLEVOIX students captured four fifth place ribbons in state competition in industrial arts recently. Dan Drewa, Steve Melke and Dave Sonnenberg display their projects and ribbons.

Three Win Awards at State Meet

Charlevoix High School Industrial Arts students captured four fifth place ribbons in state competition at the 49th annual Michigan Industrial Education Society fair at Saginaw last weekend their instructor James Jinsky, has announced.

One student, Dave Sonnenberg, won two of the four with his pictures, a copper tooled picture of roses and an aluminum tooled picture of

birds. Dan Drewa also won a fifth in this category with his copper tooled picture of a partridge.

Steve Melke, a sophomore, won a fifth with his drawing of a sheet metal mechanical

non. Only five ribbons were given for metal-tooled pictures. Charlevoix entries took three of the five. "This should speak very well for the work produced by these students," Jinsky said.

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Six People Seek Char-Em Positions

Six candidates, including two incumbents, filed nominating petitions for the three vacancies on the Charlevoix Elementary School Board.

The 12th grade students at the school are working individually and in groups to learn as much information as they can from the history and reference books about that period in America called the Civil War.

The students have been divided into 20 groups of six. During that time of the day designated for social studies, the groups meet to work on

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QUESTION OF THE WEEK: Do you favor the land swap between the City of Charlevoix and the Beaver Island Boat Company? Those in your responses and we will print them next week for all to see. Call 547-6559 any time after 6 p.m. week nights and all day Saturday and Sunday.

P.S.

Mary Novotny betcha never thought you'd make the front page!

WEATHER

The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant:

Date	High	Low	Precip.
April 19	60	52	0
April 20	69	51	.05
April 21	66	43	trace
April 22	58	39	.52
April 23	62	36	.01
April 24	61	43	trace
April 25	56	32	.01



ANOTHER WAY to learn about the Civil War is through the film strips at the viewing station. Soaking up some information are, from left to right John Marsh, Dwayne Bear, Carolyn Bears and Nancy Louise.



FIFTH GRADE TEACHER Jeanne Seymour stops to help some students with their work. Working on reading material are, from left to right Wayne Shawrow, Trent Dotson, Tina Brown and Debra Smylie.

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Citizens Discuss New School Site

By FRANK MARTIN
The feasibility of acquiring property as a future high school site was discussed at an open meeting Monday night.

Twenty-seven people, including Supt. James A. McKinney and five members of the Charlevoix Board of Education, attended the meeting at which Dawson Way, representing the owners of the property, explained the location of the property which is located on the South side of M-66, immediately west of Loch Creek.

He said there was approximately 66 acres in the tract being offered including 36 acres that are cleared. The remainder, located to the south of the property, is a swampy land though there are some high places in it.

Dawson said the church board was offering the property to the school because there are so few tracts of land available for a school site. He said the church was retaining a section that would give it access to the highway and that the only stipulations would be that the school agree to share the cost of a road into the property to the west and another to the east where the former owner had retained land along Loch Creek. This was part of the agreement when the church purchased the property from Edwin Gould.

Hillyard Schackford gave a soil analysis stating the land would lend itself to the needs of a school.

The estimated cost of the roads, the cost of extending

gas lines to the site, whether it would be more practical to put down wells or extend city water lines and a sewer system were among the issues discussed.

Way said the church would offer the property to the school district for \$55,000 and would keep the offer open until May 31.

Nack DeYoung asked if it wouldn't be more practical to consider the purchase of the Steffes property, a short distance outside the city limits where water and sewer would be more readily available. He added that the higher price being asked for this property would make it cheaper in the long run than developing property farther outside the city limits.

Dale Boss said the property being offered by the church, which has a ridge running east and west, would lend itself to solar heat. He said it would be possible to build the structure into the ridge, leaving a southern exposure which would allow utilization of solar heat. He added that many schools in Texas are being constructed in this manner.

No firm decisions were made. However, before the meeting was adjourned, a straw vote resulted in a 17-10 vote for the church property. The 10 votes were in favor of the Steffes property.

Max Novak, president of the Board of Education, who presided at the meeting, expressed disappointment that more people had not turned out for the meeting.

By allowing the students to park how they will present the things they have learned, it gives them a chance to use their own skills and interests, the teacher added.

In addition to working in

Students Study History From New Angle

special projects, assigned and reviewed to hold discussions about the material they have covered with their teachers.

"Each child has a contract book full of assignments," Sally McNamara, fifth grade teacher, explained. "They will all cover the same material."

"In addition, each group has been assigned a separate topic dealing with the Civil War that they have to research. At the end of the unit, the groups will present their information to all the other members of the class."

The students have been assigned such topics as General Sherman, abolitionists and Gettysburg. The information the students gather can be presented to their classmates in any form the students choose," Mrs. McNamara said. She expects to see such things as skits, reports and art work.

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Dr. Jeffrey Hicks

Dr. Jeffrey Hicks 1101 S. Bridge St.
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Community Calendar

Fran Martin
547-4633

Tuesday, April 26

Charlevoix girls track team will host a triangular meet at Kipke Field, 4 p.m., with Gaylord and Grayling.
Charlevoix Rayder track team will be at Gaylord 4 p.m.
St. Mary's School Board will meet at the school 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Rotaball Lodge No. 293 will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.
Men's Prayer meeting, 7 a.m. Community Church of God.
Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at the county building annex 7:30 p.m. to receive the Equalization report.

Wednesday, April 27
Charlevoix County Humane Society will meet at the community room, Charlevoix City Hall 7:30 p.m.
Tennis: Alpena here at

unicipal courts 4 p.m.

Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at the club hangar track room 8 p.m.
Round Lake Lodge No. 293, I.O.O.F., will meet at the American Legion post home 8 p.m.
TOWNSLEY, Mrs. Harold
TOWNSLEY, Leob Rd. 6 p.m.
Charlevoix Slo-pitch Association will meet at the city hall 7:30 p.m.
Gary Olsen of Legal Services of Northern Michigan will speak on services available through this agency at Charlevoix County Senior Citizens Center in East Jordan 1:15 p.m.

Thursday, April 28
Tennis: Charlevoix at Petoskey, 4 p.m.
United Methodist Women will sponsor salad luncheon bazaar and bake sale at the

Indian History Topic of Historical Meet

Regional Indian history will be the subject of the program at the May meeting of the Charlevoix Historical Society. Brad Campbell will discuss the Chippewa and Ottawa Indians who were here when the first white men appeared on the scene—their religious, myths, art work, and concept of land. The latter led to certain treaty misunderstandings which have not been resolved to this day. Campbell will also touch on the mound builders and other prehistoric Indians who traveled north to south in what is known as the Traverse Corridor.

All who are interested in the earliest inhabitants of our area are invited to attend the Historical Society meeting at 8 p.m. on Tuesday, May 3.

participate in church dining room 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Tickets: Adults \$2.00; children: 5-12 \$1.00; under 5 years free.

V.F.W. will meet at post home 8 p.m.
Dr. Dorothy Brooks will speak on "The Psychology of Growing Older," at 2 p.m. in the Mancelona Senior Center. The public is invited to the session sponsored by the MSU Cooperative Extension Service.

Monday, May 2
Charlevoix County Humane Society will sponsor a benefit card party at Senior Citizens Center in East Jordan 4 p.m.
St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society will meet with Mrs. Elmer Reiter, E. Lincoln St., 8 p.m.

Friday, April 29
Track: Charlevoix Rayder track team will go to Mt. Pleasant to participate in the annual Chip Relays.
Al-Anon Family group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For more information call 547-2145.

Saturday, April 30
Charlevoix High School Symphony and Concert bands will travel to Traverse City to participate in MSBOA state festival.

Tennis: Charlevoix Rayder

team will participate in the Boyne Mountain Invitational 1 p.m.

Sunday, May 1
Christian Brotherhood Hour, 8 a.m., Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.

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Wednesday, May 4
XI Epistola Gamma chapter, Beta Sigma Phi sorority will observe Founder's Day at a dinner and program at Stafford's Bay View Inn.

hosted by Petoskey chapters. Dutch treat breakfast at Leuheser's 7:30 a.m. for Ralph Ostling (R) 103rd District Representative. Area residents with problems or questions are invited to meet with Mr. Ostling.

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Volunteer Week Set Aside to Honor Citizens

This week is National Volunteer Week, a week set aside to say "thank you" to those who give of their time and energy to help others. A 1974 Census Bureau study showed that 24 percent of Americans over the age of 13 were volunteers of one kind or another.

Older people are especially willing to give their skills and new-found time to serve their communities in many ways. Junior high school, high school, and college students find that volunteer service gives them a chance to explore career opportunities and to become involved in community affairs.

Many government agencies, including the Department of Social Services, use volunteers to provide the one-to-one contact that staff members can't provide, such as friends to youth in trouble, as friendly visitors to the homebound or to transport older people to community activities.

Ms. Suzanne Wickert, special services coordinator for the Charlevoix County Social Services Department, is always in need of volunteers. She may be reached at 547-4471.

More and more citizens are participating in public affairs.



JAMES McMILLAN, counselor for Laryngeal cancer, speaks before volunteers for Cancer Society Crusade.

Cancer Society Begins Fund Drive

Some 75 Charlevoix County Cancer Crusade volunteers gathered at the Grey Gables one knows when. It all last week to hear talks about depends on the money we can raise and what the Cancer Society is doing in research, prevention, and care for those stricken with the disease.

Deanna Beyers, education chairman for the local unit, James McMillan, counselor should a film on breast for laryngeal cancer, and Larry Moore, area, told of what the Society had done for him and others.

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Special Exercises Help Put Bounce in Step, Life

By PAULA HOLMES
"Walking should be a cheerful, joyful way of moving," the woman said softly reflecting on her words. "Walking should be like dancing through space. But we forget how to walk properly and we must relearn how to do it."



JANE SOOY discusses the type of exercises called Body Work. Mrs. Sooy advocates doing the exercises as a means of gaining vitality and health.

exercise mat.

"Even with my gump, I walk better than 90 percent of the people I see," she said bending toward the mat in preparation for a series of exercises.

For Jane Sooy of Charlevoix, a type of exercises called "Body Work" is the key to mental and physical health. The exercises, developed by Anne Hubbard of Chicago, also played a part in Mrs. Sooy's recovery from a paralysis that left her without the use of her legs seven years ago.

We all get thrown off into bad habits in our daily work," Mrs. Sooy explained. "The Body Work exercises give you a chance to come back to center. And they give you more vitality and energy."

Mrs. Sooy said the Hubbard exercises help a person work through his or her muscle and nerve centers making them work correctly and helping them to become strong enough to hold the body in the proper way.

If the exercises are done

correctly, they can bring your muscles and body back into the right position."

"Just as it takes years of walking incorrectly to get thrown off, it takes a period of exercising before you return to the proper way of walking."

Mrs. Sooy has been using the exercises since she met Anne Hubbard seven years ago. She has been pleased with the progress she has made through using the exercises.

I was paralyzed from the waist down seven years ago," Mrs. Sooy said. "Before that I played quite a bit of tennis. Since then I haven't picked up a racket and lost summer."

Mrs. Sooy said both her husband and herself were remarkably good for not practicing. Her husband had always been the weakest point and it seemed further than ever.

I am blessed with good coordination, but I don't know how good your coordination is that doesn't make you a good tennis player," she said. "It

seemed like through doing the exercises I could skip half of the thought process involved in playing the game because I was using my muscles correctly."

So impressed she was with her own results, Mrs. Sooy has been sharing her knowledge with other people in the Charlevoix area. She teaches the "Body Work" exercises in an upstairs studio in the Market Mall.

And teaching others to do the exercises ensures that she

will be doing them on a regular basis, too.

"I have to do these exercises," Mrs. Sooy said. "And doing them at home alone is a drag. Also it's hard to feel that the exercises are important enough to do without answering the phone or doing the other things that need to be done."

And I am really motivated and have always been very active."

So she opened the studio last year to share her

knowledge with other people in the area.

It's kind of a goal to strive for — teaching people how to center their bodies and walk with a bounce.

Walking should be a cheerful, joyful way of moving," she added a smile crossing her face.

Mrs. Sooy stressed that her approach to exercise is a slow method that builds up the person's strength.

I work slowly, building up as I work through the right

channels," she said.

"Most people do some sort of calisthenics, but they don't get the benefit from them that they could."

We work slowly here doing a lot of floor work so that the spine is supported and we won't throw anything out.

You can do a tremendous amount for yourself with this work if you have some kind of problem.

Or you can just feel better.

Reibel Challenges SBA on Loan For Castle Farms Property on M-66

A trial in the suit brought by Arthur H. and Ervina Reibel against the SBA (Small Business Administration) will likely be held within 60 days following a pre-trial hearing here Thursday.

Current Judge William Brown of Traverse City conducted the pre-trial hearing in the suit which was filed in December 1974.

The original suit was

against the SBA, the Charlevoix County State Bank and other parties. However, Judge Brown granted an accelerated judgment which dropped the bank from among the defendants. The other

parties were released earlier. The Reibels are suing the SBA for allegedly improper foreclosing on their Castle Farm Properties located southeast of here on M-66.

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The Second Front Page

Number of County Residents Receiving Pensions Increasing

The number of Charlevoix County residents who are receiving monthly retirement checks through Social Security continues to rise, according to the latest Government report.

It shows that some 3,575 persons in the local area, more than ever before, are now getting payments. Five years ago, by way of comparison, the total was 2,983.

The majority of the recipients are retired workers. The others include disabled workers, widows, children and other dependents.

The figures are attributed

chiefly to amendments to the law, made from time to time by Congress, which have raised more people under coverage.

And the amount of money that is going to them is also increasing. With the payment scale now rigidly tied to rises in the cost of living, this year's lowest, which went into effect on July 1st, amounted to 6.4 percent.

That was because the Consumer Price Index rose to that extent between the first quarter of 1975 and the first quarter of 1976.

The findings, for the local area and for every other part

of the United States, are contained in the annual report of the Social Security Administration.

Nationally, it shows, more than 29 million workers—or 9 out of every 10 in the labor force—have been brought into the program.

As for the beneficiaries, there are over 32 million. They are receiving approximately \$10 billion a year.

In Charlevoix County, the average annual payment per recipient was \$2,175 in the past year, well above the \$1,276 paid in 1971.

This compares with \$2,142 in

White Collar Jobs More Prevalent
What changes have taken place in the makeup of Charlevoix County's labor force in recent years? To what extent has automation caused a shifting in jobs? What is the distribution now, as between white collar and blue collar employment? Government figures show that the proportion of men and women in white collar occupations in the local area has been rising, year by year. At the present time, on the basis of data gathered for the country as a whole, the white collar ratio locally is about 8.2 percent higher than it was back in 1960. At that time, according to the census taken that year, there were 4,320 people employed in the local area, 1,450 of them in white collar occupations. The rest were in blue collar jobs, in service industries or working on farms. Classified as "blue collar"

High School Band Members Head For State Festival in Traverse City

The Charlevoix High School Symphony and Concert bands will be in Traverse City Saturday for the annual state band and orchestra festival sponsored by the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association. Gary L. Sutman, director of the bands, has announced.

The bands had qualified earlier at a district festival for state competition. The 83-piece Symphony band is scheduled to play at 9 p.m. Saturday at the Central Grade School in Traverse City. The band is entered in the Class B division.

The 76-piece Concert band, composed of freshmen and sophomores, will play in Class D at the Traverse City Junior High School at 1:45 p.m. Saturday. Bellaire and Central Lake bands are the only other area bands entered in this division.

Adjudicators at the Symphony band festival will be Kenneth Bloomquist of Michigan State University, Harold Greedes of Calvin College, Harold Louma of Muskegon Community College and David Eldridge of Vassar.

Judges for the festival in which the Concert Band will play will be Kent Krive of Ferris State College, William Filer of Eastern Michigan University, Arthur German of Kellogg Community College and Dwight Smith, a former resident now teaching at Chelsea.

Stutzman said the students will make the trip via school bus. Those wishing to will remain in Traverse City and attend the band concert at the Interlachen Saturday evening. A former member of the Charlevoix band, Mark Gallagher, will be playing with the Arts Academy band.

Co-op Nursery School To Hold Food Drawing
The Charlevoix Cooperative Nursery is sponsoring a food raffle this weekend with the winner receiving \$100 in groceries. The event will be held at Edwards IGA where the drawing will be held on May 1.

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CHARLEVOIX Middle School students played their way to honors at a recent festival. Pictured here are (front row left to right) Dave Staubin, Jimmy Boggs, Gregg Whitely, Laura Zaremba, Debbie Lenhart, Teresa Moir. In the second row are: Ann Begrow, Mary Paggie, Sheri Cook, Beth Smith and Patti Cook. In the back row are: Jessica Hendrickson, Joel Schnackenberg, Tim Shupert, Randy Schnackenberg, Laurie Anderson, Vicki Falting and Kelly Mathews.

Middle School Musicians Take Honors At Cheboygan Solo, Ensemble Festival

Several Charlevoix Middle School musicians participated in the recent Junior High Solo and Ensemble Festival in Cheboygan.

The students performed before a judge and were rated on a scale of 1 to 5. They were also given constructive criticism of their work.

First division ratings were received by Beth Carey, Sheri Cook, and Sue Smith for their trumpet trio; Sheri Cook and Teresa Norot for their cornet duet; Patti Cook and Christina Norot for their flute duet; Jeff Novotny for his baritone sax solo; Gregg Whitely for his cornet solo; David Staubin for his piano solo; Debbie Lenhart, Laura Zaremba, and Ann Begrow for their flute trio; and Mary Paggie for her flute solo.

Second division ratings were received by Jessica Hendrickson and Randy Schnackenberg for their flute-clarinet duet; Joel Schnackenberg and Tim Shupert for their flute-clarinet duet; Vikki Falting and Laurie Anderson for their clarinet duet; Jim Boggs and Ann Begrow for her flute solo; and Christina Norot flute solo.

Third division ratings were received by Sheri Cook for her cornet solo; Teresa Norot for her cornet solo; Kelly Mathews for her piano solo; Randy Schnackenberg for his clarinet solo; Jessica Hendrickson for her flute solo; Ann Begrow for her flute solo; and Christina Norot flute solo.

County High Schools to Participate in Observance Of Law Day with Attorneys, Police, Sheriff

May 2 is Law Day throughout the country, and in Charlevoix County it will be observed in all the high schools.

The principal of each high school, a lawyer, and a police officer will participate in the programs.

Charlevoix County Prosecuting Attorney Roy C. Hayes, who set up the program, says it is his thought that "we should try and reach all high school seniors within the community with a presentation on the law, its importance, and an explanation of the Criminal Justice System in America."

Contained in the presentation, according to Hayes, would be "an explanation of how Legislative, Judicial, and Executive branches of government balance each other in both the State and Federal systems along with a brief summary of procedures involved within the system such as warrants, arraignments, examinations, pleas and trials. The attorney and police officer involved should participate in a dialogue with the students concerning rights, duties and responsibilities within our system of law."

The Law Day program will be held from 9:30 to 11:30 a.m. in the Charlevoix High School cafeteria. Principal Vane Smith, Attorney Michael Gibbons, and Charlevoix Police Chief Jack Mol will speak.

At the Beaver Island Community School, Principal, Sister Dennis Marie Kirt, Prosecuting Attorney Roy C. Hayes, and Charlevoix County Sheriff George T. Laister will present the program, from 9 to 10:30 a.m.

Participating at the Boyne City High School, Principal William Upton, Prosecuting Attorney Hayes, and Sheriff Laister; at the East Jordan High School, Principal John Winter, Attorney Frank Hoffman, and East Jordan Police Chief Joseph Hammond.

At the Crooked Tree Arts Council, sponsors of the annual event. The public is invited to attend.

Art work by students and faculty members from participating schools will be shown from 1 to 5 p.m. and 7 to 9 p.m. each day.

The week-long show will be highlighted on Thursday by a reception for people interested.

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Judy Potter Wed to Wilson Boss

Arrangements of snapdragons, carnations and daisies in pastel shades and lighted candelabra graced the altar of her father, past pastor of the Community Reformed church Saturday evening for the wedding of Judy A. Potter and Wilson R. (Bud) Boss.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Potter and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Boss.

The Rev. Larry Grooters officiated at the double ring service in the presence of 300 guests. Susan Boss sang "The New Twenty-third Psalm" and the "Lord's Prayer" accompanied by Mrs. John L. Boss at the organ, and "To God Be the Glory" accompanied by Mrs. Boss. Mrs. Gary Vandenberg of Romeo at the piano and Michael Westenberg on the trumpet. The congregation then sang "Pass It On". Mrs. Boss and Mrs. Vandenberg played a program of traditional music.

the professional and the recessional.

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father, past pastor of the church. She wore a white gown with lighted sleeves and A-line skirts accented with white embroidered lace. They carried white baskets of yellow and white daisies and baby's breath.

John Frey served the bridegroom as best man. Daniel Boss of Spring Arbor, cousin of the bridegroom, Joseph Vogelheim of Lansing, Richard Miller of Quincy and James Potter were groomsmen.

Mrs. Potter selected a pink knit gown styled with a sculptured lace overlay bodice for her daughter's wedding. Mrs. Boss, mother of the bridegroom, wore a light blue satin gown fashioned with V-neck and tiered skirt of chiffon and a matching cape.

A reception, hosted by the bride's parents, followed at the Charlevoix Elementary school. Assisting were Mrs. Edwin Gregory of Traverse City and Mrs. Charles Bergmann, aunts of the bride. Mrs. James Manson, cousin of the bride, who served the cake; Mrs. Charles Clifford and Mrs. Edward Evans of Midland, cousin of the bride, the parson and Mrs. Harry Potter, aunt of the bride, coffee. Both Ann Boss, sister of the bridegroom, attended the guest book. Mr. and Mrs. Robert Drenth were master and mistress of ceremonies.

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Mr. and Mrs. Harold Towsley

Howard Towsleys Celebrate 40th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Towsley observed their fortieth wedding anniversary at a family gathering at their home recently.

Joining them in observance of the event were Mr. and Mrs. Larry Edson and their five children, Ronald, Mary Kay Edson, Corrine, Scott and Mr. and Mrs. Rose (Hobbie) Case of Sand Lake, Mrs. Robert Towsley and children, Jeff, Rusty, Amy and Mike, also of Sand Lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Allan Towsley and Julie, James, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Towsley, Tony, David and Debbie, all of Charlevoix.

Group Offers Classes In Family Planning

Classes in modern methods of natural family planning will be taught by the Couple to Couple League at a series of four Sunday meetings to be held at St. Mary's School hall beginning May 1.

The Couple to Couple League calls its methods a system of on-going fertility awareness which is definitely not the same as the old calendar rhythm, or even the temperature system.

The League reports that studies have shown that well instructed couples can achieve an effectiveness rate of 99 percent. The League also teaches the type of breast-feeding which usually provides an extended period of natural infertility.

Interested married or engaged couples are asked to pre-register for Mrs. Marge Martin at 547-2401. Class dates are May 1, May 22, June 26, and July 24, from 1:30 to 3:30 in the afternoon.

Sharon Olsen Honored At Bridal Shower

Sharon Olsen, bride-elect of William Repper, was honored recently at a bridal shower hosted by Mrs. Charles Mathers, Candice Olsen, Debbie Norot and JoAnn Green at the latter's home.

Sixteen guests enjoyed a social hour, games and refreshments. The bride-elect received many lovely gifts.

Cancer Society Bake Sale Slated at Olesons Friday

There will be a bake sale at Oleson's this Friday and Saturday to benefit the Cancer Crusade. Persons willing to bake or donate an hour of their time are asked to call Janet Buchanan at 547-9438.

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— Bituminous Aggregated Surface Course - 4.09 Modified Project No. 1005 - Camp Ten Road in Section 28, Hudson Township; 22 ft. wide, 0.52 miles long. The approximate amount required is 570 Tons.

Further information and specifications may be obtained at the Road Commission offices.

All proposals must be in sealed envelopes, on bid forms obtainable from the Charlevoix County Road Commission, plainly marked as to the item bid upon and the name of the bidder.

The Charlevoix County Road Commission reserves the right to waive the irregularity of any bid, or to reject any or all bids or to split the awards by items, or to make the award in whole or in part, as may be deemed to be in its own best interest.

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Project Number 2096-Springbrook Road from Spring Brook to Springvale Road, 0.6 miles long Grading and drainage structures for 30 foot finished earth grade, subbase as required and 21" wide x 6" deep compacted aggregate base course.

Estimated quantities are as follows:

Clearing	26 Stations
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15" Class B Culvert	7230 Sq. Yds
Roadside Seeding	120 Lin. Ft.
Chemical Fertilizer, Nutrient	480 Lbs
Mulch	4 Tons

A bid deposit in the form of a cashier's check or bank money order payable to the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Charlevoix, Michigan must accompany each bid. The bid deposit required for this project is \$10,000.00.

Plans, specifications and bidding forms may be obtained at the Road Commission offices.

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It is the intention of the Road Commission to award this contract to a contractor fully capable financially and previously experienced in this type of work.

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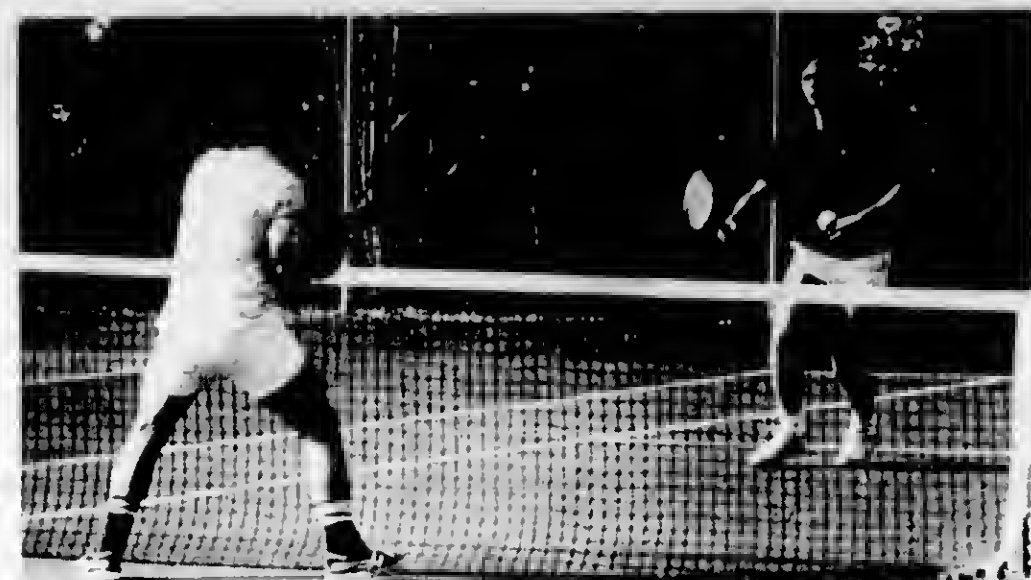
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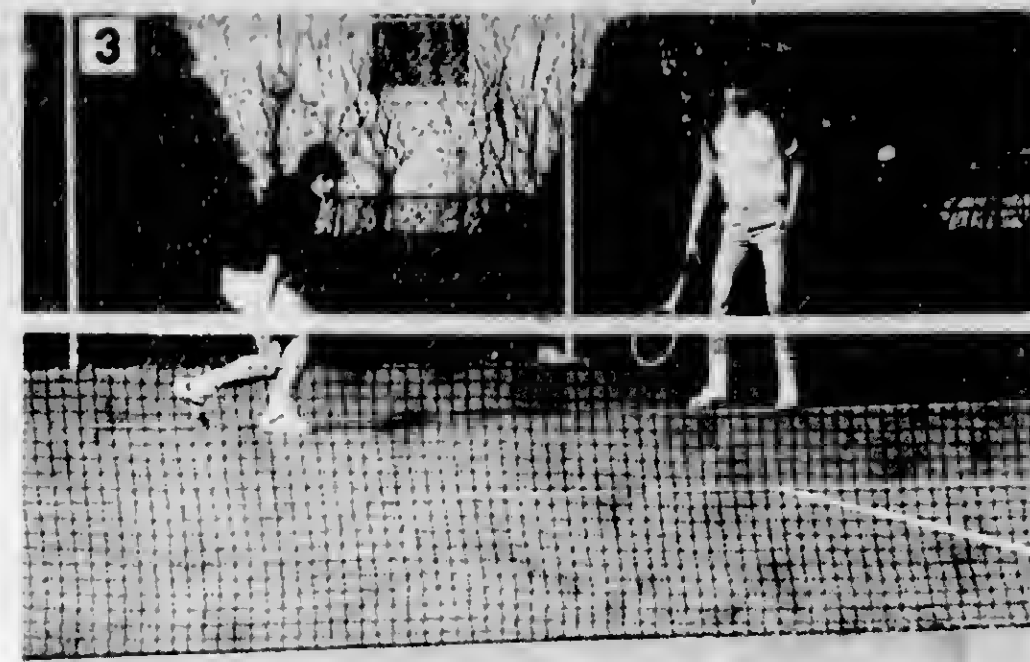
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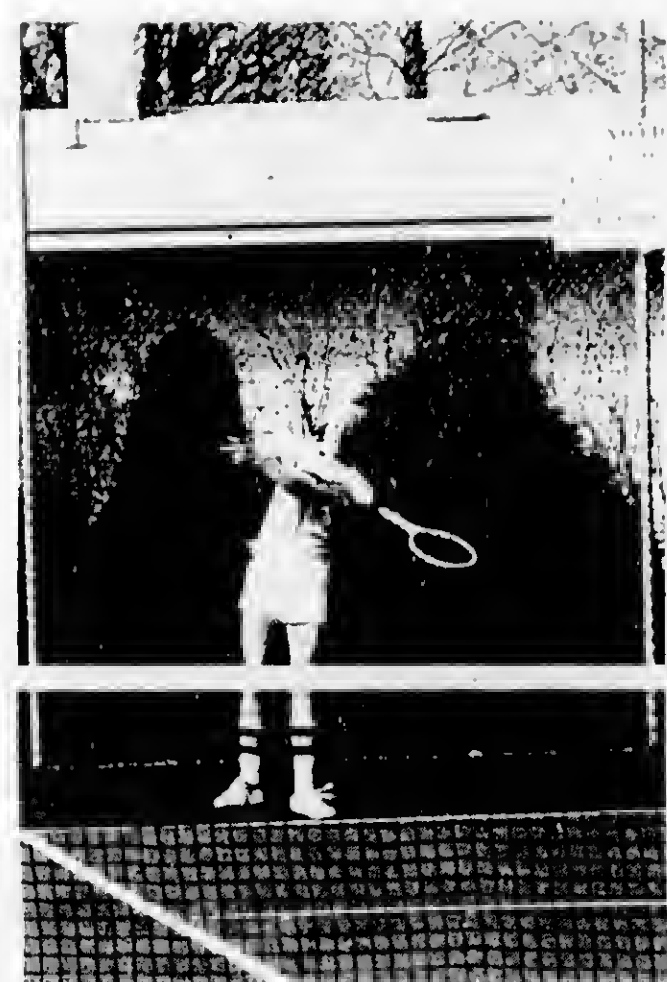


MARC MALPELI races to the net to meet his Grayling opponent during recent match. Charlevoix won the meet with a shutout.



MARC MALPELI and Dave Taylor team up for a win against the Grayling team last week. Charlevoix won the match 7-0 during the teams first game of the season.

Tennis Team Trounces Grayling



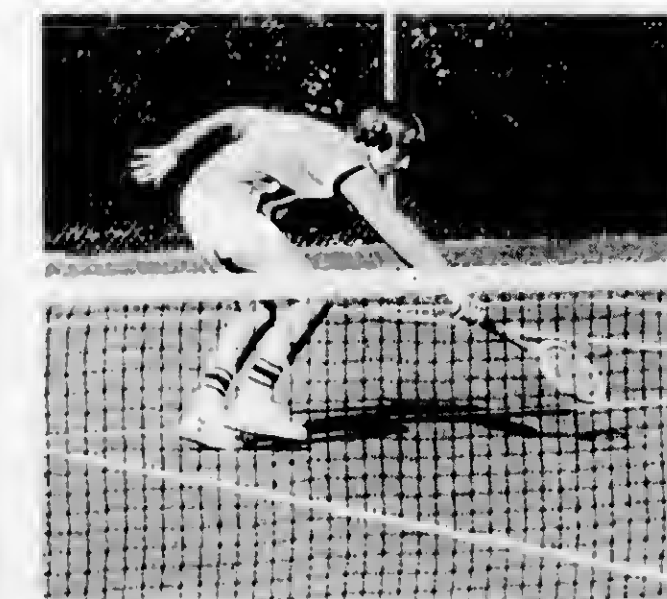
TOM McNAMARA handily serves up this ball against the Grayling team. Coach Chuck Wright lead his team to a 7-0 shutout of the Grayling Vikings.



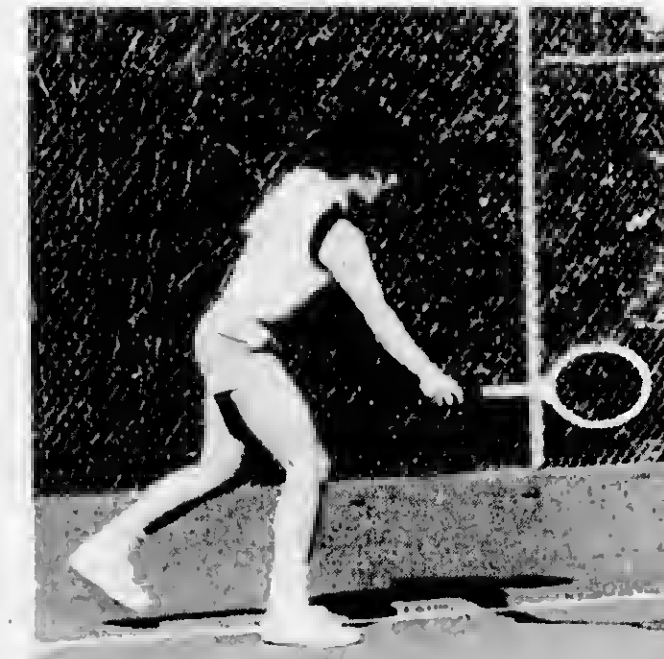
MARC MALPELI shows his serving skill as he prepares to send a scorching shot across the net to his Viking opponent.



DAVE TAYLOR shows his backhand form with this shot. Taylor helped the team defeat Grayling, 7-0.



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Boys Track Team Places Second in Meet

The Charlevoix Rayder track team launched its 1977 season last week at Rogers City where it came in second behind the Hurons.

Rogers City, defending Michigan-Huron Shore league championship placed first with 77 points followed by Charlevoix with 63 and Cheboygan with 23 points.

This week Charlevoix will be at Gaylord and on May 3 will host Petoskey and St. Ignace at Kijik held at 4 p.m. On Friday, April 29, the team will travel to Mt. Pleasant for the Chip Relays.

In the opening meet at Cheboygan, the Rayders took seven firsts but lacked the

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Argonne Supper Club	339 309
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Friedman Aircraft	308 332
Grey Gables Inn	287 353
Medusa Cement	216 354
*Winner of second half Roll-off	
Supply to be held April 27 and 28 at 1:00	

INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES	
Kay Feddock	518
Mary O'Brien	516
Jan Bogart	486
Theresa Paul	490
Debbie Agn	487
Yvonne Archambault	490
INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAMES	
Mary O'Brien	218
Onthe Age	200
Kay Feddock	187
Theresa Paul	187
Noreen Sellsen	183
Jan Bogart	180
Splits Converted Lorraine	
Kelly, 4.5 Sharon Davling, 3.10,	
Mary O'Brien, 5.7; Phyllis Allison, 4,	
5.7, Ann Roudsaw, 5.7, Kate	
Walheim, 5.10, Lois Lewis, 5.7,	
Jeane Wynok, 3.10, Becky	
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WEDNESDAY NIGHT CHURCH LEAGUE	
April 20, 1977	
Olson's	516 284
Smith Roofers	426 374
Keystone Concrete	397 403
Alwood Reformed	382 418
Brown Electric	382 418
Community Reformed	374 426
St. Mary's	371 429
Luthicans	352 448
*Second Round Winners and League Champions	
Smith Roofers	940
Keystone Concrete	916
HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES	
Howard Smithers	590
Sam Washburn	582
Charles Bortha	560
Bary Browe	546
Jim Rorthe	536
Hay Longa	535
INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAMES	
Brain Sonenburgh	224
Howard Smithers	215
Charles Bortha	211
Jim Rorthe	204
Larry Potter	203
Dale Tysenby	202
John Ferguson	202
Sam Washburn	201
Guy Spencer	202
Banquet April 27 1977	
American Legion Hall 7 p.m.	

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TUESDAY NIGHT LADIES	
April 19, 1977	
Edward's I.G.A.	386 255
Birds Beauty Shop	363 277
Louise's Beauty Shop	343 297
Cinema III	343 297
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HIGHER SCORES	
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Big Bergman	580 209 189
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Girls Team Finishes Third in Contest

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LEGAL NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE
Default having been made of a certain mortgage made the 5th day of November, 1974, by Raymond D. Lisco and Madonna K. Lisco, as mortgagors, to the United States of America, mortgagee, and recorded on November 6, 1974, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Charlevoix County, Michigan in Liber 149 of mortgages on pages 516-519, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice Twenty-Two Thousand Seven Hundred and Fifty Nine Dollars (\$22,759.59) principal and One Thousand One Hundred Twenty-Six and 48/100 Dollars (\$1,126.48) interest; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale contained in said mortgage having become operative by reason of said default;

NOW, THEREFORE, Notice is hereby given that on May 18, 1977, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the east door of the Courthouse in Charlevoix, Michigan, that being the place for holding the Circuit Court for the County of Charlevoix, there will be offered for sale and sold to the highest bidder, at public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described as follows, to-wit:

COMMENCING 2 RODS SOUTH AND 2 RODS WEST OF THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF SECTION 23, TOWN 32 NORTH, RANGE 7 WEST; THENCE NORTH 75 FEET FOR POINT OF BEGINNING OF THIS DESCRIPTION; CONTINUE SOUTH 75 FEET; THENCE NORTH 75 FEET; THENCE EAST 125 FEET FOR POINT OF BEGINNING OF PART OF NE 1/4 SEC. 23-27. The redemption period will be one month from the time of such sale. Property may be redeemed by paying amount bid at the sale plus 7 percent interest and any unpaid encumbrances on the property from date of sale. Dated March 30, 1977. Mrs. Winifred D. Molony, Regional Attorney, United States Department of Agriculture, Room 290, 230 South Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois, 60604, Attorney for Mortgagee. For Additional Information, please contact: UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, Acting through Farmers Home Administration, Calvin C. Lutz, State Director, 1405 South Harrison Road, East Lansing, MI, 48823, Mortgagee.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Van derwall returned home Sunday after enjoying a two-week vacation in Lakeland, Florida.

Out local young people have made plans to clean the Churchyard Cemetery on Sunday, April 30, 1977, from 9:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. Everyone is busy raking the lawns and getting the winter debris picked up and carried away and hoping to have our community shining bright again. Spring is so beautiful we should all help Mother Nature with her work.

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Obituary

Mrs. John Klover
Gravestone services for Mrs. John (Ethel) Klover, 83, who died Jan. 26 in Jackson, were held at Sunset Hill cemetery in East Jordan Saturday. The Rev. Daniel J. Minor conducted the service.

Harold E. Newman
Funeral services for Harold E. Newman, 66, who died Wednesday at his home here, were held Saturday at the Winchester Funeral Home.

Reacher Motor Home
The Rev. James Plackner of Bethany Lutheran church officiated. Interment was in Brookside cemetery.

News of the death of a former local resident, Gerald F. Simpson, 70, of Minni Shores, Fla., on April 12 has been received here.

A native of Michigan, he had resided here in the 1920's and early '30's before going to Florida in 1935 to make his home. He was a veteran of World War II, having served in the U.S. Army and for many years was employed at the federal fish hatchery here as a fish culturist. In 1953 he was married to the former Mrs. Virginia M. Webster in Charlevoix.

He is survived by his widow; his mother, Mrs. Nita Newman of Charlevoix; two sisters, Mrs. Drew Young of Charlevoix and Mrs. Marie Crain of Traverse City; two brothers, Warren of Detroit and Bruce of Charlevoix; a stepson, Robert Webster of

Rockford; one step-daughter, Mrs. Gary Riddle of Marion, Iowa; and seven step-grandchildren.

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Hospital Honors Guild

Charlevoix Area Hospital honored the Women's Guild for its many years of service to patients at a special ceremony recently.

The 27 guild members attending the ceremony were presented with certificates of appreciation for loyal and valuable services voluntarily given to the hospital over the past 23 years by Richard Krueger, hospital administrator.

The guild was established in 1954 with 31 charter members many of whom are still active in the current organization. There are 112 active members now.

Krueger pointed out the importance of the hospital volunteers by reading the American Hospital Association statement on the auxiliary or guild role on the health care team. He also mentioned that the Michigan Hospital Association in recognition of the importance of hospital-affiliated voluntary community organizations through which the multiple talents of the community can be deployed.

"As established channels for community participation in hospital affairs, the volunteers provide a base on which to build an expanded hospital-community relationship," Krueger said. "Whatever the needs of the hospitals, auxiliaries have responded and in their response have demonstrated the value of hospital-affiliated voluntary community organizations through which the multiple talents of the community can be deployed."

LOOK AT THE STATE YOUR HOME IS IN!
Charlevoix Courier

Hospital guild members at reception.

JUST IN TIME FOR MOTHER'S DAY
KROEHLER PLUS DuPONT
SAVE \$50
EQUAL VALUE

ANNUAL KROEHLER WEEK
10 DAYS ONLY

FEATURING
KROEHLER PLUS DuPONT
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FAITH TEACHES US THAT ALL OF LIFE IS LEARNING
At graduation time, whether high school, college or a specialized institution of learning, we are reminded that education is the skills of life as an infinite thing, that you can always add to the knowledge you need for your chosen career, and that there is always something new for you to learn. Likewise, your religious training is concerned with the development of your character, and this process should continue for the rest of your life on earth. By attending the Church of your choice you will learn the nature of this universe from which there is no graduation, but for which you will receive a degree of happiness and serenity obtainable from no other source of learning.

"Wisdom is the principal thing; therefore get wisdom; and with all thy getting, get understanding."
— Proverbs 4:7

The very spring and root of honesty and virtue lie in the ability of lighting on good education.
— Plutarch

Charlevoix Church Directory

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
203 E. 1st St. Rev. Hugh C. Smith, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Evangelism Service 7:30 p.m.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
101 N. 1st St. Rev. James Plackner, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:30 p.m. Hour of Power
Thursday 7:00 p.m. Calling for Jesus

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH
State St. at 1st. Rev. Robert W. Krueger, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:30 p.m. Hour of Power
Thursday 7:00 p.m. Calling for Jesus

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH
West Clinton St.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Sunday School 11 a.m.
Service and Worship of the Word 11:00 a.m.
Worship Room
Sun & Thurs. 12:15 Sat. 10:15

ST. MARY'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH
101 N. 1st St. Rev. James Plackner, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:30 p.m. Hour of Power
Thursday 7:00 p.m. Calling for Jesus

CHURCH OF CHRIST
812 E. 1st St. Rev. James Plackner, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:30 p.m. Hour of Power
Thursday 7:00 p.m. Calling for Jesus

COMMUNITY REFORMED CHURCH OF CHARLEVOIX
101 N. 1st St. Rev. James Plackner, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:30 p.m. Hour of Power
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Coming Here to Present
GEORGE KELLY'S
AMERICAN CLASSIC COMEDY

THE SHOW OFF

TICKETS ON SALE NOW
CITY DRUG STORE (LAST JORDON)
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(LAST JORDON & FORTH CITY)

ONE PERFORMANCE ONLY
MONDAY, MAY 1st at 7:15 P.M.
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SPONSORED BY
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4-H Members Display Skills



ALLISON CLOCK is ready to help with the gardening this spring in pair of overalls with ties.



CHARLEVOIX COUNTY 4-Hers swung their partners at a square dance Saturday night, culminating a series of Achievement Day activities at Charlevoix High School.

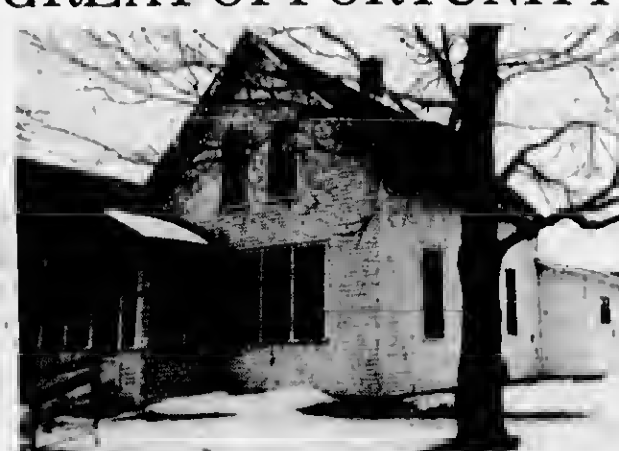
SCHOOL LUNCH MENU Brought to you by:

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- THURS.:** Turkey in gravy over mashed potatoes, pizza margarine, carrot & celery sticks, chicken sandwiches.
- FRI.:** Chicken noodle soup, wicklers, peanut butter sandwich, buttered corn, cheddar potatoes.
- MON.:** Pizza, buttered green beans, fruit cocktail, scalloped potatoes, wicklers, buttered peas, peanut butter sandwich, pudding.
- TUES.:** Bread, BUTTER & MILK SERVED WITH ALL MEALS.
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GREAT OPPORTUNITY!



Located on a corner lot, this home is convenient to the high school and downtown shopping. Heated by natural gas, it contains three bedrooms, one and a half baths, formal dining room and features a secluded patio in the back yard. Partially carpeted, this well kept home is ready for you at only \$23,900. Call today for your private showing.

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KAREN TAYLOR of Charlevoix modeled this apron style wrap-around top she made last winter as a member of the 4-H Top Stitches at the Achievement Day fashion show.

PRICE REDUCED TO \$35,500

\$36,900 AND AN 8% LAND CONTRACT. 1248 sq. ft. ranch home with 3 BDs and 2 baths. Range, refrigerator, dishwasher and food disposer are all included. Full basement and giant attached 3 stall garage. On two acres just 2 miles south of Charlevoix. An unbeatable offering - the home, the land and good terms!

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SECOND BIG WEEK OF OUR COOKBOOK GIVEAWAY!

U.S.D.A. GRADE A CHICKEN Mixed Fryer Parts 47¢ LB. FAMILY PACK

U.S.D.A. CHOICE BONELESS SIRLOIN TIP and Rotisserie ROAST \$1.49 LB. ALL MEAT NO WASTE

HICKORY SMOKED PICNIC 49¢ 3 TO 7 LB. AVERAGE LB. 55¢ Sliced

Cheerios BIG 'G' CHEERIOS 69¢ 15 OZ. WT. WITH COUPON BELOW

JELL-O ALL FLAVORS GELATIN 3 \$1 3 OZ. WT. PKG.

HI-DRI Paper Towels 77¢ DECOATED TWIN PACK

COUNTRY FRESH ICE CREAM 79¢ ASST. FLAVORS 1/2 GALLON WITH COUPON BELOW

AMT. COMPLETE KUNT JIMMA COMPLETE PANCAKE MIX 79¢ 22 OZ. WT. PACKAGE

GOLDEN GRIDDLE PANCAKE SYRUP 79¢ 24 FL. OZ. WITH COUPON BELOW

CAMPBELL'S TOMATO SOUP 6/\$1 10 OZ. WT.

YANQUET FROZEN POT PIES 4/\$1 CHICKEN, TURKEY or BEEF 8 OZ. WT. PKG.

Country Fresh LOW FAT MILK 98¢ 32 OZ. WT. POLY BAG

CRACKERS 39¢ 16 OZ. WT.

Margarine 59¢ 4 QUARTERS 16 OZ. WT.

Cake Mixes 6/\$1 4 OZ. WT.

COUNTRY FRESH ICE CREAM 79¢ (1/2 GAL.) EXCEPT BUTTER PECAN LIMIT ONE PER FAMILY WITH COUPON. EXPIRES SATURDAY, APRIL 30, 1977.

RIG 'G' CHEERIOS CEREAL 69¢ 15 OZ. WT. LIMIT ONE PER FAMILY WITH COUPON. EXPIRES SATURDAY, APRIL 30, 1977.

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FOR YOUR LAWN, GARDEN or FLOWERS MILORGANITE ORGANIC FERTILIZER & SOIL CONDITIONER 50/16 BAG \$3.49 GARDEN CENTER WILL OPEN AT OUR CHARLEVOIX LOCATION MONDAY, APRIL 25 10:00 A.M. TO 6:00 P.M.

FROM CALIFORNIA CARROTS 49¢ 32 OZ. WT. POLY BAG

YELLOW, MELLOW BANANAS 19¢ LB. CHARLEVOIX HOURS: MONDAY THRU FRIDAY 9 TO 5 SATURDAY 9 TO 5

OLESON'S FARM-FRESH MARKETS YOUR SYMBOL OF SAVINGS IN THE NORTH!

HYGRADE REGULAR OR BEEF BALL PARK FRANKS 89¢ 16 OZ. WT. LIMIT ONE PER FAMILY WITH COUPON. EXPIRES SATURDAY, APRIL 30, 1977.

FREE! Treasury of Cooking CHAPTER TWO THE ILLUSTRATED LIMIT ONE PER FAMILY WITH COUPON. EXPIRES SATURDAY, APRIL 30, 1977.



CHARLEVOIX ELEMENTARY School art teacher Mari Mathers applies makeup to the face of Tammy Boggs during a recent unit on clowning. The students learned a little about the history and importance of clowns as well as about how they apply their faces.



FIFTH GRADER Pat Mitchell hams it up in a mirror while applying a clown face. The fifth graders learned about clown makeup during an art unit.

Clowning around

Lions, Tigers, Clowns. Ah, the excitement of the circus. Charlevoix Elementary School fifth graders had a chance to be part of that excitement during an art unit on clowns, led by Mari Mathers, elementary art teacher.

Using their five senses, the students learned about the role of clowns in the circus and at the rodeo as well as about the various types of clown faces and make up.

They listened to circus music and drew pictures of clowns. They even had a discussion with a real working clown who lives in Charlevoix. And then the big day came and the students put on their own clown faces and did something almost everyone dreams of - they became clowns for a few hours and entered a world of dreams.

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In Law Day ceremonies

Attorneys honor Lil Bergmann

Her job is working with children, her hobby is helping mentally impaired people. Through her job she has helped many children in their studies with the law. Through her hobby she has helped mentally impaired people in the community gain self-supporting skills.

She is Lillian Bergmann and she was named a Liberty Bell award winner by the Charlevoix-Emmett Bar Association during Law Day ceremonies for her significant contributions to the community.

As a registered nurse at Little Traverse Hospital, she worked in obstetrics and pediatrics and she has also served in Girl Scouts and 4-H. In 1957 she taught at a day care center for mentally impaired children until the Charlevoix Association for Mentally Handicapped Children, which she helped form, could find a teacher for that she set up what is

now Bergmann Center in her basement. In 1960 she began working for the Charlevoix County Probate Court as the juvenile officer and currently she serves as the juvenile officer for the Boyne City Police Department.

The Liberty Bell recipient from Emmet County was Bob Erick.



TERRY CARR, Boyne City attorney, presents Lillian Bergmann with the Liberty Bell plaque honoring her for her contributions to the community.

HOTLINE
Dial 547-6559

Hotline lets others know what you think. Tell us your opinion on anything by calling 547-6559 anything after 6 p.m. No need to give your name. Selected opinions will appear each week.

Oppose Land Swap
I would like to voice my opposition to the swap of city property with the Beaver Island Co.

Mr. Hawley Votes No
This is Esther Hawley speaking. I would like to voice my objections to the land swap.

Native Speaks Out
This statement is directed to the newcomers of this community. For the last thirty years, the Beaver Island Boat Co. has been threatening to move to Petoskey. In the first place, Petoskey is 5 miles farther by water. The second place, Petoskey doesn't want the business. In the third place, the Beaver Island Boat Co. doesn't want to go there. But, every year it comes up and they keep asking for more privileges from Charlevoix. As far as that garage that nobody else wants, when that new shopping center goes up on Sliver Rd., there will be plenty of parking places downtown in Charlevoix for the merchants and their clerks. Also, someone should look into the legality of the city trading or giving away, whatever you want to call it, valuable waterfront property. I think that has a lot of federal money in it. If Charlevoix is considered a harbor refuge, then there should be at least one commercial dock to be used for large boats or tugs caught out in bad weather. If the City of Charlevoix loses that valuable piece of property, it should at least go to the vote of the people. The people that have just moved here don't realize how much of our tax money has been spent to keep up that dock. This is from a long time native of Charlevoix.

Spring Clean Up
The reason I'm calling is that I just received my Courier today and am very disappointed in the Spring Cleanup Schedule. They have always announced the dates in plenty of time ahead. The paper came out today and the pickup dates for the north side are today, Thurs., and Fri. I have been looking forward to this and to have to get everything together in such short notice is really poor and I hope they will never do it again and I would like to see them extend this time, at least have another date sometime next week so that residents can get things together. Thank you very much.

Delaware Objects
This is Mrs. Robbins, and I am the daughter of Mr. Campbell and am calling long distance from Dover, Delaware. I wish to go on record as being opposed to the exchange of the municipal dock for the dumb old Erber Garage on Clinton for the land swap involved. I think this is very wrong and I can't believe that the city is putting up so little opposition. It will be a tremendous loss to the city's part. The whole deal sounds extremely questionable and I am just sorely disappointed that a town that has just placed me for my entire 33 years, would do this. I have to agree completely with my father and my grandfather, Captain Harvey Campbell and his father, P.D. Campbell would just absolutely roll over in their graves if not climb out, they would be so horrified. I think you are doing a tremendous injustice to all the people in Charlevoix that have worked so hard to make the town what it is. If this deal goes through, you really will lose an awful lot of respect in my eyes. If the editor wishes to reply, my name is Carol Campbell Robbins, 72 Marion Rd., Dover, Delaware, 19901. Thank you.

Beaver Island Replies
What is this deal about the Beaver Island Boat Co. wanting to buy some property to land their boats and trading the Erber Garage to the City of Charlevoix. You see, that property that the Beaver Island lands their boats on was bought and paid for years ago. What gets me the most, one of the councilmen, here in Charlevoix, wants the Beaver Island Boat Co. to rent on the water but still for the City of Charlevoix to nab Erber's Garage at the same time. Sort of killing two birds with one stone. Really, we of Beaver Island don't need this. We are one up on Charlevoix. We have a college on our island sitting on 40 acres. It's more than Charlevoix can boast. A true Beaver Islander. Thank you.

Doesn't Favor Swap
I do not favor the City proceeding with this trade for two reasons: 1) The City of Charlevoix and its residents should strive to retain their beautiful and available waterfront and harbor properties. 2) Based upon the available value data of both properties, from a market approach it could certainly be considered a rather poor business transaction.

-Patty Janiro

City Council acts on revenue sharing

The purchase of a new firetruck and work on Ferry Avenue and Lake Michigan beaches are three projects that will be completed in Charlevoix with federal revenue sharing funds during the coming year.

The common council designated the expenditure of the federal funds during a public hearing Monday night. Some of the \$102,000 that the city is expected to receive from the federal government will also be used to purchase emergency equipment for the fire department and for wages

through the general fund. Council tabled action on the general budget until after a work session Thursday noon. However, preliminary figures establish the city budget at \$2,327, 510 for the general fund, electric fund, sewer fund, water fund, major streets and state trucking, local streets, capital improvements and debt retirement.

In other action, council discussed a site plan for the construction of a wall along Bridge Street by William

Kusina. Kusina is erecting a building on the corner of Bridge and Third Street and wants to put up the wall to provide additional parking on the sloping property. The new wall would also replace the present wall which is falling down.

Kusina proposes to construct a poured cement wall with a four-foot green plastic-coated chain link fence placed on top. At its highest point the wall would be 24 feet tall.

Alderman Jeanne Wallace opposed the construction of

Charlevoix High school student leaves mark on community

By PAULA HOLMES
A Charlevoix High School student is working hard to leave her mark on the town. Jodi Alger, 17, has helped design several store fronts and homes in the area.

Jodi got her start in the design business with her sophomore drafting class and since then has helped design an addition for her parent's home, the new front for Dapper Dick's and a new home for teacher Nelson

Green. She is currently working on a new storefront design for Dublinsky's. "I've always liked looking at new houses and going through them and looking at their design," the high school senior said explaining her interest in the field.



JODI ALGER looks over a rendering of a house she designed. The Charlevoix High School senior has left her mark on the town through the design of building fronts and homes.

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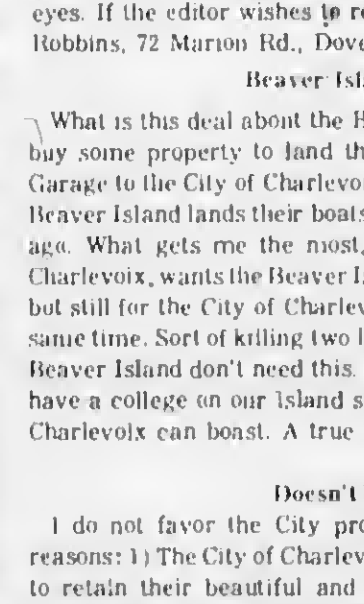
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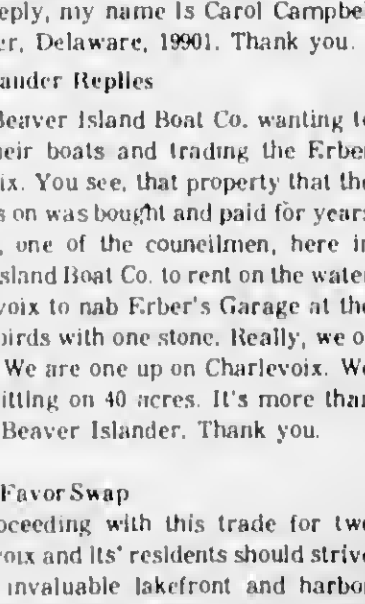
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BEER WINE AND PACKAGE LIQUOR TO TAKE OUT 547-6597

ated band festival at
Traverse City Saturday

The Symphony band
received a 1 in sight reading

asted intonation" as the
band's weak point. The band
played in Class B

The concert band, con-
ducted by saying, "All in all, it was a
successful concert."

Gallagher, former member of the
Charlevoix band, plays
first chair in the clarinet
section and is concert master
for the band

Mom's the word

"OUR OWN"
BONELESS-CENTERCUT
STUFFED

PORK ROAST **\$1⁹⁹** LB

FARMER PEETS
WHOLE PORK LOINS
(SLICED FREE)
99[¢] LB

ARMOUR
CANADIAN BACON **\$2⁹⁹** STYLE LB
CENTER CHUNKS

Seafood Specials

FRESH **SELECT OYSTERS** **\$3⁶⁹** PT

FRESH FROZEN **OCEAN PERCH FILLETS** **\$1³⁹** LB

FRESH FROZEN **STUFFED CRAB** **49[¢]** EACH

IGA-HEAVY DUTY **ALUMINUM FOIL** **59[¢]**

CAMPBELL TOMATO SOUP **5/89[¢]** 10 1/2 OZ

OVEN FRESH **SOUR CREAM DONUTS** **59[¢]** 12 OZ

AND WHITE BREAD **49[¢]** 20 OZ

WASHINGTON RED OR GOLDEN DELICIOUS **APPLES** **4/69[¢]**

CUCUMBERS OR GREEN PEPPERS **5/99[¢]**

SUNKIST LEMONS **3/35[¢]**

FARMER PEETS

HI-STILE HAM **\$1⁰⁹** LB

FARMER PEETS
RING BOLOGNA **89[¢]** LB

LEAN MEATY SPARE RIBS **\$1⁰⁹** LB

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The band is making the trip in response to an invitation received to participate in the Michigan Week program that features a concert at the Capitol building every noon for three weeks.

Band members will spend Friday night with Dansville band members and return home Saturday afternoon, arriving at approximately 2 p.m.

Accompanying Stutzman and the band as chaperones will be Mrs. Orville Hicks, Mrs. Richard Krueger, Mrs. Eugene Diezic and Mrs. Vincent Olach.

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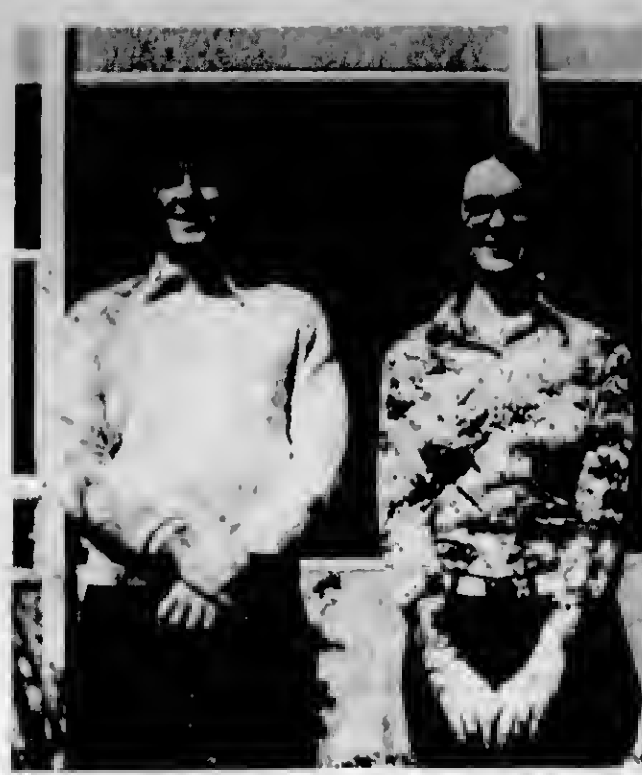
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CHARLEVOIX HIGH SCHOOL students who will be participating in the Operation Bentley program this year are Kip Cinnamon and Wendy Wieland.

2 students picked for workshop

Two Charlevoix High School juniors have been named to participate in Operation Bentley, a two-week workshop relating to state and local government, to be held at Olivet College May 17-29. Nelson Green, high school government teacher, has announced.

They are Wendy Wieland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wieland, and Christopher "Kip" Cinnamon, son of the late Mrs. Sandra Cinnamon.

The pair was named by Robert Fischer, coordinator for the program, following interviews with the seven candidates recommended by high school administrators and teachers.

The program, a study in government at the grass root level, was initiated in 1963 by the Alvin Bentley Foundation and is designed to show the students how the system works and to teach them to work within the system to change it. The program is under the guidance of William Porter, Political Science instructor at Olivet College.

Girl Scouts to hold day camp at Boyne City

Charlevoix Girl Scouts will have a chance to attend Day Camp again this summer.

The camp will be held June 13 through 17 at the campsite on the Dam Site Road between

Boyne City and Boyne Falls, from 9:30 in the morning to 3:30 in the afternoon.

There will be a registration fee of \$7 for each camper to pay for snacks, craft materials, and other miscellaneous items. A free lunch will be served.

Parents will be responsible for transporting the girls to and from camp. It is suggested that each troop form a car pool.

Each troop leader has registration forms but parents needing further information may receive it by calling Mrs. Charles Sonnenberg at 547-9664.

All-school art show opens Thursday

A new gallery will be opening in Charlevoix this week for a limited showing. The Charlevoix Elementary School will be decked out with art exhibits created by students from throughout the school district during an art show which will open Thursday evening and run until May 13.

Opening night, which will begin at 6:30 p.m. Thursday, will feature many demonstrations as well as art works by kindergarten through 12th grade students. Students will be demonstrating batik, the pottery wheel, rug making, the button machine and the art of applying clown make-up.

Visitors to the elementary school turned art gallery are also urged to visit as many of the rooms and corridors in the school as possible. Marti Mathers, elementary school art teacher said.

A little bit of everything students have done in art classes at the elementary, middle and high school level will be on display throughout the building, Ms. Mathers said.

Following opening night, hours for the art show will be during regular school hours.



THE ANNUAL all school art show will open at the Charlevoix Elementary School Thursday evening. Students made a sign announcing the event out of paper flowers and put them in the window.



YOUNG CAMPERS learning to swim at Camp Daggett on Walloon Lake. Applications for this summer's sessions are now being taken.

Camp Daggett getting ready for 1977 summer season

Camp Daggett, the camp for local boys and girls, is now being readied for the summer season.

E.K. Shanahan of Charlevoix, a trustee of the camp board, reports that cleanup of the grounds is being made by members of several service clubs and cabins are being put in order following winter damage.

Camp Daggett is now in its 32nd year. It became a coed camp last summer following the construction of several new cabins and a new sanitary facility. It is a non-profit camp, supported by donations from individuals and service clubs.

Tim Pierson will return as Camp Director for his third year and will be assisted by his wife, Nancy. Jerry Donnelly will also return as Business manager, with his wife, Jo, to help him. Pierson says his staff of counselors and instructors is complete, with several people returning from last year.

Applications for Camp Daggett are available in all elementary and middle schools in both Charlevoix and Emmet Counties, and at the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, the Charlevoix County State Bank and the First State Bank of Charlevoix.

Anyone with a question about the camp may contact Shanahan at 547-2115.

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SIX CHARLEVOIX High School students qualified for the state forensics meet. In the front row is (left to right) Ann Watson, alternate; Lynn Blanchard and Laurie Helms. In the back row are: Louise Caldwell, Laurie Dusdal, alternate, and Sue Miller.

Hilda Watkins Day slated May 22 at Grandvue facility

Sunday, May 22, will be Hilda Watkins Day at Grandvue Medical Care Facility.

Hilda is retiring as Administrator of Grandvue after 28 years on the job, and her friends throughout the area will gather to say "thank you for a job well done" and wish her well in retirement.

Hilda is the only Administrator Grandvue has ever had. She took over when Grandvue first opened in an old building with peeling paint and stuck windows. Today the facility is a modern, fully equipped building complete with recreation rooms, physical therapy facilities, patio, dining room, and a

bright and shiny kitchen. The atmosphere of the 73-bed nursing home is reflective of Hilda's administration. It is quiet, efficient, clean and caring.

Flowers are now under way for a 27-bed supervised residential care addition to the facility, for people who need some medical attention and

care but not on a regular supervised basis. This has been one of Hilda's pet projects.

Everyone is invited to the open house from one to four o'clock, May 22, at the Grandvue Medical Care Facility, Peninsula Road, East Jordan.

At American Legion home

Rebekah Lodge to host convention

By EBAN MARTIN
The Charlevoix Rebekah Lodge No. 293 will host the 51st annual session of the Rebekah Association District No. 8 on Wednesday, May 11.

Eva Ostrum, District president, will preside at the meeting to be held at the American Legion post home on Garfield ave. beginning at 1:30 p.m. The evening sessions will begin at 7 p.m. following a dinner at the Bethany Lutheran church dining room.

A model opening by the Charlevoix lodge will open the one-day convention. The introduction of District and Assembly officers will be followed by the introduction of past District officers by Eoline Lodge No. 247 of Bellaire.

Alma Swanson will welcome the visitors. Ellen Daniels of the Elk Rapids lodge will respond.

Exemplifications will follow the district business session with the Elk Rapids, Charlevoix, Bellaire, Man-

celona and East Jordan lodges participating. Remarks by the Assembly (or-state) president, Sabine Murray of Yale will conclude the afternoon meeting.

The evening sessions will feature entertainment by the Charlevoix and East Jordan lodges, a memorial service conducted by Emmet Lodge No. 104 of Petoskey, presentation of certificates, the introduction of Assembly president, and other officers, and the closing ceremony by the Charlevoix lodge with the Candle Light prayer.

Serving with Mrs. Ostrum as District officers are Eloise Beyer of Jassmine Lodge No. 365, East Jordan, vice president; Elias May Huffman, Eoline Lodge No. 247, Bellaire, secretary, and Dorothy Johnson, Emmet Lodge No. 104, treasurer.

Representatives to the session from the six lodges in the district are Clara Belle Johnson and Mable Bruce, Bellaire; Daisy Horton and Lois Olney, Charlevoix; Georgia Murphy and Lorna Holland, East Jordan; Darleen Hubert and Helen Jarran, Elk Rapids; Julia Pascoe and Virginia Lucas, Mancelona; and Doris Griffin and Donna Otto, Petoskey.

Each representative is the Noble Grand or Vice Grand of her respective lodge. Lauretta Swanson and Frances Durand are listed among the past presidents during the past 40 years. Mrs. Swanson served in 1959 and Miss Durand in 1970.

Jo Ann Elzinga, Clerk

PUBLIC NOTICE

May 26, 1977 7:30 P.M.

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Charlevoix Township Zoning Board will hold a Public Hearing to consider a request to rezone 10.3 acres in the Southwest Quarter of Section 33, T 34 N, R 8 W. This property is situated between US 31 South and Old US 31 South and borders on Marion Township. Present owners are Mr. & Mrs. John Sladek. The request is to rezone 1.8 acres from Agriculture to Commercial 3, and 8.5 acres from Agriculture to Residential 1. The complete legal description is available for inspection at the home of the Clerk, 1180 Pa-ba-Shan Lane.

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6 forensics students win regional honors

The Charlevoix High School Forensics team qualified four members for state competition in Ann Arbor Saturday, May 7, during the recent regional meet at Cadillac. Two alternates were also named from the team of seven who participated in the regional meet.

Louise Caldwell placed second and Lauren Helms third in the storytelling division; Sue Miller, a sophomore, second in informative speaking and Lynn Blanchard, third, in girls' oratory. The others are juniors.

Named as alternates were Laurie Dusdal in the radio

news division and Ann Watson in girls' extemporaneous. Others who participated were Laurie Glass who placed fifth in the humorous reading division; Matt Stangis, serious interpretive reading, and Bill Sweet, boys' oratory. Sweet is a senior. The others are juniors.

Mrs. Connie Ford is forensics coach. The Forensics class is planning an Evening of Entertainment at the high school study hall at 7:30 p.m. Thursday.

Included in the program will be the multiple presentation "You're a good nun, Charlie Brown" plus other forensic events.

Admission will be \$1.00 for adults and 75 cents for students.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

A Public Hearing will be held before the Common Council of the City of Charlevoix on Monday, May 9, 1977, at 8:00 p.m. in the Council Chambers of City Hall, to hear comments regarding the proposed land transaction between the City of Charlevoix and the Beaver Island Boat Company.

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Shade trees due to arrive for planting in city soon

The City of Charlevoix is expecting a shipment of trees that will be planted to replace the ones that died due to drought conditions last summer are expected to arrive any day, City Administrator Allen Sandberg said.

Sandberg also explained that trees that are to be removed have been clipped to about four feet from the ground.

"This wasn't the work of some vandals," Sandberg said. "It was done so that city crews will know which trees need to be replaced."

The Shade Tree Commission also plans to plant some additional shade trees in other areas of the town this year.

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF CHARLEVOIX PUBLIC SCHOOLS CHARLEVOIX AND ANTRIM COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual School Election of the School District will be held on Monday, June 13, 1977.

TAKE NOTICE THAT the School District uses the physical registration records of the City of Charlevoix. THE LAST DAY FOR REGISTERING WITH THE CHARLEVOIX CITY CLERK IS MONDAY, MAY 16, 1977, ON WHICH DAY THE OFFICE OF THE CHARLEVOIX CITY CLERK WILL BE OPEN FOR THE PURPOSE OF TAKING REGISTRATION FROM 8:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., UNTIL 8:00 O'CLOCK, P.M. PERSONS REGISTERING WITH THE CHARLEVOIX CITY CLERK AFTER 8:00 O'CLOCK P.M., ON MONDAY, MAY 16, 1977, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE CHARLEVOIX, NORWOOD, HAYES, MARION, EVELINE AND BANKS TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 13, 1977, IS MONDAY, MAY 16, 1977. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5:00 O'CLOCK, P.M., ON MONDAY, MAY 16, 1977, WITH THE RESPECTIVE TOWNSHIP CLERKS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education.

KENNETH J. BOSS
Secretary, Board of Education



FIRST GRADE student Chester Cuasima practices a dance for the Charlevoix Elementary School's spring program, "A Salute to Disney." Chester and his classmates will be chimney sweeps.

'Salute to Disney' theme of musical

Minnie Mouse and Mickey Mouse and all their friends will be in Charlevoix next week for a celebration of spring.

This year's annual spring program by the Charlevoix Elementary School is a "Salute to Disney" and will feature elementary school students as the familiar

Disney characters, Marina LaBlanc, music instructor at the school, said.

A highlight of the show, which is slated for 7:30 p.m. May 12 in the high school gym, will be a parade of Disney characters with the children wearing masks and costumes they have made in art class.

Songs, duets, trios and dances by the first through fifth graders will also be presented during the show.

Dress rehearsal for the program will be held at 9:15 a.m. May 11, in the high school gym.

Ruppe aide visits today

Jerry Newhouse, lower peninsula district representative for Congressman Philip Ruppe, will hold office hours from noon to 1 p.m. today at the Charlevoix County Building.

Any county citizens needing to discuss a federal matter is invited to visit Newhouse.

Exchange Day mayor comes from Jackson

Charlevoix will be getting a new mayor next week - at least for one day anyway.

Mayor Edward Hansen and Fred Jenke, mayor of Jackson, will be participating in Mayor's Exchange Day on May 16 as a part of Michigan Week. Jenke will be spending the day in Charlevoix and Hansen will be seeing the sites of Jackson.

Mayor's Exchange Day will open in Charlevoix with a swearing-in ceremony at 10 a.m. in the city hall according to Max Novak and Barbara Black, organizers of the event. Jenke will be given a tour of the city and honored at a luncheon and dinner.

Jenke has been mayor of Jackson since 1975 and previously served as chairman of the board and president of Hancock Industries, Inc. An avid hunter, fisherman and golfer, the Jackson resident requested the exchange in Charlevoix the beautiful.

The Jackson mayor is involved in many community and business activities including Junior Achievement, Childrens Aid, Manufacturers Association, Arthritis Foundation of Michigan, and the University of Michigan Alumni Club.

He and his wife have a son and a daughter and two grandchildren.



Fred C. Jenke

VFW, American Legion to honor senior citizens

The senior citizens of the Charlevoix area will be the guests of the Leslie T. Shapton Post No. 228, American Legion, and Charlevoix V.F.W. Post No. 1153 at a dinner and evening of entertainment scheduled for 6:30 p.m. Thursday, May 19.

The event will be held at the American Legion post home on Garfield ave. A happy hour at 5:30 p.m. will precede the dinner.

Ivan Parsons and his one man band will furnish the entertainment and music for dancing. James Willis, Jr. is Commander of the American Legion and Edwin P. Zetter Commander of the V.F.W. post.

Robert Munia is chairman of the dinner committee. He will be assisted by Benjamin Gill, Norman Ramsdell and Jack Warner. Mrs. George Shearer will make the home-made bread for the dinner.

The dinner and evening of entertainment is the second one sponsored by the two veterans groups as a salute to the senior citizens of the Charlevoix area.

State Legislature reviews discount program for elderly

By PEG OHLE
The Michigan Legislature is now reviewing the proposed Michigan Senior Discount Program.

The program, recommended by the state Office of Services to the Aging (OSA), would make it possible for people over 60 years of age to buy merchandise at a discount from merchants participating in the program.

Senior citizens carrying a discount card would be eligible for varying discounts offered by service and retail businesses. The businesses would participate on a voluntary basis and set their own discount provisions.

OSA anticipates that during the first year of operation, approximately 25 percent of the businesses in Michigan would participate in the program and that 850,000 of the 1.3 million senior citizens in the state would be issued a card.

OSA Director Ron Kivi says that "While it has been labeled as a statewide program, our primary intent would be to aid local communities in organizing their own programs. We are hopeful that state funds would be made available to purchase the supplies and materials necessary for card processing and identifying participating merchants. The active support of local groups, organizations, and most importantly senior citizens themselves, would be necessary to make the program effective."

While the OSA is prepared to initiate the program by the middle of this summer, the actual start date would depend upon legislative action.

Dick Georgi attends meet on business sales

A Charlevoix real estate salesman recently attended a seminar on the sale of business opportunities.

Richard E. Georgi, of Ski and Shee Charlevoix, Inc., attended the seminar to learn more about the listing and sale of businesses. The seminar included field trips to review such business opportunities as restaurants, motels, bottling plants, cafes, bars and retail shops. It was taught by Arthur Haniel, San Jose, Calif., investment realtor.

Georgi is a member of the Antrim-Charlevoix Board of Realtors and his offices are located at Park and Bridge streets.

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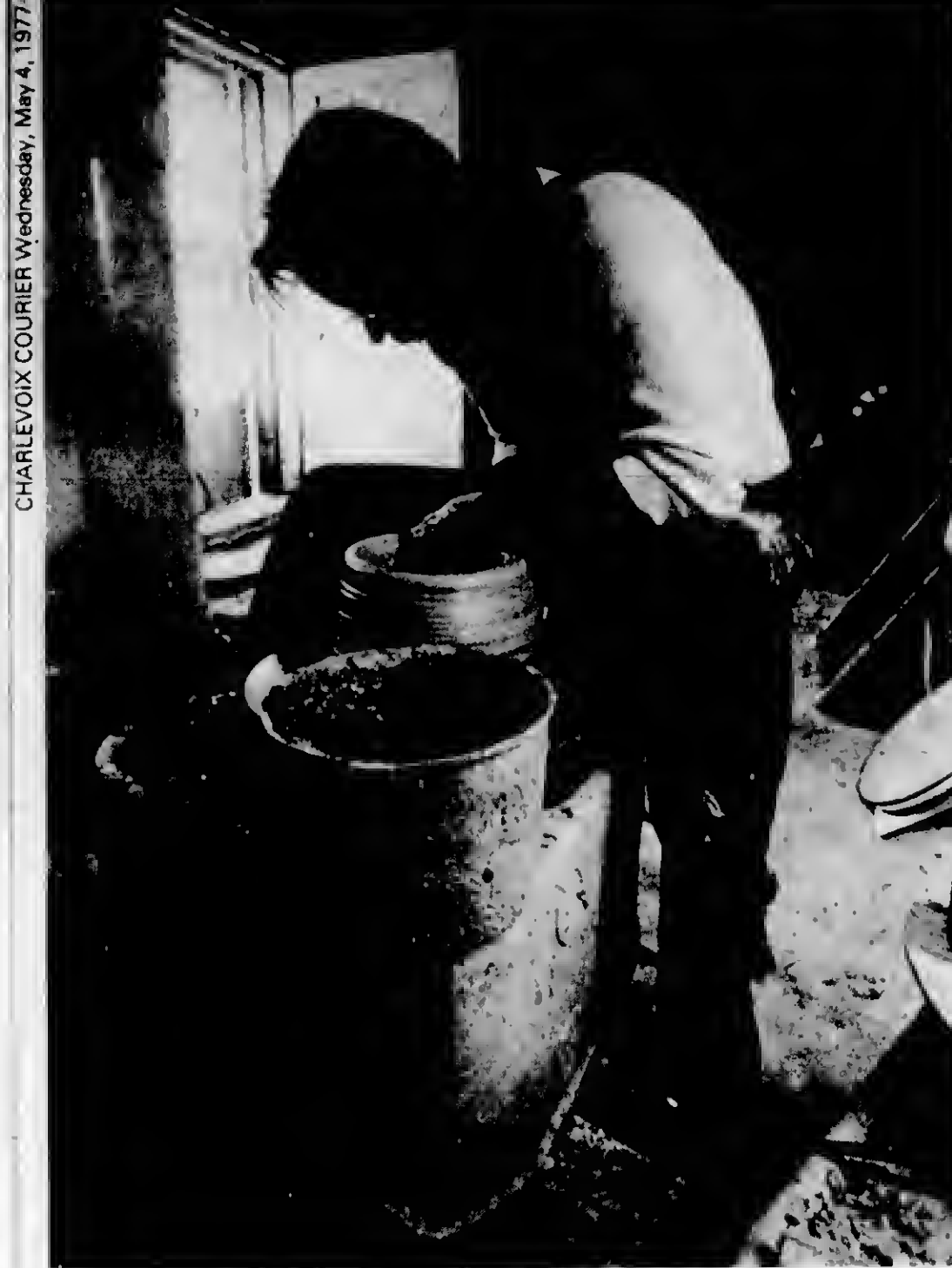
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Artists plan spring tour

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"We hope to acquaint the people that live up here with what we do through these tours," Sue Bolt, potter, explained.

"Also these tours give school children a chance to see artists at work," she added.

The studios will be open from 4 to 9 p.m. Friday and 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

Womens club seeks books for annual sale

Plans for the annual CHICO book sale sponsored by the Charlevoix Women's Club have been announced by Ethel Weisinger, book sale chairman.

The plans were announced at this time in the hopes that residents of the area, who are doing their spring house cleaning might remember the book sale and pass along any books they might want to dispose of.

Mrs. Weisinger said "We will take any and all kinds of books, anything that will sell and it's amazing what people will buy." Mrs. Weisinger added.

The books may be left at 201 Petoskey ave. or people may call 547-9487 for pick-ups. Paperback books will be accepted.

The sale is scheduled for Aug. 12-13. Proceeds benefit CHICO (Charlevoix Indian Childrens Organization) which uses the funds to aid Indian children in the community.

Correction

Some errors appeared in the article about the Harold Towsley's 40th wedding anniversary.

The names of two of their children were printed incorrectly. The names should have read, Mr. and Mrs. Russ Cinnamon named to Dean's list.

John M. Cinnamon was named to the Kalamazoo College Deans List for winter quarter.

The freshman was one of 194 students named to the list.

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Cancer society fund drive rolling along in county

Activities for the Charlevoix County Unit of the American Cancer Society's Cancer Crusade continue to roll along. Volunteers are still canvassing county neighborhoods in the door-to-door drive. Additional volunteers, whose names did not appear on the list of volunteers published in the Courier April 20, include: Marilyn Auli, Mrs. Bob Green, Jackie Stacy, Jean Brewster, Pauline Austin, Nancy Taylor, and Mrs. Del Terril.

Volunteers will also begin calling on local businesses that have not responded to a letter that was sent out earlier this month seeking donations toward the unit's \$13,900 goal. These volunteers include: James and Frances McMillan, Bob and Madeline Heise, Mrs. Lewis Julleriet and Shirley Roloff.

Also this week the cancer society will be selling tickets for a drawing of \$100 worth of free groceries. Tickets may be purchased Friday and Saturday at Olesons.

Garden club to study beekeeping, gardening

The next meeting of the Charlevoix Garden Club will be a breakfast meeting at the home of Mrs. Conrad Klooster, 522 Meadowlane, at 10 a.m. May 10. Mrs. Dale Glass will be the co-hostess. A tuncy seasonal program will feature "Down to Earth Gardening" by Mrs. Howe and "Free Keeping" by Robert Plautier.

Further plans for the annual Garden Sale featuring gardening items will be made. The event will be held at 807 E. Dixon Ave. on Tuesday, May 17, and will feature the sale of gardening items of all kinds including plants.

Boy Scouts attend camporee in Ludington

Eleven members of Boy Scout Troop 11 with Scoutmaster Louis Edwards and his assistant, John Houting, joined four Boy Scout troops from the Holland area for a camporee at the National Forest campgrounds near Baldwin last weekend.

The party included 6 Scouts and 10 adult leaders. Scouts worked on Scouting Advancement awards and, other than participating camping skills, enjoyed a big campfire Saturday night.

Scouts making the trip were Kevin Whitley, Dan Buday, Paul Stangis, Gerald Zettler, Willie Hanger, Tim May, James Duke, Mike Paul, Joe Smith, Patrick Avery and Jim Landon.

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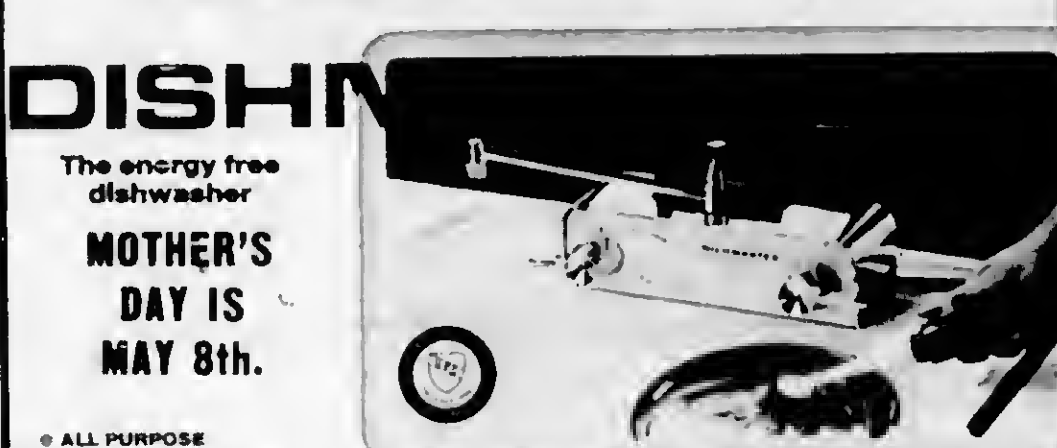
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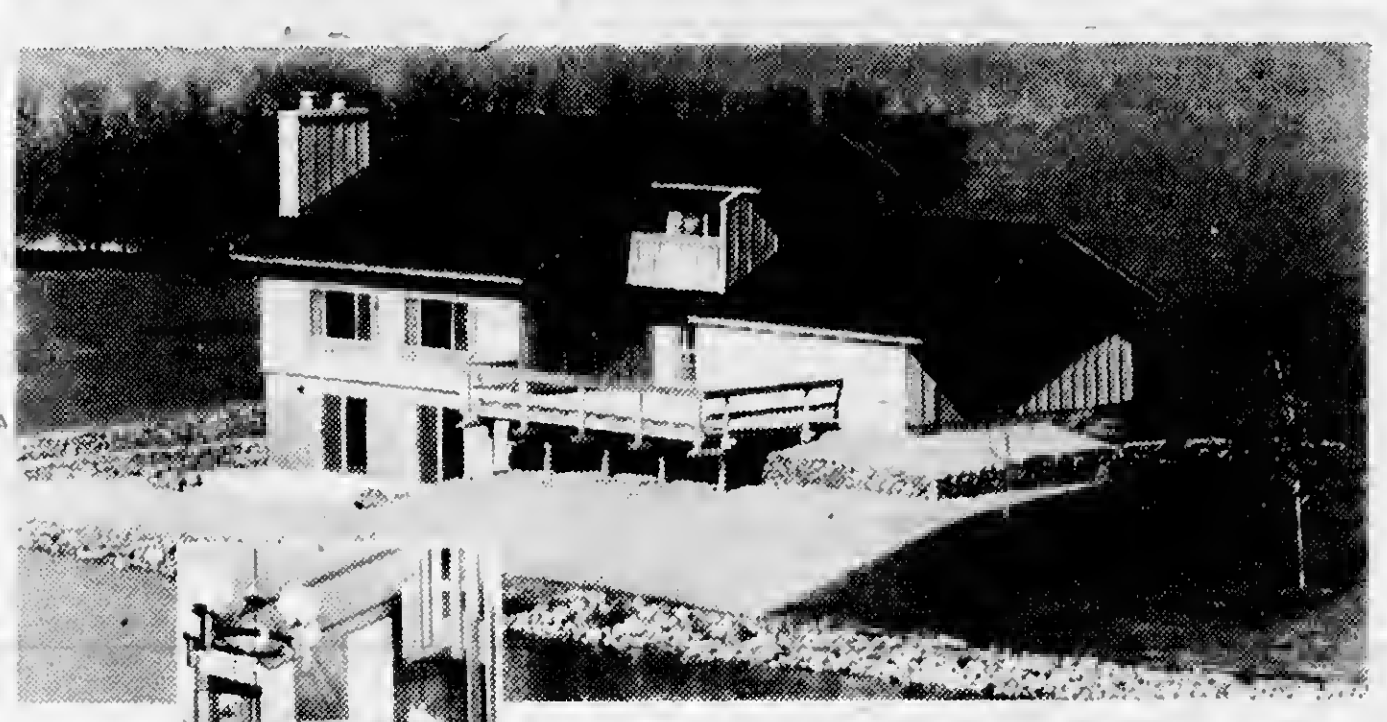
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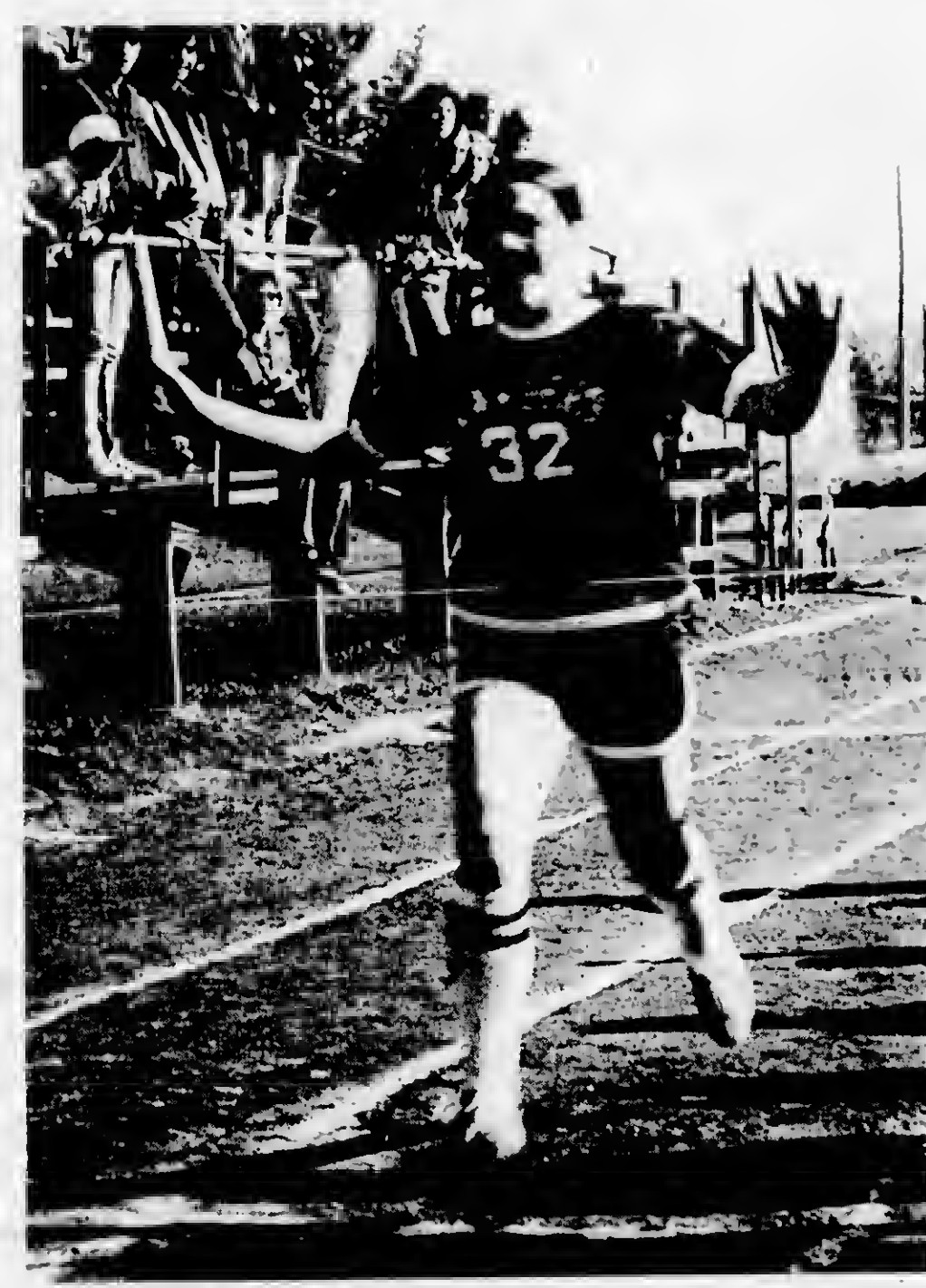


and over for Chris Jones during the high jump competition last week. Mike Jones took first place in the event during Charlevoix's triangular meet with Gaylord and Grayling.

Girls dash into victory circle



MO CUDD takes a hand off during a relay race at the first home meet of the year. The girls captured first place for their efforts against Gaylord and Grayling.



SHERRI SELESSON raises her hands in victory as she crosses the finish line during the first home track meet for the girl's team. The team captured first place.



PIGTAILS FLYING behind her, Corinne Ranger takes a leap during the low hurdles competition. Charlevoix defeated Gaylord and Grayling during a triangular meet.



TAMMY MITCHELL hands off the wand to Sherri Selesson during the first leg of the 440 yard relay.

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May 13 deadline for registration for slow-pitch

Friday, May 13, will be the deadline for registering for the men's and women's slow pitch leagues, Bill Supernaw, league president, has announced.

The 1977 season will open Monday, May 23.

In the meantime, the field must be ready for the opener, Dwight Boss, City Recreation Director, has asked all league members to turn out for a work bee at the Carpenter Avenue field at 7 p.m. Thursday. "There's not much to be done so if everyone turns out it won't take long," Boss said.

The league plans to raise the height of the outfield fence by four feet prior to the opening of the season.

Following the registration, league officials will meet on May 14 to complete the game scheduling. All team fees must be paid by the deadline date and the individual fees by May 23, the date of the first game.

The sponsor fee has been set at \$60 for the coming season. The fee will be assessed \$8.00 if they live in the city and \$13 if they live outside the city limits.

Any players not already on a team may leave their names at the city's clerk office or the office of the recreation director in the city hall.

It is expected the league will play an 11 to 13 week schedule and that two all-star teams will be named to represent Charlevoix in the annual July 4th slow-pitch tournament sponsored by the association.

There will also be post season play-offs and a double elimination tournament to close out the season in late August.

Persons interested in umpiring are asked to contact Commissioner James Willis.

Girls rack up win in triangular meet

The Charlevoix High School girls track team racked up 77 points to win a triangular meet at Gaylord Tuesday. The host team had 56 1/2 points. Grayling had 10 1/2.

Charlevoix captured seven firsts including the high jump and the long jump by Chris Jones; the discus by Chris Lehmman; the shot put by Sandy Hodge; the mile by Karen Sniak; and the 800 and mile relays.

Charlevoix's points were tallied by the following:

Discus: 1. Lehmman; 2. Hodge; 3. Teri Hufford. Distance: 82'3".

Shot put: 1. Hodge; Distance: 32'2".

High jump: 1. Jones; 3. Kris Fiedler; 4. Karen Lamoreaux tied. Ht: 4'7".

Two mile: 2. Irene Cutler. 800 yd. relay: 1. Charlevoix (Chris Culbertson, Carole

Tennis win streak comes to a halt

By FRANK MARTIN

The Charlevoix Rayder tennis team's winning streak came to a halt last week when the team dropped two meets, losing to Alpena 4-3 on Wednesday and to Tawas 7-0 on Thursday.

The Thursday meet was an expensive one for the Rayders for it marked the loss of the top singles player, Erik Lundteigen, for at least two weeks as a result of an ankle injury during the second set of his game with Steve Fisher. Coach Wright said x-rays showed no fracture but Lundteigen will be sidelined for two weeks. Another x-ray will be taken at that time to determine if and when he can return to action, Wright added.

On Wednesday the team had had a good meet with Alpena though they lost. Wright said, Lundteigen had won over Brad Hatch 1-6, 6-4, 6-3; Mark Lignell lost to Jim Milroy 5-7, 6-4, 6-0; Steve Berlage lost to Mike Stover 6-4, 6-4 and Lisa Wiener to Steve Dunk 7-5, 6-4.

In the doubles, Mark Malpel and Dave Taylor defeated Mike Gagnon and Glenn Nichols 6-2, 6-7, 6-3; Dave Morridge and Tom McNamara lost to Mike Monroe and Mike Greer 6-2, 7-3; Geoff Nelson and Jeff Cockfield won over Stacy Smith and Matt Clark 7-5, 6-4.

It was in the first match at Potosky on Thursday that Lundteigen was injured. He had lost the first set 6-2 and had gone ahead 0-2 when he injured his ankle.

From then on in, it was Potosky all the way as Lignell lost to Jeff Crawford 6-1, 6-2; Berlage to Lance Bawkey 6-2, 6-4; Wiener to Paul Simard 6-0, 6-4.

In the doubles, Taylor and Malpel won the first set 6-1 and then found themselves losing 6-3, 7-6 to Dave Jensen and Dean Belan. In the other doubles matches, Morridge and McNamara lost to Randy Marquardt and Joe Breighner 6-0, 7-6 and Nelson and Cockfield to Paul Douma and Tim Wana 6-3, 6-4.

Charlevoix will host East Jordan here Tuesday, travel to Gaylord Friday, play in the Alpena Invitational Saturday, host Elk Rapids Monday and play at East Jordan Tuesday.

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The Clothing Company in Charlevoix is the Thom McAn dealer in northern Michigan. No purchase is necessary to enter Pitch, Hit and Run. An official entry blank is in the Tips book which also offers tips for the competition.

The conditioning tips are aimed at improving heart and lung and warmup tips are geared to properly prepare the youngster for the Pitch & Hit competition.

Registration will continue through May 22 for all area boys and girls at The Clothing Company in Charlevoix.

Middle school girls capture track win

Charlevoix's Middle School girls' track team, with 75 points to their credit, defeated Cheboygan with 40 points and Potosky with 27 in a triangular meet at Cheboygan Thursday.

Charlevoix took eight firsts in the meet and set a new record for the 880 yard run when Theresa Nolot covered the distance in 2:55 to clip five seconds from the old record.

The point-getters for Charlevoix were:

Long jump: 1. Liz Keller. Distance: 13'9".

Shot put: 1. Melinda Klooster; 3. Chris White; 4. Brenda Wojan tied. Distance: 36'.

High jump: 2. Hope Malpel. Distance: 48'9".

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Long jump: 2. Brian Williams; 3. Kerry Speer. Pole vault: 1. Wellman; 2. Scott Morgan. Ht: 10'.

Discus: 3. Doan; 4. Speer.

See Track page 12

Junior boys win by slim margin

The Charlevoix Middle School boys were the victors in a triangular track meet held Friday at Potosky. Charlevoix came through with 68 points, Potosky 66 1/2 and Cheboygan, 23 1/2 points.

Charlevoix will host Boyne City here Thursday.

Coach Jerry Puhl had only the first place winners in the meet.

They are as follows: Long jump: Jay Stevens; Ht: 17'6". Shot put: Jim Balliargeon. Distance: 36'7". 800 yd. run: Stevens; Time: 2:55.0; 60 yd. high hurdles: Jay Swarthout. Time: 9.2; 100 yd. dash: Fred Sonnenberg; Time: 9.25; 220 yd. dash: Stevens; Time: 27.1.

Boys team wins meet against Grayling, Gaylord

The Charlevoix Rayder track team, with 75 points, took the triangular meet at Gaylord with Grayling Tuesday to chalk up the team's first win of the 1977 season. Gaylord had 68 1/2 and Grayling 20 1/2.

In winning the meet, the team captured nine firsts, with Matt Doan taking the 330 yd. low hurdles and the 120 yd. high hurdles, Neil Dziedzic the 100 yd. dash, Randy Bearss, the 220 yd. dash, Wally Drenth, the two mile run, Jeff Wellman, the pole vault, Tom Jones, the shot and two relays, the 880 and 440 yd. races.

Charlevoix's point winners in the meet at Gaylord follow:

Shot put: 1. Jones; 3. Doan. Distance: 48'9".

High jump: 2. Dziedzic. Long jump: 2. Brian Williams; 3. Kerry Speer. Pole vault: 1. Wellman; 2. Scott Morgan. Ht: 10'.

Discus: 3. Doan; 4. Speer.

Two mile: 1. Wally Drenth; 4. Jeff Drenth. Time: 10:12.5.

330 yd. low hurdles: 1. Doan. Time: 43".

880 yd. relay: 1. Charlevoix (Bearss, Dziedzic, Ed Mann, Jack Cross). Time: 1:40.

880 yd. run: 2. Brian Williams; 3. Pat Schmidt.

Coach Chuck Wright said the Charlevoix team clinched the meeting with the Dave Taylor-Marc Malpel match which the Rayder don won in three sets. He added, however, that all sets were important in the meeting with the strong Elks.

At Elk Rapids Monday Erik Lundteigen defeated Tom Coates by scores of 7-5, 4-6, 6-2; Mark Lignell lost to Marty Merritt 6-3, 6-2; Steve Berlage defeated Kevin Coleman 7-5, 2-6, 6-2; Lisa Wiener defeated Cole Shoemaker 6-2, 6-2 in the singles.

In the doubles Taylor and Malpel defeated Chad Williams and Brett Morris 7-6, 6-7, 6-3; Tom McNamara and Dave Morridge lost to Dan Fox and Mike Sgricva 6-4, 4-6, 5-7; Jeff Cockfield and Geoff Nelson took the final match, defeating Jeff Seltman and Scott Dennis 6-1, 6-2.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN,

The Probate Court for the

County of CHARLEVOIX,

Estate of MYRTLE L. READ,

TAKE NOTICE: On June 1,

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Judge of Probate, a hearing

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Myrtle L. Read, praying among

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Per family debt averages \$1,850 in Charlevoix County

To what extent have Charlevoix County residents been utilizing the installment credit available to them in their recent stepped-up spending for consumer goods?

How large is their debt load, relative to income, and how well are they managing it?

As in other parts of the country, there was an upturn in consumer spending in recent months, especially in December, causing the debt load to expand considerably.

From the standpoint of business, there was a good sign. It was a solid indicator of an economy that was on the rise. People were again in the marketplace for new cars, washing machines, furniture, refrigerators and other costly goods and services.

Because most of it was bought on credit as usual the increase in the debt load reflects the increase in consumer buying.

Nationally, according to figures from the Federal Reserve Board, consumer credit at the beginning of the year was at a three-year high, nearly \$179 billion. It was 10 percent more than a year earlier. Auto buying was the chief reason.

In Charlevoix County, based upon average earnings and spending locally and upon the national findings, the amount of installment debt outstanding is estimated at \$1,850 per family.

In general, the debt load is equivalent to about one-seventh of net disposable income.

That is the average. Some families have bigger obligations than that and some have much smaller ones. There is a small proportion that buys for cash and has no installment debt at all.

As for the Charlevoix County population as a whole, the amount of such debt outstanding at the beginning of the year was approximately \$10,847,000, it is estimated.

The largest part of it consisted for loans for car purchases. Most of the rest was for other consumer buying, for personal loans and loans for home repair and modernization. Mortgage loans charge accounts and single payment loans are not included. They do not fall into this category.

Some 15 percent of the average local family's after-tax income, or about \$155 per month, is needed to meet the installments on its debt. It is calculated.

Kit Lieberman graduates

Kathryn A. Lieberman of Charlevoix was one of 670 students receiving degrees from Northern Michigan University during its 77th annual Spring Commencement last Saturday.

Miss Lieberman was awarded her degree in Criminal Justice.

Included in the graduating class were three candidates for one-year certificates, 42 for two-year associate degrees, 560 for bachelor's degrees, 73 for master's degrees, and two for education specialist (six-year) degrees.



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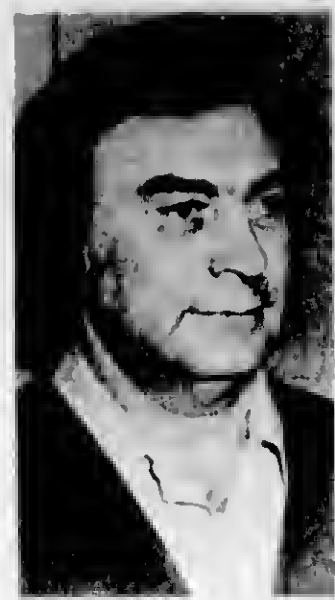
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"Councils change. They don't know the history behind the boat company."

--Mayor Hansen



"I would like to buy the property."

--Tom Duke



"The city won't be ahead by much parking."

--G.B. Saltonstall



"We could tear up part of East Park for two-tier parking."

--Oscar Ward

City land swap plans drowned by protests

By PAULA HOLMES

The question was: Should the City of Charlevoix swap 190 feet of property on Round Lake for the former Erber Garage building on Clinton Street?

The answer was a resounding no from the more than 50 people attending a public hearing on the issue Monday night.

Mayor Edward Hansen told the citizens attending the meeting the common council was considering the swap based on the recommendations of the Charlevoix Regional Planning Commission and the Charlevoix Building Authority that the city needs more parking area.

"The boat company doesn't want to take away any privileges or rights of the people to the use of the land. They just want to be assured that they will be able to continue to operate from the dock without any outside interference," the mayor said.

Hansen said "I suggest that it continue to do so." Duke also suggested that if the city was planning to dispose of public property that it allow anyone to bid on it.

"But what you've done is to make the specifications so that only the boat company could bid on the property," Duke continued. "That is a unique parcel of property and the only way to determine the realty price of it is to put it up for auction."

Duke was also opposed to trading city property so that a private business wouldn't be harassed by outsiders.

"Use the airport and I don't like the harassment from the outside people so I would like to trade an office building at 301 Michigan St. for the airport. I would also like to put a bid in for the dock."

"I would like to buy the property," Duke's comments were greeted with a round of applause from the audience.

Other people said the swap would not result in much additional parking for the city.

"The city won't be ahead by much parking with the swap,"

G.B. Saltonstall said "You can only get 20 cars in there unless you tear the building down."

"If you want the property for parking, why not buy it," Mrs. Saltonstall added.

Oscar Ward suggested there was another way to get additional parking without swapping the dock for the Erber Garage. He suggested that part of East Park be torn up to make two-tier parking.

"This would help both the city and the boat company," Ward said.

Other residents suggested that the city offer the boat company a long-term lease. The residents said they had nothing against the boat company, but they just didn't

want to sell the Round Lake property.

Boat company officials said they would be glad to consider a long-term lease. The current lease is for 12 years with the rent for the property negotiable every three years.

Hansen said he was under the impression that the city could not enter a long-term lease with anyone. City Attorney Donald Berlage said he was not aware of any law that barred the city from entering long term leases.

Another resident called for a vote of city residents on the issue.

No action was taken by the council on the matter, but Hansen said a statement would be made at the Tuesday meeting.

Attorney Donald Berlage said he was not aware of any law that barred the city from entering long term leases.

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Mt. Clemens man hired to head Grandvue unit

A Mt. Clemens resident has been hired as the new administrator for the Grandvue Medical Care Facility, Richard Tilden, director of the Charlevoix County Department of Social Services, announced.

R. Ronald Conkle, 45, was hired to replace administrator Hilda Watkins, R.N., effective June 1 during a special meeting of the social services board Monday.

Conkle is currently the administrator of Cambridge Nursing Centre East, 160-skilled-bed nursing home in the suburban Detroit area. He has served in an administrative capacity in the management of nursing homes since 1972. He is a licensed nursing home administrator and is registered as a social worker with the State of Michigan.

He has also served as administrator of Jarvis Acres Cooperative, Inc., a retirement community in Lansing and MBS Lansing, a skilled bed nursing home in Lansing. He was also executive director of Junior Achievement of Greater Lansing and worked as an industrial engineer for Republic Steel Corporation, and salesman for Rust Craft Greeting Cards among other occupations.

Conkle and his wife Patricia and their six-year-old daughters will be moving to the county.

Council may lower taxes

Tax bills may be a little bit smaller for residents in the City of Charlevoix this year.

During a brief discussion of the proposed 1977-78 budget Monday night, common council discussed cutting the tax levy from 12 mills to 7 mills for the coming year due to a large reserve in the city coffers of more than \$74,000.

The tax levy would be reduced from 9 mills for operations and 3 mills for debt retirement to 2 mills for debt retirement.

"The question we have to answer when we try to decide how many mills to levy is how much reserve do you want to have," Mayor Ed Hansen said explaining the situation to the aldermen.

The aldermen agreed that the city should maintain a reserve of some sort, but they

were not sure how large the reserve should be.

"I would like to lower the taxes now and really cut into our reserve and then just have to jack the taxes back up again," Alderman Jeanne Wallace said.

Alderman Ray Wood agreed but pointed out that the value of the reserve funds goes down each year as the rate of inflation goes up.

"We're losing money if we do that," Wood said.

The aldermen also pointed out that the city could borrow at a lower percentage rate if it needed extra mills to pay the taxpayers could to pay a large tax bill.

"The City of New York is a lot sharper than us," Wood said. "And they don't operate with any type of a reserve."

"What makes you think

Eighth graders to sell subscriptions for trip

Help some eighth graders learn more about Michigan history.

Next week from 7 to 8:30 p.m. May 16-20, members of the Charlevoix Middle School eighth grade class will be knocking on doors in and around Charlevoix asking residents if they would like to buy or renew a subscription to the Charlevoix Courier at the regular price of \$8.

For their efforts, the Courier will split the subscription price with the students so that they can pay for a class trip to Mackinac Island.

The students would like to spend a day on the island enjoying the rustic beauty and learning about an important part of Michigan history, too.

Skateboarding takes Charlevoix by storm

You see them everywhere - at the middle school, in the parks, along city sidewalks and even in living rooms when mothers aren't looking.

They resemble miniature surfboards only with wheels. The 7- to 13-year-old group calls them fun, while older people call them dangerous.

Whatever they are, skateboards have taken Charlevoix by storm and it looks like they are here to stay - well, at least through the summer.

Area businesses that sell the toy report a high demand for the skateboard. They also said they have trouble keeping the skateboards in stock and getting more when they run out.

This is the second time around for the skateboard that got started after surfing along the California coast became popular in the 1960s. This time the new, improved skateboards allow for much more flexibility and creativity, according to three experts, Mike Feis, Bill Mosher and Teresa Noiroi.

"Nobody taught me how to skate board," Teresa said. "I just watched everybody else and then tried it myself."

The three middle school students said they also read "Skateboarding Magazine" and used the tips in it to perfect their skills.

"I like the pictures and the tips," Bill said. "After reading one of the tips I could do a 360 (a complete turn on the skateboard)."

The students claimed skateboarding is perfectly safe, although they did have some advice for people that are just beginning to skateboard.

"Don't start with anything too great and you'll do all right," Mike said.

City Police Chief Jack Mol also had some advice for skateboarders. Mol suggested the students skateboard on the sidewalks and in private parking lots and driveways with the permission of the owner.

"We have only had one accident with a skateboarder and fortunately he only got the car hit him," Mol said.

"The kids should stay out of the streets."



MIKE FEIS also likes the challenge of skateboarding and shows his skill as he attempts to do a complete turn on the board.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK: How much surplus do you think the city should have in its budget? The current surplus is \$74,000. Phone in your replies to the Hotline at 547-6559 after 6 p.m. weekdays or all day long on Saturday and Sunday and we will print them for all to see.



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The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Seaway Disposal Plant.

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May 3	61	34	.0
May 4	72	49	.0
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May 6	65	54	.22

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Community Calendar

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Wednesday, May 11
Track: Charlevoix Rayders will attend annual Soa Invitational.

Charlevoix Rebekah Lodge No. 293 will host the District 18 meeting here. Business meetings at American Legion Post home 1:15 and 7 p.m. with Annual banquet at Bethany Lutheran church dining room at 5:30 p.m.

Charlevoix County Chapter, Michigan Association for the Blind will meet at Community Room, First State Bank 7:30 p.m. Anyone interested in problems of the blind is welcome to attend.

Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at hangar room 8 p.m.
Round Lake Lodge No. 293, I.O.O.F., will meet at American Legion 8 p.m.
TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towles, Loeb Rd., 6 p.m.
Mary Burns circle will meet at the First Congregational church 7:30 p.m. Hostesses: Mrs. J.F. Webb and Mrs. Robert Coss.

Mary Brewster circle will meet with Mrs. Robert Burns with Mrs. Donald Coss as co-hostesses. 9:30 a.m. Ethel Wiesinger will present the program.

Margaret Parker circle will meet at the First Congregational church 1:30 p.m. Hostesses: Mrs. Keith Wagner and Mrs. Lee Mason. American Cancer Society will present the program at Charlevoix Senior Citizens

Center at East Jordan 1:30 p.m.
Thursday, May 12
Tennis: Charlevoix at Cheboygan 4 p.m.
Auxiliary of the Grandvue Medical Care Facility will meet at the facility 2 p.m.
V.F.W. will meet at post home 8 p.m.
American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the post home 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Elementary students will present their annual spring program "Salute to Disney" at high school gymnasium 7:30 p.m. under direction of Marina LaBlanc. Public is invited. Kindergarten children will not participate in the program.
Great Pines Chapter of Retired School Personnel will meet at the 4-H Center at Fairgrounds in Petoskey 2 p.m.

Mary Brewster circle will meet at the First Congregational church 1:30 p.m. Hostesses: Mrs. Keith Wagner and Mrs. Lee Mason. American Cancer Society will present the program at Charlevoix Senior Citizens

Bureau Women to be held at the Char-Em Intermediate School District Service Center, Mercer Blvd. 1 p.m.
Mrs. Richard Wieland will present a demonstration entitled "Bread and Milk".
Deadline for registering men women's slow pitch teams for participation in Charlevoix Slow Pitch Association competition.

Saturday, May 14
Charlevoix Junior-Senior High School prom at St. Joseph's Bay View Inn.
Charlevoix Rayders will participate in Michigan-Huron Shores Conference tennis tournament at Grayling.

Sunday, May 15
Strat's Area Ostomy Association will meet at the Central Methodist church at Sault Ste. Marie 2 p.m. All ostomates and interested persons are invited to attend.
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.

Monday, May 16
Track: Charlevoix Girls Track team will participate in Rogers City Invitational. Tennis: Elk Rapids here at municipal courts 4 p.m.

Charlevoix Hand Rowers will meet at the high school band room 7:30 p.m.
New Horizon Travel Club annual meeting and election of officers, 7:30 p.m., Senior Citizens Center in East Jordan. Anyone over 50 years is welcome.

Deadline for registering to vote in the June 13 School election in the Charlevoix School District 8 p.m.
XI Epsilon Gamma chapter will meet with Mrs. Walter Hufford, Lewis st., for 7 p.m. potluck. Final meeting of the club calendar.

Kappa Sigma chapter will meet with Mrs. Robert White, Moore, program: Sociology by Mrs. Richard Landau.
Pearl Divers will meet at Community Church of God 3:45-5 p.m.

Tuesday, May 17
Charlevoix Public School Music Department will present its annual Spring Music Festival at high school gymnasium 7:30 p.m.
Tennis: Charlevoix at East Jordan 4 p.m.
American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m.
Men's Prayer meeting, 7

a.m., Community Church of God.
Charlevoix Garden Club sale of Gardening Items will be held at 807 E. Olson ave. from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Wednesday, May 18
Track: Charlevoix Rayder track team will travel to the Ruyard Invitational.
Charlevoix Lodge No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, will host the Grand Family of Michigan, O.E.S. with registration and a reception honoring Mrs. Chester (Elaine) Bely, grand committee woman at 5:30 p.m. followed by Exemplification of Degrees by the Grand Family, 7 p.m.

Too Few Extension club will meet with Mrs. Jerome Hand, Burnett Rd., 9 a.m. Mrs. Dwight Detraz will present a program on Energy Conservation 10 a.m. Potluck luncheon will follow at 11:30 a.m. Anyone attending the luncheon is asked to bring a dish to pass and own table service. Call 547-9496 for further information.

TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towles, Loeb Rd. 6 p.m.

Residents have mixed feelings on dropping Saturday mail

By PAULA HOLMES

Through rain and snow and all other elements, the postman will deliver the mail—but only on Mondays through Friday if the U.S. Postal Service has its way. The Postal Service recently announced that it is considering eliminating Saturday delivery of mail as a means of cutting costs and containing the spiraling postage rates. And that proposal is being met with mixed feelings in Charlevoix.

Postmaster Joseph Schwartzfischer said he hasn't heard too much complaining about the proposal to end six day week delivery and usually he hears complaints once a change is proposed. "The Saturday service is bound to be missed by some people and some people will be inconvenienced," the postmaster said.

Schwartzfischer didn't think the elimination of Saturday mail delivery would result in a double work load on Mondays or in the need for extra help on Mondays.

"People who have to get stuff to somebody by the end of the week would just mail earlier," he pointed out. "I think the load would be split up between Thursday and there will be some on Monday, too."

But Schwartzfischer doesn't believe the elimination of Saturday mail delivery will ever come about. "I'll have to see it before I'll believe it," he said. "I can't believe the Congressmen would approve since a thing because of all the complaints they would get from the people."

"It would save some money because about every sixth postman could be eliminated, but I don't think it will happen."

Many Charlevoix business people hope that Schwartzfischer's prediction is right. "I object to the elimination of Saturday delivery," Jeanne Wallace, owner of the Shop of the Gulls, said. "There are many times when I wish we could go back to the twice a day delivery we had when I was a kid."

Mrs. Wallace said there were many ways that elimination of Saturday delivery would affect her business.

"It will mean a longer weekend wait for invoices that you have to have before you can price things and put them out on the shelves," she pointed out. "And it will create a delay in sending statements and we will have to wait longer for any action to

be taken on them. "It's a shame that the post office feels it has to cut its cost by cutting service. I couldn't begin to cut down my costs by cutting service. It's just not a good business practice."

Jack Ulrich, manager of the Lodge, also said the elimination of Saturday mail delivery would affect his business.

"Most of our advance reservation payments are sent through the mail and we get a lot of mail on Saturdays," Ulrich said.

"Suppose someone is going to arrive here on Sunday and the reservation check is supposed to come on Saturday. If we don't get the mail we have no guarantee that they are actually coming."

Ulrich said the elimination of Saturday delivery would probably really create havoc in the big cities.

"I can't believe that they would even consider doing it," Richard Tilden, director of Charlevoix County Department of Social Services, said he thought elimination of six day week service was a good idea.

"As a private citizen I had thought that was fine," Tilden said. "I'm concerned about rising costs and this looked like a good thing to do."

"I hadn't really thought about how it would affect the department. I suppose if someone is expecting a check on Saturday it could be a bad thing. But is one more day's wait for the check that much?"

Tilden pointed out that his office, like many of the businesses in Charlevoix, isn't open on Saturdays and doesn't need mail delivery.

"I think Saturday delivery is just something we've gotten used to and we haven't really thought about whether we needed it or not."

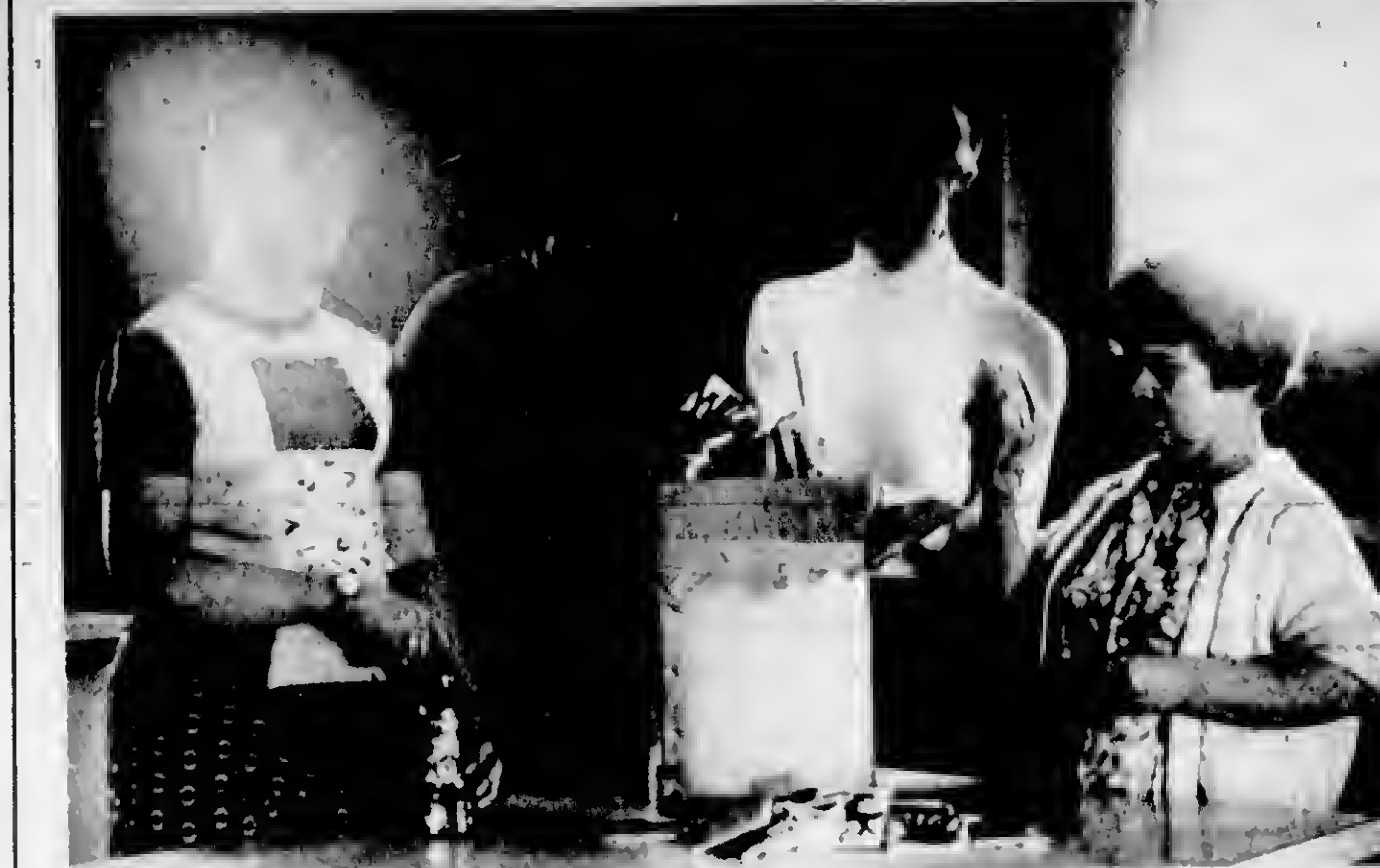
Chris Bentley of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, agreed with Tilden.

"We get along without mail delivery on Sunday," Mrs. Bentley pointed out. "We're just used to getting our mail on Saturday."

Chamber director Jacques Merta said she didn't know what difference elimination of the Saturday delivery would make to the chamber or other businesses in Charlevoix.

"I'm not sure if it is good or bad," Mrs. Merta said. "Many businesses aren't open on Saturday and they don't get mail anyway."

"I do think it will affect the person at home. I have gotten some important things that I had to have on Saturday."



Helping others

SALLY ROGLER, Howard Chynow, Dale Martin and Patty Hewitt of the Bergmann Center are picking up some seeds and some money to send to CROP (Community Hunger Appeals of Church World Service). The seeds will go to help hungry Indians in the western part of the nation. The Bergmann Center clients collected more than 200 packages of seeds and \$13.50 to help the less fortunate.

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Interlochen ballet to perform Saturday

Interlochen Arts Academy dancers will grace the stage of the Petoskey High School May 14 in a performance that will transport their audience from an ice skating party to a tropical festival.

The Crooked Tree Arts Council is sponsoring the 8 p.m. concert that is part of the Interlochen Outreach series supported by the Michigan Council for the Arts.

The program includes: The Skaters, a traditional ballet with a touch of humor; an African harvest dance; a classical Romanian dance and several modern dance numbers.

Tickets are available at Reis Gallery and at the door.

VFW Auxiliary plans luncheon

The Women's Auxiliary of the Charlevoix Post No. 1153, Veterans of Foreign Wars, will sponsor a Spring hot casserole-salad luncheon at the V.F.W. post home on US 31 North on May 18, Mrs. Edwin Mann, luncheon chairperson, has announced.

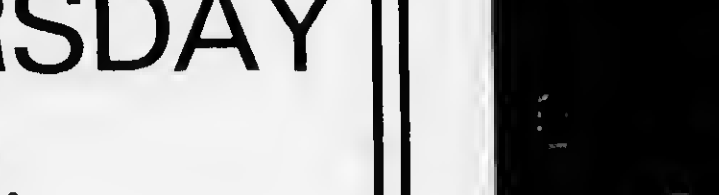
Serving will begin at 11:30 a.m. and continue until 1:30 p.m.

Mrs. Mann said that a wide choice of hot casseroles and salads, rolls and a choice of beverage will be offered.

Proceeds from the event will be used to underwrite the cost of V.F.W. Poppies for the annual Poppy Day May 19-20-21 and for the auxiliary's relief fund which gives assistance to local veterans.

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Salute to Disney

DIANE FARRINGTON, student teacher, and Marina LaBlanc, elementary school music teacher, help Nona Pace put on her Minnie Mouse head for a practice session. The elementary school students will be presenting their annual spring program, "A Salute to Disney" at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the Charlevoix High School gym. Dress rehearsal will be held at 9:15 a.m. Wednesday at the high school gym.

Spring Music Festival slated

The Instrumental Music Department of the Charlevoix Public Schools will present its annual Spring Music Festival at the high school gymnasium at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Five separate instrumental groups will be featured in the concert which will open with the first appearance of the sixth grade beginning band.

These youngsters have been playing instrument only since Feb. 1 and have shown outstanding progress. At 7:45 p.m. the seventh grade band under the direction of Ms. Evelyn Wujcik will perform with a variety of numbers.

At 8 p.m. the eighth grade band will present music the members have prepared for this special occasion. They will be followed by the Concert Band, composed of ninth and tenth grade musicians, who will present as their portion of the program music they played in the recent State Band Festival.

The Symphony Band, under the direction of Gary L. Stutzman, will close

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A MIRROR IMAGE of her mother, this three-week old filly stays close to home.



Sights of Spring

Spring is a time for the new—new ideas, new acquaintances and new life. The old and dreary are shed and a new world emerges. Animals seem to understand the feelings behind spring, too. There is nothing like viewing the new world of springtime through the eyes of a new inhabitant. For this three-week-old filly, a new arrival at the home of Dan and Gayle Kaczynski, everyday brings some new discovery.

A romp in the grass, a sniff at the fence and contact with human beings are some of the new things the filly has discovered—all under the watchful eye of her mother.

Making new acquaintances or renewing old ones is another part of spring and these two geese seem to be really checking the situation out before taking any action.

Perhaps one is the new goose in town. Or perhaps they are new recruits. Or perhaps... Ah, the joys of spring.

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Editorials/Opinions

Plenty of room for improvement in state

For 24 years now residents of the State of Michigan have been taking time out for a week each year to tool their own horns about the virtues of living and working in the state.

Next week, Michigan residents from the governor on down will drag out their horns once again for the Michigan Week celebration. Charlevoix residents will be part of the celebration as the middle and high school bands travel to Lansing to play on the steps of the capital during the various festivities.

Mayor Edward Hansen will spend Monday in Jackson and Jackson Mayor Fred Janke will spend the day here during a mayor's exchange.

But this year as residents celebrate their good fortune to be living on two peninsulas that are surrounded by five great fresh water lakes, they should also be thinking about some of the less fortunate things about the state.

For instance, a recent survey showed that Michigan ranked either 49th or 50th in the amount of return it got for the amount of tax dollars paid to the federal government by state residents. Citizens should ask their federal and state officials why this situation exists. Why must Michigan support all the other states in the union?

The economy is another

thing area residents should consider while celebrating Michigan Week. Although the state's economy in general is getting better, the state is still losing manufacturers and other businesses to the sun belt and other areas where workers compensation taxes, the occupational safety and health act and other taxes do not cut so heavily into the profits of a struggling business.

With businesses leaving the state it will be even harder for the Northern Michigan area to attract industry and jobs to this area of relatively high unemployment.

Michigan residents should also consider the energy problem while celebrating Michigan Week. In a state where the main industry is the automobile business and whose second largest industry is the tourist business, the ever rising cost of gas and automobiles is bound to create a problem.

And look at what federal agencies are trying to do to this state. The U.S. Navy wants to put a radar grid through the Upper Peninsula and the Nuclear Regulatory Commission wants to dump the country's nuclear waste in the salt layers under Alpena.

Michigan may be a fine place to live, but residents should work to make it better.

Paula Holmes...

...Speaking Her Mind

Life in a small town has its pros and cons. When I first moved into the area three years ago from Lansing I had a lot to learn about what it was like to live in a community where everybody knows everybody and is probably related too.

Recently Sam Suprenant brought in a copy of the Sunday magazine of the Arizona Republic that contained a story by Stella Campbell about life in a small town and advice for the city slicker that moves into town. The following are some excerpts from the article. Read them and enjoy - we've all been there.

A lot of people think they would be happier and richer if they moved to a small town. It is accepted that all small towns are filled with peace, quiet, contentment and simple people.

The idea also got out that if a person lives everything in a small town they get so sleepy that they are ripe for a smart city person to come along and make a living out of them. This line of reasoning has led many a con man to his downfall. "Tragic" wits has sent a lot of city slickers running back to the safety of the city. After all, who do you think sold all that worthless land to promoters in the first place?

Small town people naturally are friendly and when a newcomer shows up with some hard cash to spend he will get a warm welcome. The trouble starts when the first thing a newcomer wants to do is start changing the place around so that it resembles the place he just moved from.

The city people move into a small town on Monday and by Tuesday they are telling the natives how to stape the place up. While the natives realize their

town could use some improving, it's all they have and they get it a tad resentful when they hear what the place really needs is:

(A) a good gas station and garage (B) a decent restaurant and (C) some excitement.

Anyone who has lived for very many years in a small town has outwitted the elements, the Internal Revenue Service and the local bank. Lives spent this way are not lacking for excitement. Nothing will get the old adrenaline moving faster than a call from a banker about an overdue note or a letter with I.R.S. as the return address.

It takes enormous talent to live in places where you must endure snow, rain, wind, drought, tourists, dust storms and governmental agencies planning your life for you.

Small towns have excitement. Whether this is because boredom seems to build until it lets loose in a burst of excitement never has been investigated. Often what happens in small towns couldn't be printed in a family newspaper. Every small town has its story of the day that a member of the cloth took off with the quietest member of the church choir. Or the afternoon the president of the bank departed with his secretary and the bank's assets.

The duration of a really good scandal is around three and one-half days. If it involves a clerkman or an elected official, it could go to four. Because everyone is related to everyone else, except you, it would be best if you did not offer any comment on a current scandal. You undoubtedly are telling a choice bit of gossip to the brother-in-law of the fellow involved. While he may be a See Speaking page 13



Clockwise
by Bob Clock

Letters to the editor

Opposes international treaty

Letter Editor:

Court judgements going international with political union next? A major step toward making laws uniform, between both England and this country, is now set for ratification as model treaty. Entitled "Reciprocal Recognition and Enforcement of Judgements in Civil Matters," the treaty has been quietly initiated by delegations of both countries. And what more, the text is substantially in conformity with the existing European Economic Community (Common Market) Judgements Treaty.

Financial judgements rendered in British Courts are to be enforced over here! It doesn't take a mental giant to see that enforcement would necessitate "adjustments" and "uniformity" of law-our laws-rewritten!

The foremost lobbyist for this treaty has been the multi-national corporations-the Rockefellers, etc., who see a good thing for themselves-but which hardly constitutes a favorable endorsement! This is not crying wolf on the loss of sovereignty. Get a descriptive pamphlet on Judgements from the Center for Federal Policy Review, 1500 16th St., N.W., Washington, D.C. 20036, at 25 cents each.

Your Senator, Robert Griffin, a member of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, will soon be voting on Committee acceptance, or rejection, of this proposal. He needs your advice and consent BEFORE we embark on this repudiation of the sovereignty of this nation.

Sincerely,
Nelson A. Pryor

Prisoner seeks letters

Dear Editor:

I am presently an inmate confined at the London (Ohio) Correctional Institution, serving a 5 to 30 year sentence. I would like to have contact with people in the outside world, through correspondence (pen pals).

I have been incarcerated since December of 1972, and have lost touch with friends. Everyone needs a friend and a person in prison is no exception;

It's hard enough doing time and especially without family. I am a 29 year old male; blonde hair & blue eyes; 150 lbs., and 5 ft. 8 in. tall, and would welcome hearing from anyone that would be sincere in wanting to write me.

Jack W. Lyon Jr.
No. 136-731
P.O. Box 69
London, Ohio 43140



Erma Bombeck

Every time there's a "Most Admired" poll I vacillate between Sylvia Porter and Sara Lee. Usually I end up voting for Sylvia, because balancing your checkbook and speaking financial fluently does seem to be a bit more dazzling than getting a cake out of a pan. (Besides, I've never seen Sara Lee and she could be a size 3 and under 30, which automatically turns me off.)

People's taste in heroes and heroines is very personal, but I can't help being amazed at a poll of the Top Ten favorite of teenagers throughout the country.

The No. 1 personal hero or heroine was Farrah Fawcett-Majors (who replaced Richard Nixon last semester). No. 2 was Jerry Lewis. No. 3, Nadia Comaneci, the Olympic gymnast, while No. 4 (and this is important) was No Vote.

It's sorta sad that somewhere between Nadia Comaneci and Paul McCartney (his Starline to Litch) there is a void... a large block of young people who don't think there's anybody great enough to really idolize. That's why today - because I like young people - I'm going to give you a longshot-guess here for your No. 4 spot. In fact, I'm going to give you 400,000 of them.

You say you admire bravery? Here's got it. You admire athletic prowess? They've got it. You want a hero who won't let you down? No way. You want a hero you can look up to?

Someone your own age? You got it. For the No. 4 spot, I offer you the 1977 Special Olympics teams from the United States - 400,000 mentally retarded kids who ran races in their wheelchairs, track and field on crutches, played volleyball, bowled, played volleyball, and swam.

The teams this month completed and racked up 400 medals. Everyone is a winner in the Special Olympics. Everyone who comes across the finish line gets a medal and a hug. Their motto is, "Let me win, but if I cannot win, let me be brave in the attempt."

These heroes are on a first-name basis with defeat. Some were born with it. For years they stood outside of the world and looked in. Then in 1968, in cooperation with the Kennedy Foundation, the first Special Olympics competition was held in Chicago.

The stories that come out of this competition are enough to bring tears. The volleyball game where the coach was screaming "Win!" and one of the players walked off the floor over to her coach and said, "I couldn't hear you with all the noise. What do you want?"

The runner who, when the gun went off, put his hands over his eyes. The sprinter who was leading, but who went back to pick up her fallen friend.

No heroes? Believe me, no one feels so tall as when he stops to put a medal around a Special Olympian. COPYRIGHT 1977 FIELD ENTERTAINMENT

Meet Charlevoix

... Lawrence McDonough

Lawrence McDonough is manager of the Beaver Island Boat Company, which operates two boats between Charlevoix and Beaver Island. Here he tells the Courier something about the company and its history.

COURIER: What does the Beaver Island Boat Company do?

McDONOUGH: It operates the ferries between Charlevoix and Beaver Island. **COURIER:** How long has there been ferry service between the two ports?

McDONOUGH: Fur well over 100 years. First they were sail boats, then boats powered by wood, then coal. They used to cut wood on the Island for the ferries and you can still see remains of the

wood pile there. **COURIER:** How many ferry boats do you have?

McDONOUGH: Two, the Beaver Islander on the South Shore. The Beaver Islander holds 200 passengers and the South Shore 120 passengers. It takes two hours and 15 minutes to cross on the Beaver Islander and two hours and 45 minutes on the South Shore.

COURIER: What do you carry besides people?

McDONOUGH: Just about everything used on the Island except gasoline and fuel oil - cars, groceries, hardware, clothing, livestock, lumber, building supplies, everything. The Beaver Islander can carry 100 tons and the South Shore can carry 40 tons. That's a lot when you think

that the average semi-truck on the highway hauls 20 tons. **COURIER:** How long is your sailing season?

McDONOUGH: We start about the first of April as ice permits and make our last run right after Christmas. This year we didn't start until the 15th of April because of the ice.

COURIER: How many employees does the boat company have?

McDONOUGH: In the spring and fall we have a regular crew of four. During the summer we put on 10 extra people. We have two mainline, one on the Island and one in Charlevoix, who put on and take off the mail. **COURIER:** How many passengers do you carry in a season?

McDONOUGH: Last year we carried more than 22,000, as well as approximately 2,000 cars and uncounted tons of freight.

COURIER: What do you charge for passengers and freight?

McDONOUGH: Adults are \$5.50 one way and \$10 a round trip; children two in 11 go for half fare; cars are \$17.50 one way. Freight is \$20.65 by the ton or \$1.10 a hundredweight. Our minimum freight charge is 75 cents.

COURIER: Who are your passengers?

McDONOUGH: Of course we have a lot of tourists, but year-round about half the passengers are Island people or their relatives.

COURIER: Who owns the Beaver Island Boat Company?

McDONOUGH: There are about 100 stockholders, mostly Beaver Island and Charlevoix residents.

COURIER: Who are the officers and directors?

McDONOUGH: Fred Annand is president, Bud McDonough is vice-president, and Archie LaFreniere is secretary-treasurer. Ed Ladd, a retired Island resident, and Dr. Paul Nelson, a Grand Rapids dentist and Island summer resident, are directors.

COURIER: How many shares of stock are there?

McDONOUGH: The 4,000 shares originally sold for \$25. Now there is a waiting list for people who want to buy them. The book value assets is now about \$100 and the market value about \$70, but the shareholders got only about \$1.50 a year dividends. So you can see we're really not in business to make money. We have to keep the boats running to protect the Island.

COURIER: Have you raised your fares lately?

McDONOUGH: We have raised them gradually, but not enough. Our expenses, have skyrocketed. The cost of fuel oil, which used to be about \$6,000 a year, has gone up to \$32,000 and will be more this year. Everything has gone up.



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Former reporter writes Michigan agriculture

A former Charlevoix Courier reporter has published a book. Carole (Walsky) Eberly, who covered the East Jordan area when she worked at the Courier, calls her book "Michigan Cooking" and other things. "I collect cookbooks from all over," Mrs. Eberly explained. "And that's when I noticed that Michigan didn't have one." "So I decided to write one full of recipes based on Michigan agriculture." Most of the recipes are good old favorites, Mrs. Eberly added, such as the directions for apple butter, sourdough bread, baked beans and suchlike bread. The book also contains articles about Michigan including one by Bob Clock Courier columnist and former editor. Copies of the cookbook may be purchased at local stores, Mrs. Eberly said.

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Residents-react negatively to Nixon-Frost interview

By PAULA HOLMES

Millions of Americans were glued to their television sets last week to listen to the comments of the first president ever to resign from office about when he did what he did.

Some of the viewers felt Richard M. Nixon and interviewer David Frost shed more light on the subject. In Charlevoix, most of the people interviewed in a Courier telephone survey said they felt they had heard more of the same thing during the interview.

Mrs. Kohnelt Bartley said her family watched part of the interview and then switched channels.

"The reason we turned it was that we felt it was just more of the same thing," Mrs. Bartley said. "I think the interview made you feel sorry for him a little bit, but he brought it on himself."

"It seemed like a lot of double talk and what really happened still wasn't brought out," Mrs. Campbell said. "But in parts you felt sorry for him. He seemed tired of having it all."

"It was a good interview and well done, but I don't think any more light was shed on the issues," John Rowe, one of the nonviewers, said.

"Unless you were right on the spot yourself it is pretty hard to understand why things happened the way they did."

Of the 21 people interviewed during the phone survey, five people said they did not watch the Nixon interviews at all.

A Public Hearing was held on the Federal Revenue Budget. Mayor Hansen advised Council that the City would receive approximately \$100,000 for the fiscal year 1977-78. After a discussion of possible uses for the money, Council decided to appropriate \$5,000.00 for Michigan Beach Park, \$11,000.00 for steel, \$50,000.00 for the Motor Pool, \$31,000.00 for the General Fund, and \$5,100.00 for the Jaws of Life machine.

A Budget Hearing was held on the preliminary outline of the budget for the General Fund. Council decided to hold a budget meeting on Thursday, May 5, 1977, at 12:00 noon at the Westhaven Inn.

William Kusina appeared before the Council to discuss the proposed construction of a new retaining wall on his property on Bridge Street between Huribut Street and Olson's property. The proposed wall would be 20 feet high with a 4 foot fence on top. Alderman Wallace objected to the height of the wall and felt its construction would deter from the beauty of Charlevoix. Mr. Kusina stated he would build the wall only if he is granted a 25 foot variance to construct phase 2 of his site plan which would allow him to place a building on the back of his lot. Otherwise he will place the building parallel to Bridge Street directly on the lot line. Council advised Mr. Kusina that they would not commit themselves to allow a variance until he formally requested it and a Public Hearing is held on the matter.

Bids for 120 Police Cars were opened and tabulated as follows:

Make of Car Without Trade-In Trade-In Allow. Difference
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Council discussed an application made to the Michigan Liquor Control Commission by Peter L. Gaskin and Danny A. White for a beer and wine license at 1100 Bridge Street. Council agreed to notify the Commission that they are not in favor of the license due to the location's close proximity to the High School and lack of parking facilities.

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Alderman Wood directed Allen Sandberg, City Administrator, to provide Council with a detailed monthly financial report on the airport.

The Finance Committee having examined bills totaling \$37,372.88 found them correct and recommended the bills be allowed. Moved by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Wood that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for their amount. Motion was adopted by the following yeas and nays: Yeas: Alderman Plumm, Wood, Whitley, Erber and Wallace. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Morris.

Council adjourned.

Judy D. Przybylski, City Clerk

CHARLEVOIX

COUNCIL MINUTES

MAY 2, 1977

The Common Council of the City of Charlevoix met on the above date and time with Mayor Hansen presiding. Aldermen present: Plumm, Wood, Whitley, and Wallace. Absent: Alderman Morris and Erber.

The Minutes of the April 18, 1977 regular meeting were approved as presented in writing and as recorded in the Council Minutes book.

Enter Alderman Erber. Robert Schlemmer appeared before Council to object to trash from the Grey Gables Inn and the Le Havre Condominium being placed in front of these establishments on Belvedere Avenue. Council said they would look into the matter and assured Mr. Schlemmer these businesses cannot pile refuse on the public right-of-way.

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Alderman

Sheriff's marine safety courses help young boaters

By PEG OHLE
"Hey, Pop, can I take the boat and motor out for a spin?"
If your 13-year-old son asks you this, your answer should

be "no" — unless he has completed the course in boating safety conducted by the marine safety officer of the Sheriff's Department.

State law requires that all young people between the ages of 12 and 16 must take the course before they operate a motorboat on any waters of the state without adult supervision. Upon completion of the course, the students are issued Marine Safety Certificates which permit them to operate boats up to 62 feet.

Brock Dagner, Charlevoix County Marine Safety

Officer, has been conducting the course in boating safety in schools throughout the county, and during the summer will conduct similar courses for young summer residents.

vacationers, and those who did not complete the course this spring.

The course covers such subjects as required equipment, maintenance, "rules of the road", what to do in an emergency, water skiing, skin diving, and many, many more.

Charlevoix County recently received \$9,917 from the Michigan Department of Natural Resources as reimbursement for last year's marine safety program. This represents two-thirds of what the Sheriff's Department spent on its marine safety program.

The Sheriff's Department also maintains two patrol boats which it uses during the summer to enforce marine laws. They are kept in the larger lakes in the area, Charlevoix and Walloon, but are dispatched to smaller lakes on an irregular schedule.

The purpose of patrolling, Dagner says, is not only to enforce marine laws, but to help save lives.

"We try to educate people on what to put in their boats and why it is necessary for safety purposes."

"When we stop a boat, we check all the equipment — life preservers, fire extinguishers, etc. — to see that they are serviceable. It's not enough just to have them in the boat," he adds.

"We're out to insure a safe summer with the proper equipment and to stop accidents with safety inspections."

Violators of boating rules and regulations are issued citations much the same as traffic tickets.

Another function of the marine safety division is to inspect all rental boats. This is done once a year and periodically thereafter. Following the first inspection,

plates are attached to each boat indicating the maximum number of people it can hold, maximum weight, and the maximum amount of horsepower. Even boats without motors, such as canoes, rowboats, and sailboats must submit to this inspection.

"Our other duty is to assist boaters in distress," Dagner says, adding another dimension to the lifesaving purpose of the marine safety division.

One patrol boat is a Boston Whaler and the other is a Pipestone Mariner, subscribed with the Sheriff's Department insignia. Think of them as friends, not foes, when you see them in the vicinity. They'll also be around helping with the Vegetarian Festival, sailing regattas, ski shows, and many other summer activities.



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Vocal group, jazz band to perform

Vocal groups from both the Charlevoix High School and Middle School will join with the Middle School Jazz Band in presenting a concert at the high school gymnasium at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday the director, Steven Stargardt, has announced.



Participating in the vocal festival will be both the high school and middle school choirs, a boys' quartet and a girls' ensemble plus the Jazz Band composed of eighth grade students.

The concert will be presented without charge.

Help an 8th grader learn more about Michigan History.

During the week of May 16th, Charlevoix 8th graders will be selling Courier Subscriptions for \$8⁰⁰ - they will receive \$4⁰⁰ from each subscription sold to be used towards their trip to Mackinac Island this spring.

This offer is good only during the week of Monday, May 16 thru May 20 - and ONLY THROUGH A CHARLEVOIX 8TH GRADER.



MIKE COYNE, Charlevoix Middle School eighth grader, prepares a spot for the tree he planted in honor of Arbor Day last week.

Student plants Arbor Day tree

A little bit of beauty was added to the Charlevoix Middle School last week. Mike Coyne, an eighth grade student, planted a seedling pine tree in front of the school with the hopes that eventually it will make the outside of the school more beautiful. Mike planted the tree in honor of Arbor Day which was May 7.

"I've been trying to plant trees for Arbor Day for a long

Karen Hollow receives award from ROTC officer

A Charlevoix resident recently was given an ROTC award for small group leadership.

Karen D. Hollow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Hollow was presented with the Color Guard 2nd Award during the annual ROTC Spring Awards Day ceremonies at Northern Michigan University.

Miss Hollow, a NMU freshman, is majoring in nursing.



E.J. students named to honors list

Two East Jordan students were among those named to Alma College's Honors List for outstanding academic performance.

Donna M. Arnott, sophomore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Arnott and Bryan E. Graham, freshman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Graham of East Jordan were given the honor for the second term.

Terry Left on deans list

Terry Left, 20, a student at the Culinary Institute of America in Hyde Park, N.Y., was named to the Dean's List recently. The school conducts a two year course for chefs.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frances (Bud) Left.

R Winchester graduates

Randall W. Winchester was graduated from Western Michigan University with a Bachelor of Science degree in Radio and Television Communication. While at the university he was associated with Phi Mu Alpha Sinfonia fraternity, a national music

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Interest in genealogy drops despite popularity of "Roots"

By PEG OHLE
People seeking information about their "roots" in Charlevoix County started before the advent of Alex Haley's book and TV series. The county clerk's office reports that last year's bicentennial celebration brought forth more inquiries than they are now receiving. The Charlevoix Public Library also reports requests for genealogical information were greater last year than they are now.

However, the combination of the bicentennial and "Roots" has started even more people digging into family history than ever before. Many individuals and organizations which specialize in genealogy have been swamped with questions about how to go about finding ancestors. One such individual is Phyllis Sundt, librarian in the Genealogy Room of the Annapolis, Md., Public Library. He has prepared a booklet titled "Family History Starter Kit", sketching the "how to" of genealogy. Requests for the booklet are coming in large numbers from the public and high school and college students and teachers, Sundt says.

"The students and general public seem self-motivated to learn more about their forefathers. Teachers, on the other hand, frequently comment that they have found a phenomenal burst of interest in such fields as American and World History, Sociology, Black and Ethnic Studies when students are given the option of directing some part of their studies in these courses along genealogical lines."

Americans who would like some helpful hints on how to start tracing their family line may write to Sundt at Eastport P.O. Box 3063, Annapolis, Maryland, 21403.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerks must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerks' offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education.
KENNETH J. BOSS
Secretary, Board of Education

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION

NOTICE OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF CHARLEVOIX PUBLIC SCHOOLS CHARLEVOIX AND ANTRIM COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual School Election of the School District will be held on Monday, June 13, 1977.

TAKE NOTICE THAT the School District uses the physical registration records of the City of Charlevoix. THE LAST DAY FOR REGISTERING WITH THE CHARLEVOIX CITY CLERK IS MONDAY, MAY 16, 1977, ON WHICH DAY THE OFFICE OF THE CHARLEVOIX CITY CLERK WILL BE OPEN FOR THE PURPOSE OF TAKING REGISTRATION FROM 8:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., UNTIL 8:00 O'CLOCK, P.M. PERSONS REGISTERING WITH THE CHARLEVOIX CITY CLERK AFTER 8:00 O'CLOCK P.M., ON MONDAY, MAY 16, 1977, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE CHARLEVOIX, NORWOOD, HAYES, MARION, EVELINE AND BANKS TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, JUNE 13, 1977, IS MONDAY, MAY 16, 1977. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5:00 O'CLOCK, P.M., ON MONDAY, MAY 16, 1977, WITH THE RESPECTIVE TOWNSHIP CLERKS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

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Safe Drivers

SEVERAL CHARLEVOIX school system bus drivers were honored recently for driving several years without having any accidents. Pictured here with Superintendent James McKimmy are: Gordon Wolgamott, Eldon Potter, Al Smith, Larry Hull, Bud Heeres, transportation supervisor, Mary Ann Cudd, Angel Barris, Bev Stadiek and Pat Smally. Missing are: Al Thorp and Harold DeYoung.



We can quit plowing the drive and start mowing the lawn. Each season brings its routine chores. Personally I prefer mowing the lawn to shoveling the drive. Did you ever think of gathering edible greens from your lawn before mowing? If you're of Pennsylvania Dutch heritage, you know the edible greens referred to are dandelion greens.

Dandelion greens were the first spring tonic of our colonial forefathers after a long winter of root vegetables from the "root cellar." For centuries dandelions were used for food. In fact some parts of the Country cultivated and raised them commercially. The French christened these greens "dent de lion" (meaning, lion's tooth) because of the toothlike shape of the leaves. Wild dandelion greens should be gathered while the leaves are still small and tender. They are easier to handle if the plants are cut off at the root crown so that the clusters of leaves holds together. Pick the greens before the blossom or they become bitter and somewhat.

Iron-ton

Mrs. Ross Alexander
547-9878

Mrs. Lydia Orvis has returned to Little Traverse Hospital as a medical patient. She has the very best wishes. Mrs. Thelma Sibille of Ypsilanti spent several days over the past week with her father, Mark Saunders and Mrs. Saunders.

Mrs. Ada Williams returned home Friday after spending the winter in Punta Gorda, Fla. and is a medical patient in the Charlevoix Hospital. She has the best wishes of neighbors and friends. Mrs. Joanne Zinn has been spending the past ten days with friends and on business in Detroit.

daughter Karen came Friday for her mother Mrs. Lorna Beebe to spend Mother's Day in Detroit with them.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Kruse and the church choir and several of our local young people and guests had charge of the Sunday afternoon services at Grandview.

Mr. and Mrs. N.C. Christensen have returned from spending the long winter in their home in Arcadia, Fla. and now Nelson is busy getting his vegetable garden ready and planted for his summer business.

Mrs. Dan Sullivan and daughter Karen came Friday for her mother Mrs. Lorna Beebe to spend Mother's Day in Detroit with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Woodbury were dinner guests at Dan Site Inn Sunday of their son and daughter-in-law Neil and Sharon Woodbury and their son Leigh and

daughter-in-law Loretta and son-in-law Robert L. Wilcox of Owosso, chose a dinner of white steaks over taffeta for her wedding. Fashioned with a V-neckline, angel sleeves and full skirt with attached chapel length train, the neckline, bodice, sleeves and hemline of the skirt was trimmed with cluney lace. A Dutch style cap secured her fingertip veil trimmed with matching cluney lace. She carried a bouquet of yellow mini-roses, white carnations and baby's breath.

Kente Antaya of East Jordan, sister of the bridegroom, served as maid of honor. She wore a gown of yellow quiana and a sheer matching jacket trimmed with lace. Her bouquet was of white carnations, miniature yellow roses and baby's breath.

Amy Antaya of East Jordan, sister of the bridegroom, as flower girl, wore a yellow dotted Swiss dress and white eyelet pinaflore.

John C. Anderson of Flint assisted the bridegroom as best man. Martin B. Walker, brother of the bride, and



Mr. and Mrs. John L. Antaya

Mary Jo Walker, John L. Antaya repeat vows

Mary Jo Walker became the bride of John L. Antaya at a double ring service solemnized at St. Mary's church Saturday afternoon.

Parents of the couple are Mrs. Burl E. Walker of 1256 Hannay Rd., East Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. John C. Antaya of Sequanota Rd., East Jordan.

The Rev. R. Dale Magoon officiated at the ceremony in the presence of 150 guests. Arrangements of yellow gladioli and lighted tapers graced the altar and yellow bows marked the pews for the service. Mrs. Diane Thompson, at the organ, played a program of traditional music and the wedding procession and recessional.

The bride, escorted to the altar by her uncle, Robert L. Wilcox of Owosso, chose a gown of white steaks over taffeta for her wedding. Fashioned with a V-neckline, angel sleeves and full skirt with attached chapel length train, the neckline, bodice, sleeves and hemline of the skirt was trimmed with cluney lace. A Dutch style cap secured her fingertip veil trimmed with matching cluney lace. She carried a bouquet of yellow mini-roses, white carnations and baby's breath.

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Leona Steelman marries John Mozoryak at St. Mary's

St. Mary's church was the scene April 30, of the wedding of Leona Marie Steelman of Charlevoix and John K. Mozoryak of Ironton.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Daniel C. Steelman of Charlevoix and Mr. and Mrs. John Mozoryak of Ironton.

The Rev. R. Dale Magoon officiated at the double ring service in the presence of 250 guests. Heidi Dove and Colette Jacobson sang "Sunrise, Sunset", "My Sweet Lady" and "If" with a guitar accompaniment.

The bride, escorted to the altar by her father, chose an empire gown of white silk organza over taffeta for her wedding. Styled with a stand-up collar and long full sleeves with deep cuffs accented with venetian lace, the gown featured a full flounced skirt and chapel length train. Venetian lace also trimmed her fingertip veil. She carried a bouquet of yellow daisies, baby's breath and greens.

Micki S. Olmstead, as maid of honor, and Mrs. Chris DeNo, sister of the bridegroom, Cheryl Pence and Mrs. Scott Blanchard, as bridesmaids, wore identical empire gowns of yellow textured crinkle polyester fashioned with stand-up collars and long full sleeves. They carried nosegays of white daisies and baby's breath.

Scott Blanchard assisted the bridegroom as best man. Mr. DeNo, Donald Willis and Michael Pearsall were groomsmen. James Marsh, Jr., and Tracy Olmstead seated the guests.

Mrs. Steelman selected a floor length gown of mint green polyester knit and floral print chiffon sleeves for her daughter's wedding. Mrs. Mozoryak, mother of the bridegroom, wore a full length A-line gown styled with a V-neck and trimmed with white lace.

An evening reception followed at the American Legion post home. The couple will make their home at 108 W. Upright ave. Wedding guests were

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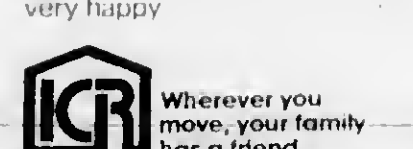
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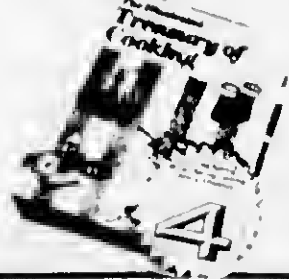
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Community Calendar

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Wednesday, May 18
Track: Charlevoix Rayder track team will travel to the Midway Invitational.

Charlevoix Lodge No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, will host the Grand Family of Michigan, O.E.S. with a registration and a reception honoring Mrs. Chester (Flaine) Kelly, grand committee woman at 5:30 p.m. followed by Exemplification of Degrees by the Grand Family, 7 p.m. Business meeting 4:30 p.m.

Too Few Extension club will meet with Mrs. Jerome Hand, Burnett, 9 a.m. Mrs. Dwight Detraz will present a program on Energy Conservation 10 a.m. Potluck luncheon will follow at 11:30 a.m. Anyone attending the luncheon is asked to bring a

dish to pass and own table service. Call 347-4946 for further information.
TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towles, Loeb Rd. 8 p.m.

May 19-20-21
Annual V.F.W. Poppy Oays in Charlevoix.

Thursday, May 19
Athletic Awards Night, 7 p.m., Charlevoix High School honoring all athletes. The public is invited.
Charlevoix Senior Citizens will be guests of the Charlevoix V.F.W. and American Legion at a dinner at the American Legion post home at 6:30 p.m. Happy hour at 5:30 p.m. Entertainment will follow the dinner. Guests will be Senior Citizens of the Charlevoix area.
V.F.W. Auxiliary will

sponsor a casserole and salad luncheon at V.F.W. post home 11:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. Tickets: \$2.00.
Big Brothers-Big Sisters will meet at 215 Bridge St., 8 p.m.

Bethany Lutheran church will sponsor a rummage sale at the church, South Bridge St., 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
Friday, May 20
Tennis: Class C regional tournament at Boyne Mountain.
Al-Anon Family Group will meet at undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.

United Methodist Women will sponsor a Spaghetti dinner at the church dining room 5 until 7 p.m. Tickets: Adults including teenagers \$2.50, students 5-12 years, \$1.50; 4 years and under free. Family ticket: \$10.
Maple Grove Grange will meet at 8 p.m.
Friday and Saturday May 20-21

Christ Episcopal Church annual spring rummage sale at church, corner State and Clinton sts., 9 a.m.-5 p.m.

Saturday, May 21
A salute to the U.S. Coast Guard and the U.S. Air Force who are stationed here on Armed Forces Day 1977.
Petoskey Whirl-A-Way Western Square Dance Club will meet at the Lincoln School in Petoskey 8-10:30 p.m. Bring sandwiches for refreshments.
Pearl Divers will meet at Church of God 3:45-5 p.m.
Lacelle League will meet with Mrs. Steven Neal, 519 Petoskey Ave. 7:30 p.m. For further information call 547-6255.

U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Sundew will observe Armed Forces Day with an open house aboard the ship berthed at the municipal dock from 9-11 a.m. and 1-4 p.m. The officers and crew of the cutter have extended an invitation to the public to visit the Sundew which will be a full dress ship on this date.

Sunday, May 22
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.
Monday, May 23

Charlevoix Board of Education will meet at the high school study hall 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix County Chapter, Michigan Township Association, will meet at Northern Michigan Electric Coop building in Boyne City 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Slow-pitch League will launch its 1977 season at the softball field on Carpenter-ave. (see schedule on sports page).
Pearl Divers will meet at Church of God 3:45-5 p.m.
Lacelle League will meet with Mrs. Steven Neal, 519 Petoskey Ave. 7:30 p.m. For further information call 547-6255.

Tuesday, May 24
Track: Charlevoix Rayders will attend the Petoskey Relays.
Tennis: Charlevoix will host Leelanau at the municipal courts 4 p.m.
Rebekah Lodge will meet at the American Legion post home 8 p.m.
St. Mary's Board of Education will meet at the

school 8 p.m.
Men's prayer meeting, 7 a.m., Community Church of God.
Too Few Extension Club will sponsor a Cardio-Pulmonary Resuscitation training session at the home of Mrs. Ray Borowiak, Upper Bay Shore Rd. 1 p.m.

Wednesday, May 25
Track: Michigan Huron Shores Corporation girls track at Boyne City.
Charlevoix High School Awards Assembly at high school gymnasium 1:30-2:30 p.m.
Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at county building annex 7:30 p.m.
Round Lake Lodge No. 293, I.O.O.F., will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at the hangar track room 8 p.m.
Charlevoix County Humane Society will meet at the East Jordan City Hall 7:30 p.m.
TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towles, Loeb Rd. 6 p.m.

Grandvue Medical Care Auxiliary extends a cordial invitation to an open house on Sunday, May 22, 1977 from one until four o'clock in the afternoon at Grandvue Medical Care Facility to honor Hilda Watkins, Administrator who is retiring June 1, 1977.



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Foreign customers liven business

Exporting products to other countries is often a long, involved process wrapped up in governmental red tape and packaging regulations. But being an exporter has its lighter side, too, particularly when a foreign customer comes to visit.
Joanne Barnes, manager of the communications department at Lexalite Corporation, said the company had an interesting experience once when one of its Spanish-speaking customers decided to visit the plant.
Mrs. Barnes said she made all the usual preparations for the guest including reserving a rental car at the Traverse City airport. As the time drew nearer for the foreign visitor to arrive, Mrs. Barnes called the rental car business to see

if everything was going smoothly. The rental agent said the customer had arrived, but there was one problem, he didn't speak English.
"We got along as well as we could with the few phrases we knew in the morning," Mrs. Barnes recalled. "But then we made a hurried call to the high school to see if the Spanish teacher could act as an interpreter for us the rest of the day."
Mrs. Barnes said it has been an interesting experience

meeting the customers from various countries and comparing their cultures with American culture.
Chuck Kratt, vice president of Will-Flow, said his company has foreign visitors about four times a year. Kratt said he hasn't experienced any language problems, however.
"Most of our customers can speak English and the only ones that couldn't, the Russians, brought their own interpreter so there wasn't

any problem," he said.
Kratt said Will-Flow foreign customers usually visit the plant during the fabrication of the tanks they have ordered. The customers are interested in plant operations and techniques, he said. Also they are impressed with the size of the plant and its cleanliness.

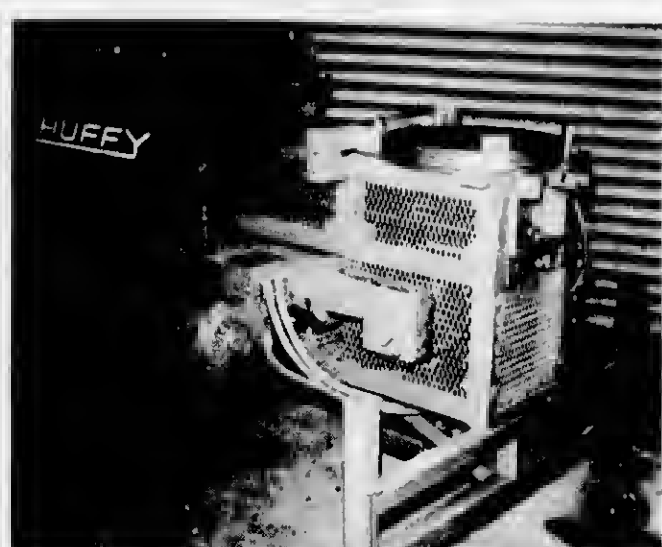
The vice president said he also takes the foreign visitors on a tour of Charlevoix while they are here. He said most visitors, especially those from European countries, feel like they are visiting a small town in their own country when they visit Charlevoix because of the architecture of the buildings.



WEATHER SHIELD'S hot seat is a familiar item in many sporting good and hardware stores in Charlevoix and surrounding areas as well as in foreign countries.



NEXT TIME YOU want to look at some albums, or cards, or tapes, take a look at the display case, too. Chances are it was made in Charlevoix at Freedman Artcraft.



A STANDARD piece of machinery manufactured by Hufford Industries for use in many countries as well as across the United States is the blank loader.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

A Public Hearing will be held by Northwest Michigan Human Services Agency, Inc., for the purpose of obtaining public comment on problems, needs and recommendations about present programs and their effectiveness in meeting the needs of low-income people, and also to hear any criticism or insight on unmet needs and new directions which should be incorporated in Agency goals and policies.

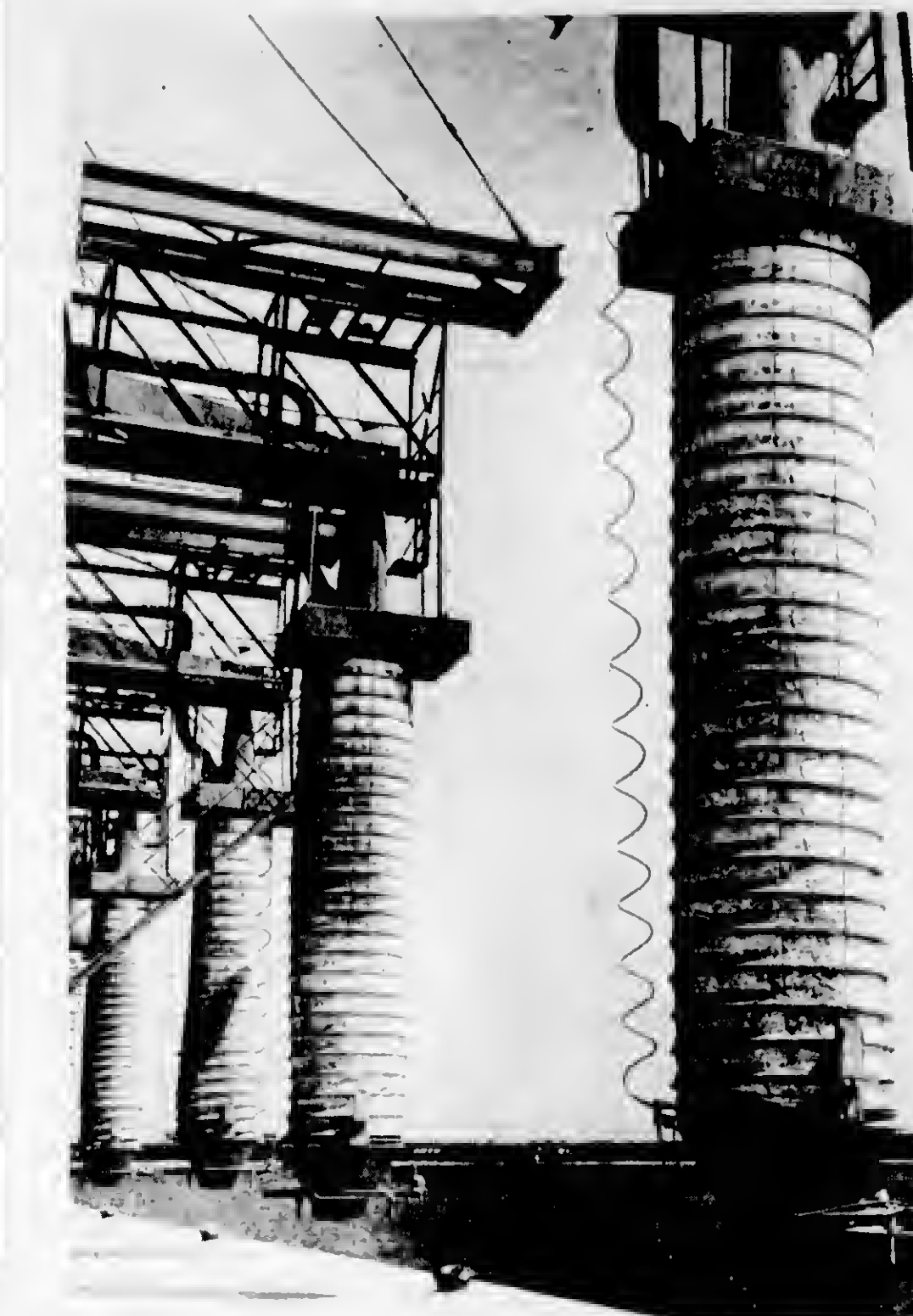
The Public Hearing will be held on May 24, 1977 in Room 122 of the Main College, 1515 Howard Street, Petoskey, Michigan. Hearing times are 1:30 to 4:00 P.M. and 6:00 to 8:30 P.M.

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CHARLEVOIX COURIER

The Second Front Page



PERHAPS THE MOST famous of all the things made by Will-Flow is the pie tin that held the World's Largest Cherry pie. The company also makes stainless steel tanks, stock pots and cookers.



MANY OF LEXALITE'S products can be seen right in Charlevoix along the streets. The streetlamp globes on Meech Street for instance were made at Lexalite. Here an employee works on another type of plastic lighting fixture.

By PAULA HOLMES

What do Canada, Japan, Germany, Sweden, USSR, Israel and South Africa have in common?
They all have businesses that use products manufactured in Charlevoix.
Seven Charlevoix industries-American Mold Engineering Co., Freedman Artcraft Engineering Corp., Hufford Industries, Inc., Lexalite Corporation of Charlevoix, Midwest North Division of Ron Pair Enterprises, Weather Shield Spots Equipment and the Will-Flow Corporation-manufacture products that are shipped overseas for use by foreign businesses and industry.

While the exported goods only represent a small percentage of the local industries' business, the seven companies are nevertheless a part of the United States' several billion dollar yearly export business.

American Mold Engineering through its parent company Detroit Mold Engineering (DME) exports ejector pins to almost every country in the world. Joel Hutt of DME, said.

The steel-headed pins are used to push plastic and metal parts from molds. The pins range from 3/64 to 1 inch in width and up to 25 inches in length. They are used by car manufacturers, plastic model manufacturers and plastic manufacturers such as Lexalite.

Through DME the pins made at American Mold are exported to Canada, Mexico,

South America, Central America, Europe, Japan, Australia and Malaysia.

Freedman Artcraft Display fixtures for bows, wrapping paper, records, tapes, sheet music, sewing notions and many other items are manufactured at Freedman Artcraft by more than 135 employees. The company also produces specially ordered promotional displays such as built in stove tops for appliance displays, Jack Grubb, president of the company, said.

The Charlevoix manufacturer is also hoping to break into the retail market with a new product-built-in drawer kits.

Some of the company's major customers include MK Candle Co., Gibson Greetings, Sears, Montgomery Wards, Kresge-K Mart, American Thread and Walt Disney Production. The customers are served from two Freedman plants, one in Charlevoix and one in California.

The plants also export products to Canada, Puerto Rico, Jamaica, England, Spain and the Virgin Islands.

Hufford Industries is a specialized business, said Hufford, company president, and the 18 employees produce specially ordered equipment for manufacturers. Most of the equipment manufactured by the company consists of press loaders and unloaders and transfer equipment.

The equipment has to be

engineered for each customer in order to fit the part or materials that need to be moved in the particular job.

Hufford said most of his organization's customers were in the automotive field including American Motors Corp. and General Motors. Other customers include Whirlpool, Westinghouse and Dana Corporation.

The equipment constructed at Hufford Industries is exported to Canada and Germany. Hufford said the company has a distributor in Germany who sells to many European countries. The company also handles its shipping through an export firm in Detroit that does the packing and all of the paperwork involved in exporting.

Lexalite Corporation, Lexalite, which manufactures lighting products such as street lamp globes and traffic lights and does custom molding, is an international corporation as well as an exporter, according to Joanne Barnes, manager of the communications department.

"There are many countries where the governments don't allow companies to import products that can be made in the country," Mrs. Barnes explained. "So in these countries we operate joint ventures."

These companies include Mexico, Venezuela and Canada. Lexalite is also working to establish a joint venture in France which will eventually supply all of Europe. The company is also

planning to start working with a company in Australia.

Lexalite products are exported to Costa Rica, Ecuador, Columbia, El Salvador and Italy. The company does its own packaging, but it works with an exporting firm in Detroit that handles the paperwork, Mrs. Barnes said.

The 112 employees of the company that has been in Charlevoix since 1965 serve such customers as ITT American Electric, AMF, Chrysler, General Electric, Motorola, GTE, Sylvania, Singer and Westinghouse.

Ron Pair, president of the company, which has two other Michigan plants in St. Ignace and Kinnick, said he employs an agent that handles the European continent out of London. Olson said he used to do much of the sales himself but it has expanded to the point where he can't do it all himself.

Some of Weather Shield's customers include Melter Thrifts Acres, Gantway, Williams Sporting Goods, Woolco, Montgomery Wards and Penney's.

Will-Flow Stainless steel tanks manufactured by 70 employees at the Will-Flow Corporation are shipped to every state in the Union as well as to several countries around the world, Chuck Kratt, vice president, said.

The tanks range in size from 50 to 10,000 gallons with stockpots from 5 to 50 gallons and cooker mixers ranging to 1,000 gallons. The tanks are used by chemical, beverage, brewing, pharmaceutical, dairy.

See products page 13.

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Editorials/Opinions

Size of budget surplus should be investigated

"How much is enough?" was the question Charlevoix Common Council members faced as they looked at a preliminary budget for 1977-78 last week.

The aldermen were considering the 1976-77 budget surplus and the coming year's property tax levy when they asked the question. Last year with a property tax millage levy of 12 mills—9 for operations and 3 for debt retirement—the city ended up with a \$754,000 surplus.

The city fathers should be applauded for taking care to put money away for a rainy day. The city is certainly way ahead of the state when it comes to being prepared for hard times. The governor has only recently declared that it is one of his goals to set up such a rainy day fund for the state to prevent it from getting into the financial trouble it faces today.

However, times are not easy for our city residents. Should the city be building up such a large surplus when it is becoming more and more difficult for people to pay their taxes?

The simple answer is no. However, figuring city budgets is not simple. The aldermen must also consider what will happen to the amount of revenue sharing funds the city will lose if it cuts back its millage levy.

Common Council should do

its best to obtain all the money the city has coming to it through such funds as the revenue sharing fund. It appears that no one seems to know how much the city has coming to it or how much federal revenue sharing monies the city might lose if it cuts back the millage levy.

A decision must be made and the council is considering dropping the millage levy to 7 mills—5 for operations and 2 for debt retirement. This idea should be encouraged.

According to figures from a study sheet the council is working with, dropping the millage levy to 7 mills will result in a surplus of \$455,606 considerably less than the present one.

The smaller surplus would result in lower taxes to the citizens and less of a loss in the value of the money due to ever increasing inflation rates.

Also the situation could be reviewed next year at budget time to see if it was a wise decision in the first place.

During the next year the council and the city administrator should be working out some sort of system where it will know at budget time exactly how much the city has coming in from all revenue sources and how much it will need so that it can levy the proper millage rate without building up such large excesses in the future.

Paula Holmes...

...Speaking Her Mind

For almost a year now I have been watching the actions of a man called Jimmy Carter. It's amazing to see a man come out of nowhere in Plains, Ga., and follow a path that leads directly to Washington D.C. with no steps in between.

I have been reading everything about the man that I can get my hands on and I'm still not sure who he is or what he intends to become as President of the United States.

So I was most excited when I had a chance during a recent trip to Washington D.C. to sit in on President Carter's 1977 energy message to the joint session of Congress. I thought seeing the man in real life might reveal something about him that I haven't been able to dig out of the print media and television.

Just attending a session of Congress is exciting enough. As I sat in my perch in the visitor's gallery, I was reminded of a three-ring circus during the minutes before the President's speech was to begin.

Photographers and television cameramen had strategically placed themselves throughout the gallery ready to capture the actions of the President. As the gallery began to fill up with congressmen's wives and others like myself who had been lucky enough to secure a ticket, the clamors below also began to fill with governmental officials.

As each group came in-first the senators, then the diplomatic corps and finally the cabinet—the people would rise and applaud and then sit down again to wait for the next bunch.

Suddenly everyone stood again and began clapping, but no one was cuning in the room. I noticed that everyone appeared to be staring up in the gallery in my direction and as I turned toward the speaker's chair, I noticed Mrs. Carter, Mrs. Lillian, Mrs. Mondale and other members of the Carter clan walking to their seats just a little more than an arm's length away from me.

Mrs. Carter looked exactly like her pictures. She seemed very amiable and almost girlish talking with her hands and laughing. However, when her husband spoke she sat without moving, her back as straight as a ramrod.

When President Carter finally arrived, I was surprised by his height. He is a relatively short man, turned over by most of the secret service men and congressmen. His stride was not a swift, purposeful one but sort of an ambling gait that carried him to the speaker's chair with moderate speed.

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Clockwise

by Bob Clock

I'm not an engineer. The magic that takes place inside an internal combustion engine leaves me awe-struck. All I know about automobiles is how to turn the key, step on the gas, shift gears, jam on the brakes and turn corners.

But I think I'll start an automobile company. Would you like to join me? During the first three months of 1977, General Motors, the largest automobile manufacturer in the universe — so far as we know — earned an ungodly \$900 million — give or take a million or two. Projected over the entire year, GM can look forward to a profit of \$3,600,000,000 in all of 1977. That's three billion, 600 million dollars, if you aren't good with figures.

But General Motors isn't satisfied. Already there are talk in automotive circles that auto prices will go up between \$300 and \$350 when the new models bow this fall. That will boost the average price of automobiles people buy to more than \$5,000.

All of which, I suppose, is well and good if you live in one of the metropolitan areas, belong to a labor union and earn \$30,000 a year. When you live in northern Michigan and earn your keep on the local economy such prices are frustrating.

That is why I propose starting my own automobile plant. I think — no, I know — that I could find a fully qualified automotive engineer to design a six passenger sedan to sell for about \$1,500 or less.

Of course, it wouldn't be the fastest or the fanciest automobile on the road, but it would get you there and bring you back — which millions of people used to say, almost apologetically, about their austere Model T, Fords.

My car would have a one-piece frame and superstructure for belt and safety. Body panels — fully replaceable — would be of pressed wood or some type of plastic impervious to salt. Since my car would come in only one color, replacement parts not only would be economical, but they could be replaced by the owner with a screwdriver and a wrench.

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Letters to the editor

It's not hard to plant

Dear Mayor Hansen & Council Members:

This letter is in reference to the 200 dead trees the city planted last summer. I have the forlorn feeling that the people of Charlevoix will be looking at four foot high dead tree stubs for the next year.

I don't take a Ph.D. to understand the intricacies in tree planting. Any farmer will tell you to plant a tree in the early spring, before it buds, and see that it receives plenty of water once a week. Don't plant them in the heat of

the summer, with one watering, and expect any luck. I understand Jeanine Wallace is on the tree committee, and can't get the replacement trees, due to a truckers strike. If the city does not have the resources to transplant these trees, perhaps I may be of some assistance. I hope the council has learned something from last years experience, and will not give us a repeat performance.

Tom Erber

Parole reform needed

To the editor:

On Law Day, May 1, I launched a state-wide petition drive to reform the Michigan Parole System to require that convicted felons of violent crimes serve at least their minimum sentence before they become eligible for parole. Such an initiative petition state-wide is necessary because of the Legislature's three and one-half year refusal to deal with similar pending legislation.

The reaction of the Legislature to the petition drive was predictable. First, the Chairman of the House Judiciary Committee responded extremely negatively. He asked, among other things, "are we prepared to pay the price of at least \$105 million to build a prison to house convicted felons of violent crimes?" Let me respond in the words of the mother of an eleven year old girl raped and murdered by a parolee in Oakland County: "I would gladly pay \$105 million to have the opportunity just one more time to tuck my little girl in bed."

Secondly, the reaction of the Joint Capital Outlay Committee of the Legislature, looking into possible prison sites in Michigan, would be laughable if it wasn't so pathetically arrogant. The Joint Committee directed the Department of Management and Budget to specifically examine Oakland County as a prime site for locating a new prison.

Such an obvious move by the Legislature is no more than a blatant act to intimidate not only the public in Oakland County, but citizens across the state from getting involved in a tough law enforcement program. What this Legislature Committee is saying, in effect, is that if citizens of this state dare avail themselves of their constitutional right to initiate legislation through a petition drive, they will be punished by the State Legislature.

I, for one, feel that these Legislators have grossly underestimated the Michigan public. We will show them so in our petition drive for parole reform.

Very truly yours,
L. Brooks Patterson
Prosecuting Attorney

Erma Bombeck

So many of you were kind enough to write me notes following the March 23 death of my Boston firm which set me back 22 bucks, but then what is money at a time like that?

A florist in Charlotte, North Carolina, not only sent me an official death certificate, but a Plant Life Insurance Policy created by Craig Beasley. Knowing how many of you feel about your plants out there, I thought perhaps you would want to insure them. This is how it works.

In case of death, the plant will be replaced by a similar plant of equal value providing you can offer proof of death. To qualify, the plant must be of life at the time it is examined with no reasonable chance of recovery.

Suicide Clause: If the plant shall die by suicide, while sane or insane, the company's total liability under the policy shall be limited to the payment of a sum equal to 5 percent of the plant's original retail or purchase value.

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Meet Charlevoix

...Lt. Cmdr. James O'Neill

Saturday, May 21, is Armed Forces Day, and on that day the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Suedew, stationed at Lake Charlevoix, will hold open house from 9 to 11 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m. This week the

Courier talks with LCDR James V. O'Neill, commander of the Suedew, about operations of his ship.

COURIER: Isn't the Coast Guard the oldest of the armed

forces?

O'NEILL: It is the oldest in continuous service — since 1790.

COURIER: What part does the Coast Guard play in national defense?

O'NEILL: In time of war it becomes a part of the Navy. However, in the Vietnam War, it was not transferred although there were Coast Guard forces there under

Navy control.

COURIER: What are the missions of the Coast Guard in peacetime?

O'NEILL: Our principal mission is aids to navigation. The Suedew is responsible for positioning and maintaining 92 buoys and eight lights. We have just finished this work for the summer. Our territory is from Arcadia on Lake Michigan to the Straits of Mackinac and from the Straits to the Detroit Light on Lake Huron.

COURIER: What about ice-breaking?

O'NEILL: That is our big winter job. This past winter we were on ice-breaking duty about 75 days. Our first assignment was late November, when we went to Pelee Passage in Lake Erie. Then we broke ice in Green Bay and Escanaba and in Lake Michigan from the Manitowish to Traverse City and in Charlevoix for Medusa. After that we went to Detroit, the western basin of the Detroit River, into Toledo. And of course we did our work in the Straits and St. Mary's River when needed. Our last ice-breaking was done about the 18th of April.

COURIER: And search and rescue?

O'NEILL: We have the secondary search and rescue responsibility for Northern

Lake Michigan and Northern Lake Huron. This includes towing disabled vessels. Our first two this year were in Lake Erie, because we happened to be there. In our own operations area, we towed in the Amoco Indiana which ran aground at the mouth of Little Traverse Bay and the Olive Moore from the middle of Lake Huron into Detroit Village.

COURIER: Any other duties?

O'NEILL: Yes, we are the support mission for the manned lighthouse at Little Manitou Island. This year we also did some support work for limnology research by the University of Wisconsin between Sturgeon Bay and Milwaukee. We positioned and retrieved sub-surface meters for them.

COURIER: What will the Suedew be doing this summer?

O'NEILL: On the first of August we will go to Baltimore for a major renovation. This will consist of re-doing the interior, installing air conditioning, a new bow thruster to improve maneuverability, two new radars, a new electronic navigation system, and overhauling all engineering. The Suedew will be in Baltimore from then until the

first of September, 1978 — 14 months. Our crew will bring the Cutter Mesquite back from Baltimore and will be homeported here, as it was once before until the Suedew returns. The Suedew crew will be on the Mesquite. When we leave Baltimore, we're going to Guantanamo Bay for a shakedown.

COURIER: How old is the Suedew?

O'NEILL: It was built during World War II. It's a good ship and the Coast Guard wants to get another 15 years of service from it. It's been in Charlevoix since 1968 and is the most powerful buoy tender made. We need it here because of the work we do in the Straits.

COURIER: How large a crew do you have?

O'NEILL: Forty enlisted men and seven officers, including myself. They all work very hard, they had a hard winter. When the Cutter Mariposa went around they had to work harder, sometimes from 5:30 a.m. to midnight, often walking out on the ice to pick up buoys. There

COURIER: You sound as if you're happy with your crew.

O'NEILL: I have 46 of the best people associated with the Coast Guard I've never

heard a complaint from any of them.

COURIER: How long is the tour of duty on a Coast Guard ship?

O'NEILL: Two years. COURIER: See you on Armed Forces Day.

Sheriff's department plans to establish auxiliary posse

Citizens of Charlevoix County may soon have an opportunity to join a Sheriff's posse.

The plan is now under consideration by the Sheriff's Department and the County Board of Commissioners. Sheriff George T. Lasater told the commissioners last week that the posse would probably consist of eight to 12 men. Their job would be to accompany members of the Sheriff's Department on

patrols and assist wherever possible.

Members of the posse would be unpaid volunteers but would be in uniform. An example of what a posse member might do is direct traffic in auto accident cases, leaving the officer free to do "what he is trained to do."

It is planned to activate the posse as soon as insurance arrangements can be worked out.

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THE MEQUITE docked here next to the Suedew will be taking the Suedew's place while it is being renovated.

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It is planned to activate the posse as soon as insurance arrangements can be worked out.

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Charlevoix standard of living improves

Charlevoix County residents have come a long way economically in the last 15 years or so.

According to a study made by the Conference Board, the average Charlevoix family as well as families across the nation are enjoying a much higher standard of living now than they did in 1960.

The study found that increases in family incomes over the long run have more

than compensated for the rise in the cost of living, despite the fact that inflation has boosted prices so much during the period that it takes nearly \$18 to buy what could have been bought for \$10 previously.

In Charlevoix, as in other communities, the study found the family's ability to cope with the higher costs has been due in part to the fact that wages and salaries have also been rising. The other major contributing factor has been the influx of large numbers of married women into the job market and the additional paychecks they have brought home.

The study listed market data figures for Charlevoix County showing that net income after taxes went from \$4,131 per household in 1960 to \$12,235 by the early part of last year. It has an increase of 196

percent. This compares with an increase in the United States of 130 percent and with 146 percent in the State of Michigan.

Gordon Wellman, president of Charlevoix County State Bank, and Louis Hollow, president of First State Bank of Charlevoix, were not surprised by the study's findings.

"Incomes have gone up quite a bit," Wellman said. "And this is true nationwide as well as in this area."

Hollow suggested that part of the reason the incomes have increased so dramatically in the Charlevoix area as compared with the rest of the country was due to the change in the number of industries and businesses in the area.

"We've seen a dramatic change in the whole complexion of the Charlevoix area," the bank president said. "In the last 17 years we've seen Medusa be built and Hoskins, American Mold and Lexlite have come in, too."

The plants have brought in more professional people to the area and more people have

been moving up here to live in general, Hollow pointed out. This has increased the school census and the need for teachers, another set of professionals.

The Conference Board study also found that as Charlevoix residents' incomes rose, local residents substantially in-

creased their consumption spending, except in periods of recession. According to the study, residents' outlays in Charlevoix County's retail stores soared from the \$14,470,000 level reported in 1960 to the more recent total of \$44,649,000.

Over the years, the study

indicated, the pattern of spending by the average American family has undergone considerable change. Despite steadily increasing prices, the proportion of income that must now be set aside for the basic necessities—food, shelter, household operations and clothing—is smaller than it was a decade or two ago, the Conference Board noted.

As a result a larger percentage is left for discretionary spending. It is seen in the increased outlays for sporting goods, recreation, television sets, records, travel and other luxuries.

Wellman explained that the increase in discretionary spending was due not only to increased salaries, but also due to increased leisure time.

"It used to be that people worked six or seven days a week," Wellman said. "And now they work five and sometimes only four days a week, so they spend more money on leisure time activities."

Hollow said he disagreed with the study's findings on the increased amount of money for discretionary spending. Hollow said the cost of housing had increased

along with income.

"I would say that people who are living in the same home they were living in during 1960 probably have more discretionary spending money," Hollow said. "But people who have moved probably don't."

"Also things that were a luxury 17 years ago aren't considered that anymore. For instance, look at how many people go out to eat once a week or more. Seventeen years ago very few people did that."

"The standard of living has changed."



GREG SEESE, president of Northwest REACT No. 3433 (left) and Rick Baker, vice president, recently presented a citizen's band station to the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department through Sheriff George Lusater.

CB group sets up base station

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department is the recipient of a Citizen's Band Base Station donated to the department by the Northwest REACT No. 3433. Included in the gift is the 23 channel base station, antenna, coax and bracket.

As a result, Channel 9, the emergency channel, will be monitored on a 24-hour basis at the Sheriff's Department. Into it is issued its own call letters, the station at the Sheriff's Department will be using the call letters of the REACT club, KAGP 947.

The presentation was made recently by Greg Seese, president of the Northwest REACT No. 3433 and Rick Baker, vice president of the group, to Sheriff George T. Lusater.

In accepting the base unit in behalf of the Sheriff's Department, Sheriff Lusater said "The department is making every effort to give the best service possible. In order to do this citizen cooperation is necessary. By giving this base station to the Sheriff's Department, the

Current biological studies unlock mysteries of human make-up

Genetically-engineered people, new types of plants and animals, cures for some diseases, all may lie hidden in the awesome world of the cell.

In recent years an explosion of knowledge has completely transformed the science of biology. Scientists can now take the very stuff of life out of the cell, isolate it in a test tube, dissect it, and probe the deep mysteries borne in its fragments.

Little more than a generation ago the cell—the living capsule from which all plants and animals are built—was largely uncharted territory. Nor was science sure what a gene, the basic unit of heredity, was made of. Today the cell has been mapped and biologists know that genes are made up of that marvelous yet mysterious chemical, DNA.

Stores the Code

Keeper of the keys to life, the double helix or twin spiral of the DNA molecule stores

the code that every cell uses to sustain and duplicate itself. Man and bee, wild flower and microbe, all share a kinship of DNA. And along its elegant structure lie genetic messages that make eyes blue, feathers iridescent, and lilacs fragrant.

"Since they realized that DNA holds such a trove of secrets, biologists have taken revolutionary strides," reports Rick Gore in the September, National Geographic. "They have built genes artificially, and transplanted genes from frogs, mice, and fruit into bacteria."

"They have even put human genetic material into frog eggs and coaxed them—though they could never develop as anything but frogs—into manufacturing human protein."

Some scientists now prophesy that in the future gene manipulation may be used to cure mental genetic diseases, and perhaps even cancer; to prolong life; to

create new types of agricultural plants and animals; and someday possibly to make significant changes in man himself.

Worked With Tadpoles

A remarkable genetic technique called cloning has been demonstrated by the English scientist J.B. Gurdon. He destroyed the nuclei (the cell parts that contain the genes) of frog eggs and then replaced them with others taken from a tadpole's intestinal tissue. Amazingly, the eggs developed into tadpoles identical to the one that donated its intestinal nuclei.

Eventually it should be technically feasible to do the same with humans, to make limitless copies, or clones of people considered to be desirable by transplanting their DNA into human eggs. Science-fiction writers already fantasize about armies cloned from a hybrid Gollath, or world filled with clones of famous and powerful men to locate the one they

people.

"Such conformity, however, would require much more than biological identity," writes Mr. Gore. "Disturbing psychological conditioning, for example, would be needed. Moreover, biologists strongly disavow any interest in human cloning. Nor would our society today tolerate the attempt."

More realistic is the risk that well-meaning genetic manipulators working on, for example, the cancer problem, might inadvertently turn a common bacterium into a lethal germ and unleash a great new plague.

Such dangers have resulted in a self-imposed moratorium on experimentation by many of the world's leading biologists while they spent the past two years developing what they regard as ultrasonic guidelines for their work.

Beyond bacteria, many biologists talk about manipulating genes in humans. But first they must

want to work with out of the roughly 100,000 different genes in each human.

Fused Various Cells

Through a technique called cell fusion, researchers have fused human cells with mouse, chicken, and even mosquito cells. There is no possibility, however, of creating a monster with the head of a man and the tail of a mouse. Fused cells of different animals will not develop beyond a colony of single cells.

Genetic engineering with plants has gone much further. To some botanists, it is just a matter of time until almost any type of plant can be hybridized with another.

Their technique, now in its infancy, is first to dissolve the tough cell wall that encapsulates plant cells, then fuse the naked cells, or protoplasts, from two different plants. Finally—and so far it has been accomplished only with two types of tobacco—they grow the fused cells into full-blown plants.

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ALLEN SANDBERG, city administrator, (center) receives a contract for \$24,000 in CETA funds from Lee Moerland, Ralph Richardson and Martin Paul of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners.

City gets \$24,000 CETA grant

Charlevoix's wild and natural park properties on Lake Michigan and the recreation area at Mt. McSaba are scheduled to receive a face lifting.

The project was made possible through the receipt of Title VI CETA funds.

A \$24,000 contract was awarded to the city for the facilitating by the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners which administers the CETA funds funneled into the county through a 10-county manpower consortium.

The CETA funds will be added to soil conservation funds the city received earlier to underwrite the cost of cleaning up the city park on Lake Michigan north of Park Avenue between Grant Street and the city limits.

Help an 8th grader learn more about Michigan History.

All this week, Charlevoix 8th graders are selling Courier Subscriptions for \$8⁰⁰ - they will receive \$4⁰⁰ from each subscription sold to be used towards their trip to Mackinac Island this spring.



This offer is good only thru May 20 - and ONLY THROUGH A CHARLEVOIX 8th GRADER.



THE ALMOST 100 participants in the Big Brother Big Sister walkathon took off at a run Saturday morning. They didn't keep up the pace for long however over the 32 mile route.

190 participate in walkathon

The streets of Charlevoix County were lined with joggers, walkers and runners Saturday as more than 190 people participated in the Big Brothers-Big Sisters Walkathon.

The first two contestants to cross the finish line of the 32-mile walk were Jeff Drenth and Mark Russell, Charlevoix High School sophomores and members of the cross country team.

Nancy Wood, director of the organization, said she and staff members were still compiling the list of winners and money donated through the walkathon.

Mrs. Wood said she wanted to thank all of the people who helped with the walkathon particularly members of the Northwest REACT, the Sheriff's Department, volunteer nurses and the Bergmann Center.



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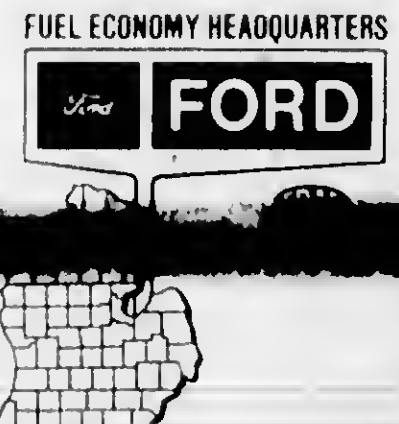
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Mrs. Jensen to hold piano recital

Mrs. James Jensen will present her piano students in a recital to be at the Community Church of God at 3 p.m. Sunday.

Thirty children and young adults will be appearing in the event to which the public is invited.

Refreshments will be served in Fellowship hall following the recital.

Area student graduates from Evangel College

A Charlevoix student graduate from Evangel College, Springfield, Mo., this spring.

Rita B. Rosenthal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Rosenthal will receive the degree of bachelor of science with a major in elementary education.

Commencement exercises were April 28 with John Ashcroft, Mo., attorney general as speaker.

Miss Rosenthal is a 1973 graduate of Charlevoix High School.

Luella Kitson promoted to airman

Luella L. Kitson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kitson Sr. of R.R. 2, East Jordan, Mich., has received her first promotion in the U.S. Air Force.

Kitson, promoted to airman, recently completed technical training at Chanute AFB, Ill., and is now assigned at Randolph AFB, Tex. She serves as an airframe repairman with a unit of the Air Training Command.

Airman Kitson is a 1974 graduate of East Jordan High School.

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THE DISNEY characters in the Charlevoix Elementary School spring musical entered the room for a parade through this fairy castle and turned the whole room into a magic kingdom for an hour.



THE CHARLEVOIX HIGH SCHOOL gymnasium was packed during last week's spring musical presentation by the Charlevoix Elementary School students.

Wonder of Disney brought to life by music students



MARINA LeBLANCE, elementary school music teacher, directs the students during the annual spring musical presentation. "A Salute to Disney."

Kantola helps EMU conquer tournament

A Charlevoix student has helped Eastern Michigan University's forensics team win its second consecutive national championship.

Sophomore Steve Kantola gave speeches in the prose and dramatic duo categories in the national tournament. His contribution helped the EMU competitive speaking team set numerous tournament records.

A student of speech, theater and art, Kantola is the son of Alfred Kantola of 123 Carson Ave., and is a graduate of Charlevoix High School.

Kevin Martin earns letter

A Charlevoix resident was one of 19 students to earn a varsity track award at Michigan Technological University for the 1977 season.

Kevin Martin, sophomore from Charlevoix, won his first varsity letter in the sport, Athletic Director Ted Keady announced.

Pack II participates in Olympics

Charlevoix Cub Scout Pack 11 was one of 80 dens from all over Northern Michigan participating in the Third Annual Cub Scout Olympics in Pellston recently.

Altogether, approximately 540 Cub Scouts, Webelos, and their leaders took part in the day-long competitive events.

In addition, to those participating in the Olympics, over 80 Webelos and their leaders spent the weekend camping out.

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David Knapp completes course

Navy Seaman David J. Knapp, whose wife Diane is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Grubbaugh of 715 East Dixon, Charlevoix, Mich., has completed the Navy's basic "Electricity Electronics" course.

Four weeks of study at Great Lakes, Ill., included review of basic mathematics, fundamental electrical formulas plus the principles of alternating and direct current circuits. Students also received instruction on basic circuit testing methods, including the use of multimeters and audio signal generators.

He joined the Navy in November 1976.

Students wash cars for cancer

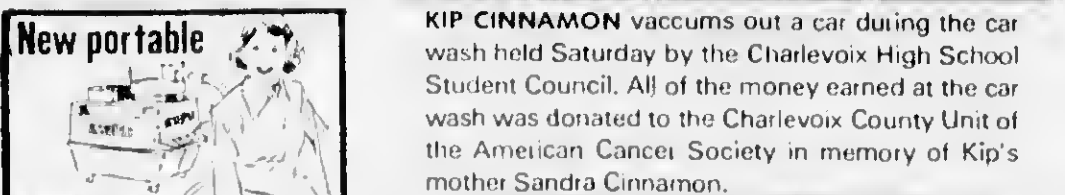
It was a long but rewarding day for members of the Charlevoix High School student council.

The students held a car wash Saturday morning with the proceeds going to the Charlevoix County Unit of the American Cancer Society.

"The kids worked pretty hard and we felt we were successful," Gayle Kacynski, faculty advisor, said.

The group raised \$54 which was donated in memory of Sandra Cinnamon, mother of Kip Cinnamon, high school junior.

KIP CINNAMON vacuums out a car during the car wash held Saturday by the Charlevoix High School Student Council. All of the money earned at the car wash was donated to the Charlevoix County Unit of the American Cancer Society in memory of Kip's mother Sandra Cinnamon.



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MR. AND MRS. BRUCE Kinsley are making their home in Saline following their recent marriage. The bride, the former Jean Welke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Welke of St. James, and Mr. Kinsley were married April 30 at the United Methodist Church in Saline. The bridegroom is the son of William Kinsley of Saline. The Rev. Daniel Wallace officiated at the service.

Edwin Loops celebrate 50th

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Loop celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary at a reception held by their children Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Wallace of Charlevoix, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Loop of Grand Rapids, Sunday.

Loop and the former Maurine Spence were married on May 10, 1927, in Detroit. Mrs. Loop's birthday also falls on that date.

The couple began summering in the Charlevoix area in the 1930s and then retired to Charlevoix where they now make their home.

The Loops have four children including Mrs. Gary Whitney of Long Beach, Calif., and Mrs. Yvonne Cornelisse, of Costa Mesa, Calif., eight grandchildren and eight great grandchildren.



Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Loop

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Eloise Beyer elected to head Rebekah District 18

Eloise Beyer of East Jordan was elected president of District 18 of the Rebekah Association at the 51st annual meeting held here last week.

She succeeds Eva Ostrum of Charlevoix in the office.

Other new officers are Ella Mae Huffman of Bellaire, vice president; Dorothea Johnson of Petoskey, secretary and Emma Nestle of Mancelona, treasurer.

Following the election the following assignments were given: Qualification for the Veteran's Jewel, Charlevoix Lodge No. 238: Explanation the Regalia and Colors, Eoline Lodge No. 247, Bellaire; the Visitation and its purpose, Ideal Lodge No. 180, Mancelona and the Examination and Duties, Jassimine Lodge No. 365, East Jordan.

The Jassimine lodge with 32.5 percent of its membership present, received the attendance cup.

Eighty-eight members were present for the annual meeting which opened with a model meeting at which Daisy Borton presided. Assembly

Development topic of meet

Economic development in Charlevoix County will be the subject of a meeting next Tuesday evening, May 24, sponsored by the Economic Development committee of the County Planning Commission.

Business men and local government officials are specially invited to join in the discussion of such questions as, "Which way and how much does the county want to grow?"

The meeting is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. at the Top of Michigan hall in Boyne City.

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U.S. Rep. Ruppe, Sen. Bob Davis to visit Charlevoix Friday

U.S. Rep. Philip Ruppe, R-Houghton, and State Sen. Bob Davis, R-Gaylord, will meet residents of Charlevoix County from noon to 1:15 p.m. Friday in the lobby of the Charlevoix County Building.

Anyone with any questions or who needs help with a federal or state matter should visit with the two men.

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Methodist women plan spaghetti fundraising dinner

The United Methodist Women will sponsor a spaghetti supper at the church dining room Friday, May 20, Mrs. Harold Gibbs, general chairman, has announced.

The meal will feature spaghetti, tossed salad, homemade rolls, lemon bisque and a clove of beverage.

Tickets will be \$2.50 for persons 13 years and up; \$1.50 for those 12 years and under and children 4 years and under, free. A family ticket will be \$10.

Mrs. Carlton Ikema will be in charge of the food; Mrs. Gary Washburn, dining room. Tickets may be obtained by calling Mrs. Gibbs at 547-9396.

Proceeds will go to the parish fund.

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MAUREN CUDD passes the baton to Teri Hufford during the second leg of the mile relay. The Charlevoix squad handily defeated the Boyne City Rayders during the meet.



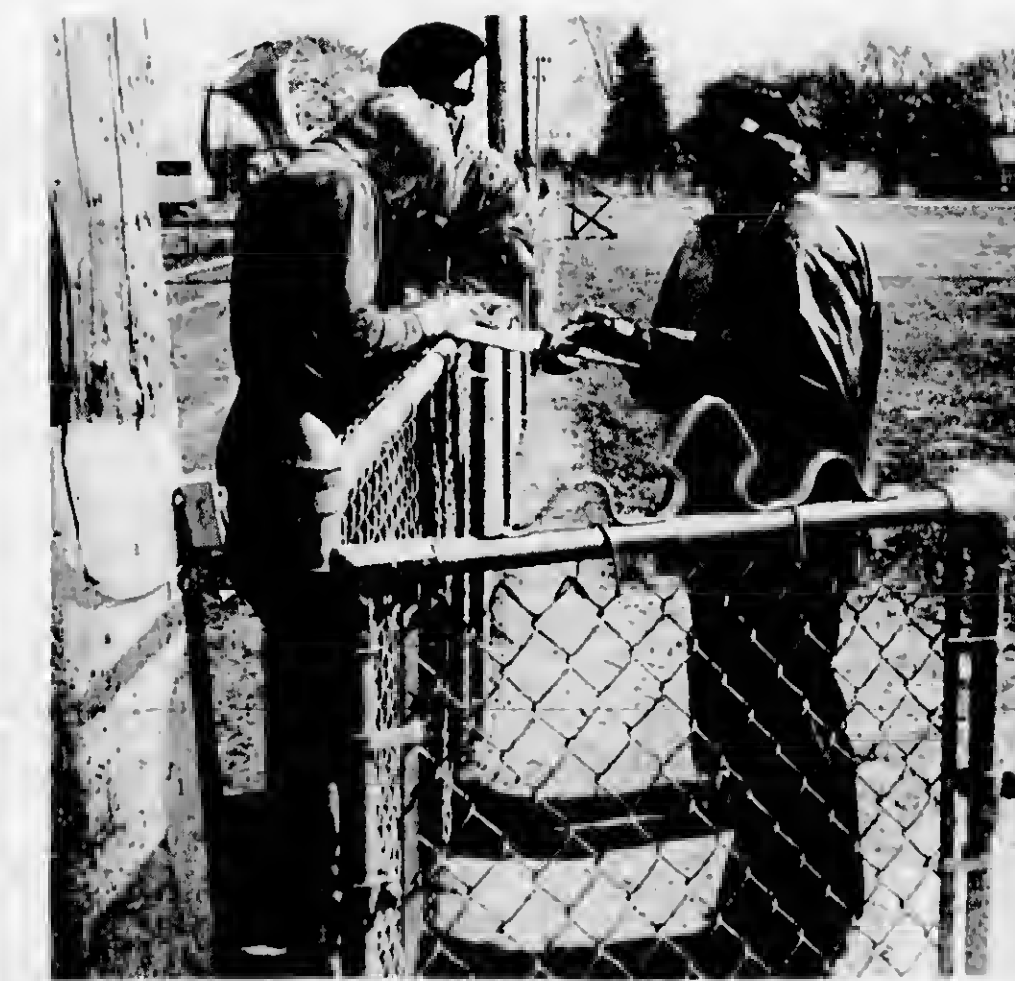
TINA KLAMA crosses the finish line well ahead of her Boyne City challenger to capture a first place in the mile relay and to help the Rayders take the meet.



MAUREN CUDD takes the baton from Tami Noirot as she prepares to run the second leg of the mile relay during the meet between Charlevoix and Boyne City. Charlevoix handily won the meet.



THE SHADOWS show the problems that Teri Hufford and Tina Klama had with the handoff during the mile relay. The missed handoff didn't hurt the Rayders runners however, as they took first in the relay and the meet against Boyne City.



COACH MARIE OSTERBERG confers with some timers and scorekeepers during last week's track meet between Charlevoix and Boyne City. The Rayders won the meet.

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Softball season opens with 11 teams playing

The teams of the Charlevoix Softball Association will open their seasons next week with the 11 teams of the men's league playing on Monday, Wednesday and Friday and the eight teams of the women's league seeing action on Tuesday and Thursday.

Dwight Boss, City Recreation director, has announced.

Teams in the men's league include Credit Union, Townhouse, Medusa, Hospital, Erber Auto, Beebe's G-Men, Hawks, Wojan Aluminum, Kit Carson, the former Topside team and the 1976 defending champion, Fred Taylor Inc. of Ellsworth and an eleven team unnamed at this time.

Teams in the women's league are the defending

Middle school track teams make clean sweep at Grayling

Three Charlevoix Middle School track teams made a clean sweep of track meets held here Wednesday with Grayling.

The girls team won by a score of 116 to 16 and set seven new records in the process while the boys' "A" team piled up a 172 to 56 win and the boys' "B" team won by a 40 to 38 margin.

Breaking records in the girls meet were the following with the old records in parentheses:

Shot put: 1. Melinda Klooster; 2. Debbie Thorne; 4. Kris Lagnell. Distance: 36' 9 1/2" (36' 2").
Mile: 1. Patricia Morgan; 2. April Meadows. Time: 6:27 (6:57).
440 yd. run: 1. Debbie Thorne; 2. Debbie Lenthart; 4. Brenda Wojan. Time: 1:32.0 (1:42.9).
100 yd. low hurdles: 1. Klooster; 2. Tami Currier. Time: 14.6 (14.7).
60 yd. dash: 1. Liz Keller; 2. Kathy Pidek; 3. Ann Begrow. Time: 8.0 (8.2).
75 yd. dash: 1. Sally Westlund; 3. Lisa Pischner. Time: 10.0 (10.2).
440 yd. relay: 1. Charlevoix (Kroll, Westlund, Teresa Noirot, Keller. Time: 58.2 (58.1).
Other point winners for the team were:
High jump: 1. Hope Malpel and Kroll tied; 3. Noirot. Ht. 4' 3".
Long jump: 1. Keller; 2. Lisa Sandahl; 3. Begrow; 3.

Novotny, Smith participate on crew

Gary Novotny and Doug Smith, both Charlevoix natives, are rarities among Michigan athletes. There are just three colleges in the state which field crew teams and the Charlevoix pair belongs to one of them - Grand Valley State College.

Novotny, a 6-1 freshman, and Smith, a 5-11 freshman, are members of the Laker

varsity and novice crews, has to have the toughest collegiate sports schedule of any coach in Michigan. Among the Laker opponents are Michigan, MSU, Notre Dame, Purdue, Marquette, Ohio, and Mercyhurst, Pa., along with other midwest schools.

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Girls track team drops Boyne City

Charlevoix's girls track team piled up an impressive 85 1/2 points at Kipke field Tuesday to defeat Boyne City who had 49 1/2 points.

In winning, the Charlevoix girls took nine of a possible 14 firsts, according to Coach Marie Osterberg.

The team has a busy schedule during the next week including the Rogers City Invitational on Monday, the Rudyard Relays on Wednesday, and on May 23, the Class C Regional meet at Benzie Central.

In Tuesday's meet point-getters were:

Discus: 1. Chris Lehman; 3. Sandy Hodge; 4. Teri Hufford. Distance: 83' 4 1/2".
Shot put: 2. Hodge.
High jump: 2. Chris Jones; Tina Klama.
Long jump: 1. Jones; 2. Tami Mitchell; 4. Sherrie Sellessen. Distance: 14' 11".
Two mile: 1. Irene Cutler; 3.

Ramblers run over Rayders at meet

In a track meet set ahead from Tuesday, the Charlevoix Rayders were defeated by the Boyne City Ramblers 90 1/2 to 67 1/2 at Kipke Field Monday.

In Monday's meet, Charlevoix took only six firsts out of a possible 16 and lacked depth to pick up the necessary points by taking third and fourth places.

Rayder point winners in the meet follow:
Shot put: 1. Neil Dziedzic; 4. Randy Bearss. Hit 58".
Long jump: 1. Steve Schuch; 4. Craig Boss.
Pole vault: 3. Jeff Wellman; 4. Guy Carter.
Two mile: 2. Drenth; 4. Tim Hiller.
300 low hurdles: 4. Kevin Kratt.
880 relay: 1. Charlevoix (Dziedzic, Schuch, Bearss, Ed Mann) Time: 1:39.9.
880 yd. run: 1. Todd Williams; 2. Pat Schmidt.

Bowlers to meet to elect officers for association

The Charlevoix Bowling Association will meet at 7 p.m. today (Wednesday) at the Paul Bunyan Lanes to elect officers for the coming year.

All members of the association are eligible for nomination to any office on the slate. Following the business meeting fellowship and bowling will be held.

Tennis team takes 2nd behind Petoskey

The Charlevoix Rayders with 15 points came in second behind the Petoskey tennis team which retained the Michigan-Huron Shores title the team has held for several years.

Petoskey finished the tournament held at Grayling with a total of 18 points followed by Charlevoix with 15; Grayling with seven. Gaylord and Boyne City with three each and Cheboygan with two points.

The finals were almost a Petoskey-Charlevoix match

Netters defeat Cheboygan

The Charlevoix Rayder tennis team posted a 6-1 victory over Cheboygan on the latter's court Thursday but fell victim to a strong Alpena contingent 7-0 earlier in the week.

The Rayders now have a 5 win-three loss record.

This week will find Charlevoix at East Jordan Tuesday, participating in the Class C regional meet at Boyne City Friday and hosting Leelanau on May 24.

In Friday's meet Mark Lignell defeated Wayne Lenthart 6-4, 6-4; Tracy Sell defeated Ann Cronnough 6-2, 6-2 while Ed Enstrom lost to Bruce Semmer 6-0, 6-1.

Lisa Wiener did not play in the single because of illness. She was replaced by Enstrom.

All three doubles teams won their matches: Dave Taylor and Marc Malpel won over Steve Roy-Diane Leonaud 6-3, 6-2; Dave Murgidre and Tom McNamara defeated Tina Leventon-Judy Cavanaugh 6-1, 6-1 and Geoff Nelson and Jeff Cuckfield trimmed Glenn Hyatt and Pat Miller 6-1, 6-0.

In their earlier loss to

Alpena by a 7-0 score, the matches were much closer than the final score indicated with three of the matches going to three sets: Coach Chuck Wright said.

Lignell lost to Brad Hatch 6-2, 6-2; Berlage to Jim Milroy 6-1, 6-1; Wiener to Mike Gagnon 6-1, 6-0; Sell to Glenn Nichols 7-6, 4-6, 7-5.

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The Appletree, 224 Bridge Street, Charlevoix, application filed by Michael C. Holmes.

Brooks Appliance Center, 400 Silver Street, Boyne City, application filed by William R. Brooks.

Janet Begrow busy as board member

The end of the academic day marks just the beginning of the day's actions for a Charlevoix student at Michigan State University.

Janet Begrow is a member of MSU's student-run Programming Board. As a member of the board, Miss Begrow is involved in organizing cultural and entertainment activities for the campus. The board is responsible for sponsoring a host of activities including: concerts, workshops, films, video displays, arts and crafts shows, and special events such as Homecoming.

Miss Begrow, a 1974 graduate of Charlevoix High School, was the director of the board's successful 1976 Homecoming. An active member of the board, she has been involved in a number of board activities and has directed some of the past arts and crafts shows and advertising campaigns.

She is a junior majoring in advertising at Michigan State University. She is the daughter of Mrs. Frank Fox and Jack Begrow.

LOU HOLLOW, president of First State Bank of Charlevoix, congratulates Jacquie Merta on winning a color television set. The set was awarded by the Charlevoix County Unit of the American Cancer Society.

Obituary

John M. Krehak

Funeral services for John M. Krehak, 60, a former resident who died unexpectedly May 1 at his Crystal Lake, Ill. home, were held at the First United Methodist church in Crystal Falls. The Rev. Eugene W. Wykle officiated. Interment was in McHenry County Memorial Park in Woodstock, Ill.

Born in Charlevoix Feb. 19, 1917, Mr. Krehak was graduated from the Charlevoix High School in 1934. He went to Crystal Lake a short time later and there was married to the former Helen Chichok on Sept. 28, 1940. He was a U.S. Navy veteran of World War II. He was president and co-owner of Checker Die and Engineering, Inc. of Crystal Falls, a company he had been associated with for 20 years.

He was a member of the William Chandler-Peterson Post No. 171, American Legion, and the Loyal Order of Moose Lodge No. 1188.

He is survived by his wife, a son, Daniel, Wayne, daughter, Marcella, both of Hattiesburg, Miss.; two brothers, Emil of Crystal Lake and Frank of Woodstock, Ill.; and eight sisters, Mrs. Lloyd Anderson of Wallonia, Mrs. Eldred Ostrum of Charlevoix, Mrs. Raymond Kruse of Aurora, Ill., Mrs. Helen Fante of Lake, Ill., Mrs. James Towne of Boyne City, Mrs. Russell VanWinkle of Long Beach, Calif., Mrs. Keith Brub of Falls Church, Va., and Mrs. Harry Bobb of Dayton, Ohio.

He has no known survivors.

Boys track team takes third at Soo invitational

The Charlevoix Rayders and the Boyne City Ramblers, with 35 points each, tied for third place in the C-D Division of the Soo Invitational last Thursday.

Rudyard with 63 points won the meet with Pickett placing second with 51 points. They were among 11 schools entered in this division of the meet.

The Rayders won three firsts in the meet, the 880 yd. relay, one of the 880 yd. run and the high jump.

Earning points for the Rayders were:

Two mile: 2. Wally Dreth.

880 yd. relay: 1. Steve Schuch, (Neil Dziedziec, Steve Schuch, Randy Reers, Ed Mann) Time: 1:37.57.

880 yd. run (first heat): 2. Todd Williams.

880 yd. run (second heat): 1. Wally Dreth; 4. Pat Schmidt. Time: 2:07.2.

100 yd. dash: 3. Dziedziec.

440 yd. run (first heat): 4. Barney Way.

440 yd. run (second heat): 3. Jack Cross.

220 yd. dash: 4. Bears.

1 Mile relay: 4. Charlevoix (T. Williams, Wayne Hoff, man, Norbert Schrenbroch, Way).

High jump: 1. Dziedziec. Ht.: 6' 0".

District Court

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix District Court last week by Judge David W. Farnish:

Craig Peters, 18, Petoskey, larceny under \$100. Plead guilty. Ten days in county jail, \$100 fine, and costs, and restitution to injured party.

Danny Ray Halladay, 17, Charlevoix, unlawfully driving away automobile. Examination held, bound over to Circuit Court.

William Crick, Boyne City, two counts of breaking and entering with intent to commit larceny. Examination held, bound over to Circuit Court.

John R. Rinck, 29, Petoskey, (1) Unlawful entry, (2) assault and battery. Plead guilty. Ten days in county jail and \$210 fine and costs.

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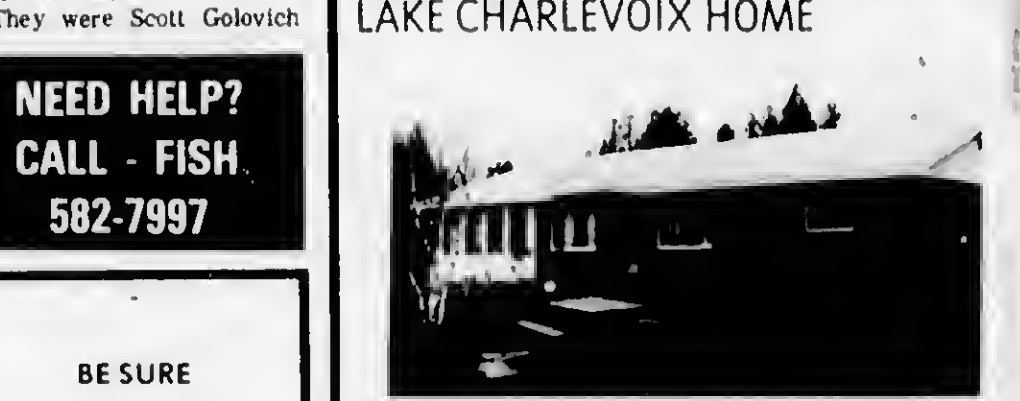


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Wrestlers take first place in freestyle tourney

Two Charlevoix wrestlers took first place medals in the weekly Freestyle Wrestling tournament held at Traverse City Saturday.

They were Scott Golovich and Tim DeYoung. Dave Golovich, Pat Curtis, Dan Kelly and Terry Drew placed second and Mark Drenth, third. Tom Mielka also participated.



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Obituary

Lydia M. Orvis
church. The Rev. Harold Kruse of Eastport officiated. Interment was in Brookside cemetery.

The former Lydia M. Halverson was born in Sheboygan, Wis., Feb. 14, 1892, and came here with her parents at the age of 12 years. They always made their home at Ironton. Mr. Orvis preceded her in death May 7, 1967. She was a member of the Ironton Congregational church.

She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Richard (Audrey) Russell, Mrs. Douglas (Mary) Hall and Mrs. William (Betty) Cooper, all of Ironton, and Mrs. August (Alice) Schanick of Flint; three sons, Samuel of Clio, William and Vaughn of Flint; 19 grandchildren; 15 great-grandchildren and five sisters, Mrs. Irene deCastro and Mrs. Vera Zilmer of Charlevoix, Mrs. Geraldine Gillette of Grand Rapids, Mrs. Helen Hidding of San Carlos, Calif., and Mrs. Alvin Fairweather of Gloucester, Mass.

The Winchester Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

PUBLIC NOTICES

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Publication of Notice of Hearing
File No. 7899
STATE OF MICHIGAN.
The Probate Court for the County of CHARLEVOIX, Estate of STUART WESLEY WELLS, DECEASED.

TAKE NOTICE: On June 1st, 1977, at 1:00 p.m., in the Probate Courtroom, Charlevoix, Michigan, before the Hon. John T. Murphy, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Edna C. Wells, for probate of a purported Will of the deceased dated August 18, 1964 and for granting of administration to said Edna C. Wells, or some other suitable person, and for a determination of heirs.

Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to the said Edna C. Wells, 107 West Upright Street, Charlevoix, Michigan 49720, and proof thereof, with copies of the claim, filed with the Court on or before July 27th, 1977, at 1:00 p.m. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

May 5th, 1977
Edna C. Wells
Petitioner
107 West Upright Street,
Charlevoix, Michigan 49720
Attorney for Petitioner:
HOFFMAN & HOFFMAN
Robert L. Hoffman
100 Belvedere Avenue,
Charlevoix, Mich. 49720
Phone (616) 547-9941
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Shade trees arrive for planting in city

The City of Charlevoix will be able to keep up its reputation as a shady town after all.

The city's Shade Tree Commission and many other interested residents have been eagerly awaiting the arrival of 200 shade trees which were to be planted along the main streets in town from the municipal golf course to the airport.

The trees finally arrived last week and Friday John Campbell of the Shade Tree

Commission, city crews and a crew from Site Planning Development put the trees in place.

The newly arrived trees were planted to replace new shade trees that were planted last year and that died during the drought last summer.

The trees were a little late arriving in town due to some detours they had to take on their journey, Campbell said.

The trees were scheduled to be delivered two weeks ago, but the first truck that was

carrying the shade trees ended up in the river.

A second truck that picked the trees up after the first one got in an accident, could only take the trees as far as Detroit.

Finally Campbell sent one of his trucks down to pick up the trees and bring them to Charlevoix.

Campbell said that although the delay in getting the trees upset some work schedules, the trees did not arrive too late for proper planting. The nurseryman said it was still early enough in the season to plant the trees and have them grow successfully.

The nurseryman said the problem with last year's trees was that they did not receive a sufficient amount of water and the summer season was unusually dry. About 80 percent of the trees planted last year died.



JOHN CAMPBELL of the Shade Tree Commission prunes one of the almost 200 new shade trees planted along city streets last week.



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MARK MITCHELL and Andy Carey plant one of the newly arrived shade trees along Charlevoix Avenue. City crews and a crew from Site Planning Development planted the trees.

Open house slated at Whiting Park

An open house will be held at Whiting Park Sunday from 2 to 4 p.m. according to Ed Reiman, Secretary of the Park Commission. This will give Charlevoix County residents a chance to view the new managers' residence at the park and look over other facilities.

The new house is being constructed by John M. Stebe Jr. of Charlevoix. It is a two bedroom house 24' x 42' with a park office. It will be heated

by gas and is available to the park manager. Unfurnished. The Charlevoix County parks and Recreation Commission and Park Summer along with several members of the County Board of Commissioners will be at the open house they will be available for residents to visit and ask questions about Whiting Park.

Refreshments will be served at the open house.

East Jordan woman plans camp for deaf

An East Jordan woman may be the next big winner in the Michigan Lottery. Michigan.

And if she is, a lot of people may benefit.

Erin Scott, 33, will have a chance on Monday to compete for a chance for the big money by joining the May 26 Super Play field. Six contestants will be selected from those who successfully matched all five digits in the Michigan.

When she matched the five numbers on her lottery ticket April 21 that guaranteed her at least \$2,000, but Mrs. Scott is hoping for even more.

The East Jordan woman plans to use her winnings to establish a camp for deaf children on her 68-acre farm. She plans to build two dormitories, basketball and tennis courts and a nature

trail. In addition she would like to purchase bicycles, heading, a movie projector, mini-bus and other equipment for the camp. In all she estimates the project will probably cost around \$300,000.

But Mrs. Scott is willing to start slowly, putting whatever she wins into establishing the camp.

"I've already checked with my neighbors and they agreed that I could have the camp," Mrs. Scott said. "And the state has agreed to help pay for setting up part of the nature trail."

In the meantime, Mrs. Scott is directing her energies toward helping the deaf any way she can. She conducts a class in sign language through the East Jordan Community Schools.

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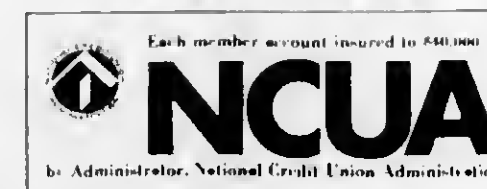
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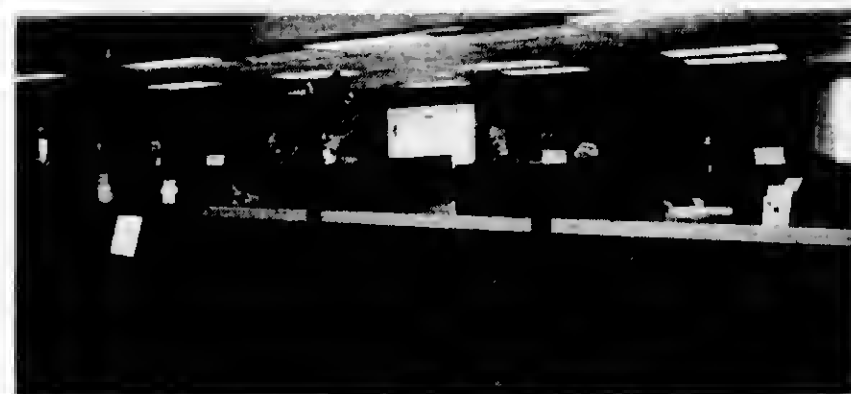
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In January of 1976, we began offering privilege payment accounts, electronic transfer service, direct payment service for our members. With two or three exceptions, we still have the same official family volunteers.



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Treasurer Manager.

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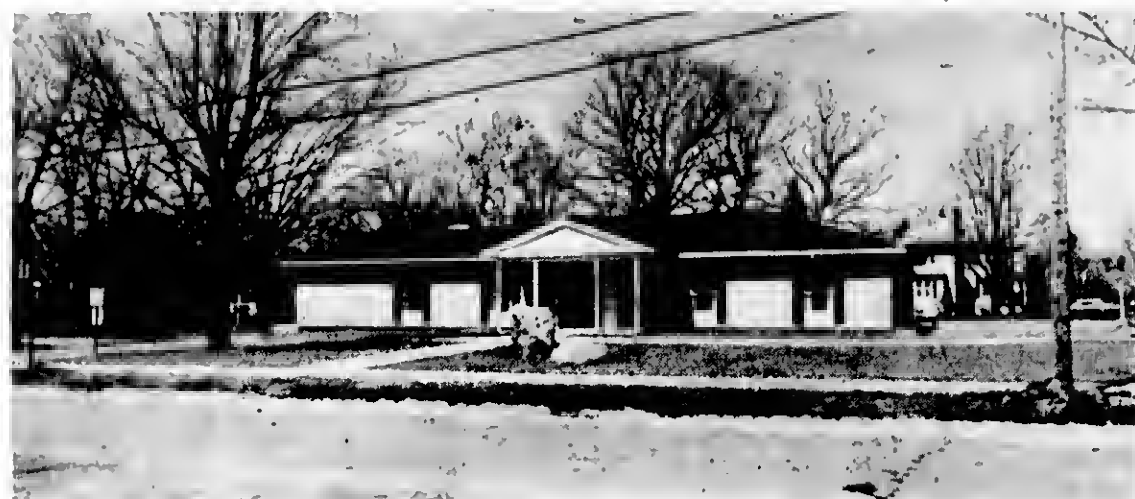
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Survey reveals area residents' concerns

By PEG OHLE
How do Michigan residents feel about community issues and spending of tax funds?
The Michigan Public Opinion Survey, conducted by researchers in the Michigan State University Department of Resource Development in late 1975 reveals some interesting answers. Questionnaires were randomly distributed to 21,792 Michigan households, of which 13,296 were returned with answers. The returns have been broken down for Charlevoix County alone and the Northwest Region (Antrim, Benzie, Charlevoix, Emmet, Grand Traverse, Kalkaska, Leelanau, Manistee, Missaukee, and Wexford Counties) for comparison with state figures.
Two hundred and seventeen Charlevoix County residents received questionnaires and 138 usable ones were returned—for a 64 percent return.
Sixty-one percent of the returns came from men and 39 percent from women. The average age of those in Charlevoix County returning the questionnaires was 49 and the average length of residence in the county was 22 years.

A summary of the questions and answers follows:
Charlevoix County residents listed what they saw as the most serious community problems in the following order. Replies by residents of the Northwest Region and the state as a whole are printed for comparison:

1. Energy costs
2. Unemployment
3. Job Opportunities
4. Railroad abandonment
5. Rental housing
6. Public transportation within the community
7. Public transportation to other communities
8. Drug and alcohol abuse

County	Region	State
88	80	75
83	61	80
80	77	75
75	77	47
83	62	44
62	45	53
61	58	61
61	59	64

9. Housing mortgage money
10. Land use conflicts

County	Region	State
59	45	45
57	56	41
57	57	52
58	58	59
55	51	56
52	56	60
52	49	60
50	49	48
49	48	50
48	52	52

1. Research of energy sources
2. Crime prevention and control
3. Preservation of productive farmland
4. Research on reducing present energy use
5. Exploration for new sources of oil, coal, and gas
6. Development of new employment opportunities
7. Assistance programs and facilities for the aged
8. Preservation of wildlife and wilderness areas
9. Incentives to attract industry
10. Homeowner tax deductions for mortgage payments and property tax

County	Region	State
73	70	71
61	73	68
57	57	52
58	58	59
55	51	56
52	56	60
52	49	60
50	49	48
49	48	50
48	52	52

1. Support for cultural and fine arts programs

County	Region	State
41	33	27

2. Pre-school child care programs
3. Development of tourist attractions
4. Unemployment programs and benefits
5. Assistance programs for families with low incomes

County	Region	State
39	35	33
38	47	31
38	39	31
33	28	25

1. "I would move to another community if I had to, but would be reluctant to leave."
2. "I would never consider leaving here."
3. "It makes no difference to me whether I live here or in another community."
4. "I would probably be more satisfied living in another community."
5. "I would really like to leave this community if I had the opportunity."

County	Region	State
69	61	51
19	23	11
7	9	16
4	3	8
0	3	13

1. Less crime or danger
2. Quality of water and air
3. A good place to raise children
4. Quality of medical facilities
5. Natural scenery

County	Region	State
73	76	78
72	75	68
65	64	64
60	59	56
52	54	41

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Memorial Day plans announced

The traditional Memorial Day program plans have been announced by the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars, sponsors of the event.
This year's program will include the traditional memorial service, music by the Charlevoix High School band and a parade on Bridge Street. Clarence Rubach will serve as master of ceremonies with Clarence Goldstick serving as parade marshal and Ed Edwards as honorary

parade marshal. Fritz Allard will be squad leader.
The parade will begin at 10 a.m. at the corner of Park Avenue and Bridge Street and will proceed south on Memorial Park. A small ceremony will be held with wreaths tossed into the lake by the VFW and American Legion auxiliaries and wreaths placed at the Submarine Memorial and in Memorial Park.
The firing squad will give a 21 volley salute and Taps will be played by Kay Currey and Geoffrey Nelson.
The parade will then continue to the cemetery for a second service. The Memorial Day Address will be given by James McKinney, superintendent of schools, with Julie Wimmer, high school senior, also making a presentation. Rev. Austin Reiger will give the invocation and Rev. James Plackner will give the benediction.

In case of bad weather, attempts will be made to switch the ceremonies to the high school gym.



HOTLINE
Dial 547-6559

Hotline lets others know what you think. Tell us your opinion on anything by calling 547-6559 anytime after 6 p.m. No need to give your name. Selected opinions will appear each week.

Dog Catcher
I would like to express my feelings about the present dogcatcher. Mr. Thomure has served the county as a deputy for many years. He has gotten many awards and spent much time in training. These training times have been to serve our county better. I don't know the former dogcatcher's name, but I do know that when he came to our neighborhood to pick up a stray dog, he indicated that he had a love for dogs, that he really liked his job and that he did like the dogs. He proved this to me when he got a German Shepherd that bit a kid at my cousin's house. He handled that German Shepherd that wanted to bite him real well and as though he had much experience. I would say that Mr. Thomure is taking quite a demotion and it isn't right. Could this demotion be because of the last election? Or is there a better reason. If there is, I would like Mr. Lasater to express the reason. I worked for Mr. Lasater and I feel he is the man for the job, but if this is what is going on up there, I don't understand it because why are we getting a well-educated crimelighter for a dogcatcher and a good experienced dogcatcher on our streets as a crimelighter. That is my opinion and I want to thank you for allowing me to talk on Hotline.

More on Dogcatcher
I would like to know what happened to the dogcatcher. Supposedly when Lasater took office he was gonna try to control these dogs running loose. So far this year I haven't even seen the dogcatcher on this side of town.
I keep my dog fenced in but these dogs that just run around town get her barking. I know it bothers the neighbors for it bothers me. Then I've got to go out and quiet her down while the other dog runs off and bothers some other dog that's tied up. I really think something should be done. I know I'm not the only one that feels this way. Otherwise I'll get myself a BB gun. Maybe the dogs won't come around as often.

P.S.



David Sandberg
betcha' never thought
you'd make the front page!

WEATHER

The following weather information was supplied by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station:

Date	High	Low
May 14	89	47
May 15	78	49
May 16	85	56
May 17	78	56
May 18	71	57
May 19	80	54
May 20	87	60



THIS TREE has been felled by beavers. The smoothness of the cut can easily be seen.



FELLED TREES lie on the ground near a beaver dam. They will be hauled to the water's edge by the beavers, then cut in sizes suitable for dam building.

Beavers busy with work in Jordan River Valley

By PEG OHLE
One of the advantages of living or visiting in Northern Michigan is the opportunity to view nature at first hand.

A trip through the Jordan River Valley is a trip through forest lands untouched by man except for the narrow roads

that meander along the river. And it is here that the work of the beaver can be observed at first hand.

Aside from man, the beaver is the most accomplished builder among the mammals. It makes dams and lodges, deepens pools, and digs

elaborate canals and tunnels—all of this to create for itself living conditions that will secure it from predators.

The key to this activity is the dam. It backs up water to form a shallow pond in which a lodge can be built in a safe spot away from shore, easy for the strong-swimming

beaver to reach but inaccessible to marauders.

The lodge itself is like a small domed fortress, rising from the pond formed by the dam. It is constructed of branches and the trunks of saplings plastered with mud. It has an air hole in the ceiling and contains a single chamber

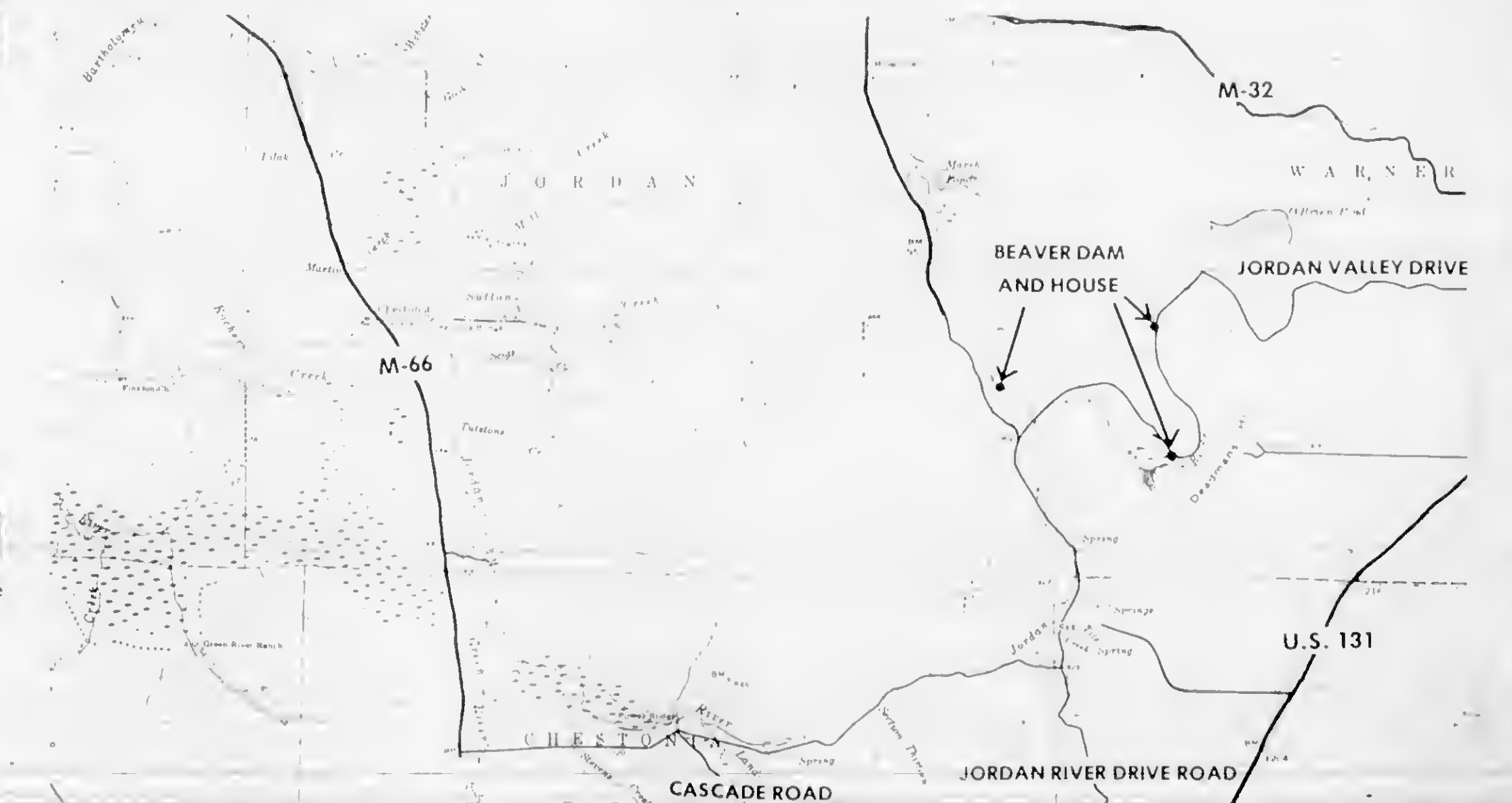
about five feet wide and three feet high. An underwater exit leads outside, and close by stands a stockpile of branches, from which the beavers will eat the bark during the winter, when frozen sap makes trees too hard to cut down.

To build the dam and lodge, the beaver uses its ex-

ceptionally sharp curved incisors to cut down trees. It is an extremely speedy worker and can bring down a four-inch poplar in less than 15 minutes.

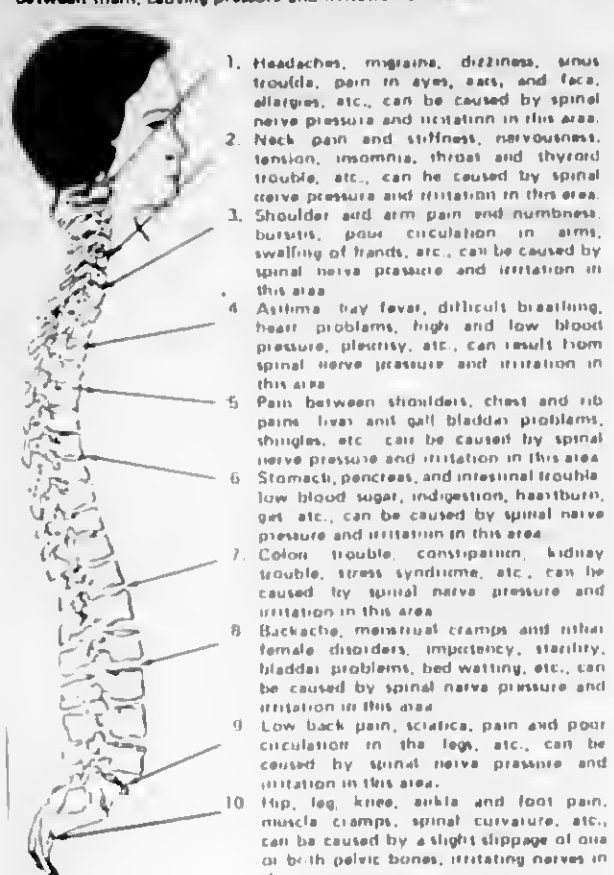
The beaver then carries the branches to the water, often

See Beaver on page 16.



Your Health Problems Can Be Caused By Spinal Nerve Pressure

The SPINE and NERVE CHART below shows that nerve interference at the spine can cause a loss of nerve control to ANY PART OF THE BODY. Labeled below are a few of the many health problems which could be caused by the vertebrae, or the discs between them, causing pressure and irritation on nerves.



1. Headaches, migraines, dizziness, sinus trouble, pain in eyes, ears, and face, ringing, etc., can be caused by spinal nerve pressure and irritation in this area.
2. Neck pain and stiffness, neck spasms, tension, insomnia, throat and thyroid trouble, etc., can be caused by spinal nerve pressure and irritation in this area.
3. Shoulder and arm pain and numbness, weakness, poor circulation in arms, swelling of joints, etc., can be caused by spinal nerve pressure and irritation in this area.
4. Back pain, low back, difficult breathing, heart problems, high and low blood pressure, allergy, etc., can be caused by spinal nerve pressure and irritation in this area.
5. Pain between shoulders, chest and rib pain, gas and acid indigestion, problems, stomach, etc., can be caused by spinal nerve pressure and irritation in this area.
6. Stomach, pancreas, and intestinal trouble, low blood sugar, indigestion, heartburn, gas, etc., can be caused by spinal nerve pressure and irritation in this area.
7. Colon trouble, constipation, kidney trouble, stress syndrome, etc., can be caused by spinal nerve pressure and irritation in this area.
8. Backache, menstrual cramps and other female disorders, impotency, sterility, bladder problems, bed wetting, etc., can be caused by spinal nerve pressure and irritation in this area.
9. Low back, sciatica, pain and poor circulation in the legs, etc., can be caused by spinal nerve pressure and irritation in this area.
10. Pain in the arms and feet, pain, muscle cramps, spinal curvature, etc., can be caused by a tight ligament, disc, or in its parts, causing pressure on nerves in this area.

Other conditions can be caused by nerve pressure or irritation at various areas of the spine, such as paralysis, muscle spasms, disc problems, hernia, neuritis, tetanus, arthritis, rheumatism, hormonal imbalance, etc.

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Community Calendar

Wednesday, May 25
Track: Michigan Huron Shores Conference Girls Track meet in Boyne City 4 p.m.
Charlevoix High School Awards Assembly at high school gymnasium 1:30-2:30 p.m.
Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at the county building annex 7:30 p.m.



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Citizens in East Jordan 1:15 p.m. Mrs. Jeanette O'Brien of the Drug Awareness Center, Petoskey, will speak on "An Introduction to Communication Skills."

Thursday, May 26
Tennis: Charlevoix will host Petoskey at the municipal courts 4 p.m.
Area Mental Health Clinic Board will meet at 403 E. Lake St., Petoskey, 7 p.m.
Al-Anons Family Group will meet at the undercroft of

Friday, May 27
Memorial Day parade beginning at Park ave. 10 a.m., arranged by Charlevoix V.F.W. post No. 1153 and Leslie T. Shapton Post No. 226 American Legion. Formal program at Brookside cemetery.

Wednesday, June 1
Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Raymond Griffin, 403 Mason-st., 1:30 p.m. Program: Our church library, by Mrs. Charles Duerr; Devotions: Mrs. Floyd Chamberlain.

Monday, May 30
Coast Guard Wives Club will meet with Mrs. Melvin Ilmarinen, May 31, 7:30 p.m.

Little Flower Guild will meet with Mrs. Patrick Donnelly, Sequaneta Rd. 8 p.m. Election of officers.

Charlevoix Soaring Club will meet at hangar track room 8 p.m.

Charlevoix humane society plans first dog show for June 12

By PEG OHLE
The Charlevoix County Humane Society will sponsor a Dog Show Sunday, June 12, on the grounds adjoining the Sheriff's Department.

Donna Wojan, chairman of the event, says everyone is invited to witness the show and become acquainted with breeds with which they are not now familiar.

Mrs. Wojan explains that a dog show is for purebred dogs only. It enables owners to exhibit their dogs in competition with others of its kind, with the ultimate objective of improving the quality of all dogs.

"This is achieved, according to Mrs. Wojan, by an intelligent breeding program, using the dogs which have proven, through dog show competition, to be the best representatives of their breed. Each breed has its own standard of perfection by which it is judged.

Each breed is divided into classes by age and sex. For instance, the winners of each of the puppy classes compete for Best Puppy of Breed. The winners of the adult male and female classes compete for Best of Breed Adult.

Each of the breed winners will compete in their own group to determine which is the best of that type. In the end, there will be six adult and six puppy group winners. They then will compete for Best in Show Puppy and Best in Show Adult.

The Charlevoix Show is what is called a "Fun Match," for inexperienced dogs and/or handlers. Anyone with an AKC registered dog may enter.

There will also be Junior Showmanship classes to determine which of the young dog handlers is the best job of showing their dogs. These classes are judged on the handler's ability, not on the quality of the dog.

In conjunction with the show, there will be an Obedience Trial, with four different classes, each a different stage of training.

Anyone wishing to enter the Fun Match or who would like more information is asked to call Mrs. Wojan at 547-6666. All proceeds will go to the Humane Society.



CHARLEVOIX COUNTY residents will have a chance to show their dogs like this man at a special dog show sponsored by the Charlevoix County Humane Society June 12.

Health department offers family planning clinics

A free family planning clinic is being offered to residents who qualify through the District Health Department No. 3 and Lockwood-MacDonald Hospital.

The clinics are held from 1 to 4 p.m. on the first and third Mondays of the month at the hospital. Services available include a physical examination and various types of laboratory work.

Individuals who would like help with family planning are encouraged to call the health department at 547-4523.

Northern Michigan Planned Parenthood also offers a Birth Control Clinic for single women and teenagers each month. For more information about clinic sessions call 347-9692.

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Laetrile--cure or quackery?

By PAULA HOLMES
Laetrile, is it the miracle drug cancer victims have been searching for, or is it medical quackery?

Michigan residents may soon have a chance to find out for themselves. State Sen. Jack Welborn, R-Kalamazoo, and 23 cosponsors have introduced legislation that could outlaw the use of Laetrile.

Welborn is proposing the legislation use of the drug by state residents through a prescription from their doctors.

"This is a freedom of choice issue," Welborn said. "The Food and Drug Administration (FDA) has no right to prohibit cancer victims from taking Laetrile just because in their opinion it is not effective."

"The only thing the FDA does by banning it is drive the price up by more than 100 percent. There is something wrong in our system when a FDA regulation creates a new surrounding it is curbing on this long, anybody that has ever seen a patient die of cancer would feel the same way."

Laetrile, made from apricot and peach pits and bitter almonds, has been the center of an unresolved controversy since it was first introduced as a possible cancer fighting agent in the 1930s.

Numerous tests conducted by the National Cancer Institute and Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center have turned up no evidence that Laetrile is a cancer fighting drug. But proponents of the compound have persisted with their arguments and testimonials of people cured by taking Laetrile.

Th Laetrile supporters have been so successful in their arguments that it is estimated thousands of American cancer patients are flocking to Mexican clinics for the drug and are smuggling it across the border each year.

Still the Food and Drug Administration, the National Cancer Institute and the American Cancer Society all say Laetrile is worthless.

And a Burns Clinic cancer specialist, Benjamin Pettit, M.D., agrees.

"I basically feel it is pure quackery," the physician said. "And I think it's unfortunate that the controversy surrounding it has carried on this long. Anybody that has ever seen a patient die of cancer would feel the same way."

Pettit recounted the story of a Petoskey woman who died about three months ago from cancer. She had come to a Burns Clinic physician when she discovered a lump in her breast. The doctor told her it was probably cancer and that a mastectomy would have to be performed.

The woman just wanted to have the lump removed instead of her entire breast and the doctor agreed to make an appointment for her with a specialist in Cleveland who performed that type of operation. In the meantime, she learned about Laetrile and decided to forego any treatment except the use of Laetrile.

"She came back from Mexico with her Laetrile and took it and then died of the most overwhelming case of cancer I have ever seen. And it didn't have to happen," Pettit said.

"Even with just having the lump removed she had a 30 to 40 percent chance of being cured or at least living five more years of good life. But all the possibilities were taken away from her with Laetrile."

"Now how more gruesome of a true story can I tell you?" the Petoskey physician said. "The Laetrile proponents are people out for the money and not scientific people."

"They didn't insist that this woman have a biopsy to find out if she really had cancer, they just treated her," he said.

"If half of my cancer patients didn't really have cancer, I would have a pretty high cure rate."

Pettit said Laetrile's greatest danger is that people will use it instead of the conventional treatment.

"People are always going to want to chase rainbows," Pettit said. "There's not the faintest shred of evidence that Laetrile cures cancer."

"Society is quite naive. They will believe what they want to believe."

The physician said he would like to see some additional testing done with the drug. He proposed that terminal cancer victims be given the drug if they want it.

"After using it on 3,000 to 4,000 patients we'll know the answer for sure and settle the controversy," he said.

The doctor said he doubted if the tests would show that Laetrile was of any use.

"It's been around for 40 years. Why has it taken 40 years to prove itself?" he said. "It's a very rare exception that anything that has been around that long turns out to be useful."

The physician said he was also apposed to any legislation legalizing the drug.

"People expect physicians to go to school for millions of years before they can practice medicine and now they are going to allow politicians to practice medicine," he said.

"We're regressing very rapidly if we allow this to occur."

"We can't allow those who don't have the 12 to 15 years training it takes to be a doctor to be making medical decisions."



THE IRONTON FERRY from the air looks like a child's toy in the bath tub. Ray Wood of Charlevoix Sunday.

Dorothy McRae retires after 37 years as teacher

By PAULA HOLMES
"I will miss the children," the kindergarten teacher said reflecting on her retirement.

"I can't stand to think I won't be teaching in September."

"Even after all these years I still get kind of emotional about it," she said, her eyes beginning to mist with tears.

For Dorothy McRae, next September will be the first one in 37 years that she hasn't trudged off to school along with the neighborhood children.

Mrs. McRae has spent the last 34 years at the Charlevoix Elementary School teaching kindergarten. She was a first grade teacher in the Pelletier School District for three years before that.

"You know, I have had the children of children that were my first students," she said. "They are so funny when they come to class and tell me that I was their mother's teacher."

Mrs. McRae's career living proof that she will say the darnedest things. The teacher recalled an episode in the classroom when the students were learning about the flags of other countries. The students would point to flags they liked and Mrs. McRae would tell them what country they were from.

"They had picked out the flag of Syria, Turkey and Chile when one child said, 'I thought we were talking about countries, not food,'" she said.

Another time Mrs. McRae was helping a child put on his boots. She tugged and tugged and finally got the boots on when the child told her they weren't his boots.

So she tugged and tugged and tugged to get them off again only to be told that they were his sister's boots but he was wearing them.

Kindergarten children have changed quite a bit over the years, just as kindergarten curriculum has, the graduate of National Kindergarten College in Evanston, Ill., said.

"We used to have children come to kindergarten who cried for weeks," she recalled. "Now that hardly ever happens."

"But they still want you to love them just like they always did."

Mrs. McRae said the goal of kindergarten had changed, too. It used to be if children knew their numbers or could write their names when they left kindergarten that was great, but now children learn very complicated principles before they leave kindergarten, she said.

During her retirement Mrs. McRae plans to keep busy doing things she never had time for during her teaching years.

"I'd like to do volunteer work at the hospital and maybe even at the school if they want me," she said.

She also plans to travel with her husband Ralph to their new home in Florida and to Holland to visit the two exchange students, Nynke Bierna and Rita Kroeze who stayed with them during the 1960s.

The teacher also plans to do some gardening and to become a bird watcher in the new sanctuary she and her husband are building in their back yard.



Dorothy McRae

School board opens bids

By FRANK MARTIN
Bids on three proposals for remodeling and repair at the Charlevoix High and Middle schools were opened by the board of education Monday night.

Six bids ranging from \$32,623 to \$51,984 were received for Proposal I which includes the replacing of all wood frames and windows with metal frames, smaller windows and insulated panels in the middle school. Four bids ranging from \$35,800 to \$49,307 were received for Proposal II, the removal of windows in the middle school gym and the bricking of the openings, installation of ventilation system and placement of protective screens over windows.

The bids were turned over to the architects, Morton Jackson and Kane, Inc., of Lansing for tabulation and examination. The bids will be awarded at a June 5 meeting of the school board.

In other business, the school board voted to ask for a 30-day extension on an option on the Assembly of God church property that is being considered as a possible site for a new high school.

Vincent Olach, business manager, said as of April 30 the school budget showed that it would be in the black at the end of the school year.

However, Olach said the school had run into some repair costs Monday when the hot water heater at the high school went out, the international truck owned by the school was struck broadside in an accident and a steamline rupture was found in the high school heating system.

Rita Wasoski, president, and other members of the Senior Class asked the board for permission to go out of town for a dinner-dance before the school year ends. They were advised to discuss the issue with class advisors and their principal, Vane Smith.

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Editorials/Opinions

City council approval of zoning, charter needed immediately

Charlevoix Common Council met for almost five hours last Tuesday. By the end of the meeting (12:30 a.m.) none of the aldermen or the mayor were in any shape to be making decisions on anything, let alone city business—and who could expect them to be at that hour?

It has been a long time since the council has had a meeting that spanned two days, but long, late meetings are not unknown or infrequent for the Charlevoix Council.

All of these late meetings could be done away with, however, if the council would support and pass two documents that are currently under consideration—the newly-revised zoning ordinance and the proposed city charter.

Most of Tuesday night's meeting, in fact almost three hours of it, was devoted to a board of appeals hearing. Under the current zoning ordinance, council serves as the board of appeals and must hear requests for zoning variances at open hearings.

This is ridiculous. Why should council waste its valuable time listening to a discussion about why or why not a variance should be granted when it could be concerned with other, more important things?

Council and the mayor have too much else to do like revising the electric and sewage rates to spending time administering the zoning ordinance, too.

Many communities in the surrounding area including almost all of the townships and Boyne City and East Jordan have appointed citizens to zoning appeals boards and planning commissions and have had great success. The citizens can devote their time solely to becoming familiar with the zoning ordinance and its intricacies and the law of the land. They become familiar with the trends of development in the area and they know what affect certain development will have on the area.

They can do all this because that is their only duty. They

aren't concerned with running the city like the common council is.

The new zoning ordinance, which unfortunately has been shelved while the city and the township try to work out their differences, provides for the establishment of a planning commission and a zoning board of appeals made up of people other than the council members. These boards would still answer to the council, but they would be doing all of the leg work instead of council. Council would still have the final say in the matter.

The result would be shorter meetings for council and more complete planning and zoning for the city and its residents.

The second document that could cut down on the length of city council meetings is the proposed city charter. Under the charter many administrative things will be done by the city manager instead of the mayor and the council. The mayor and the council will become a policy making board instead of the administrators of city business.

Under the new charter, the council will have time to make more plans about the direction the city is taking because they won't be so bogged down in details. For instance, at Tuesday's meeting around 12:30 a.m., the council was preparing to approve payment of the bills. They wanted to add another bill to the list, but they wanted to make a partial payment of the bill.

So at that hour of the morning they were trying to figure out what 85 percent of the bill was. These things should be figured out for the council, they shouldn't have to get involved in the thing. The city manager should take care of all those details and leave council out of it. Council shouldn't even be deciding if it wants to add another bill or not.

Council and residents of the City of Charlevoix should adopt these two documents as soon as possible—for the good of the city.

Letters to the editor

To the Editor:
The law which removed essentially all liability in the ownership of nuclear power plants has just been ruled unconstitutional. This was done by U.S. District Judge James B. McNamara on March 31, 1977. This decision means that if Michigan Cooperatives buy ownership of nuclear power plants, the liability for injuries to people and property will fall on the cooperatives.
I ask: Are the cooperatives ready to assume this unjustified risk to everything they own? The liability surely would be passed down to the membership too!
If new power generation stations are needed by the cooperatives, I suggest

the consideration of the most efficient, combined cycle types, which are based on the new, clean coal burning technologies. They bring in local tax bases and generate real jobs.
Consumers Power reports in its 1977 Annual Report to the Stockholders that the next electric generating plant they plan to build will be a coal-fired plant. Why don't the cooperatives buy into this plant—which full commercial insurance is available?

Sincerely yours,
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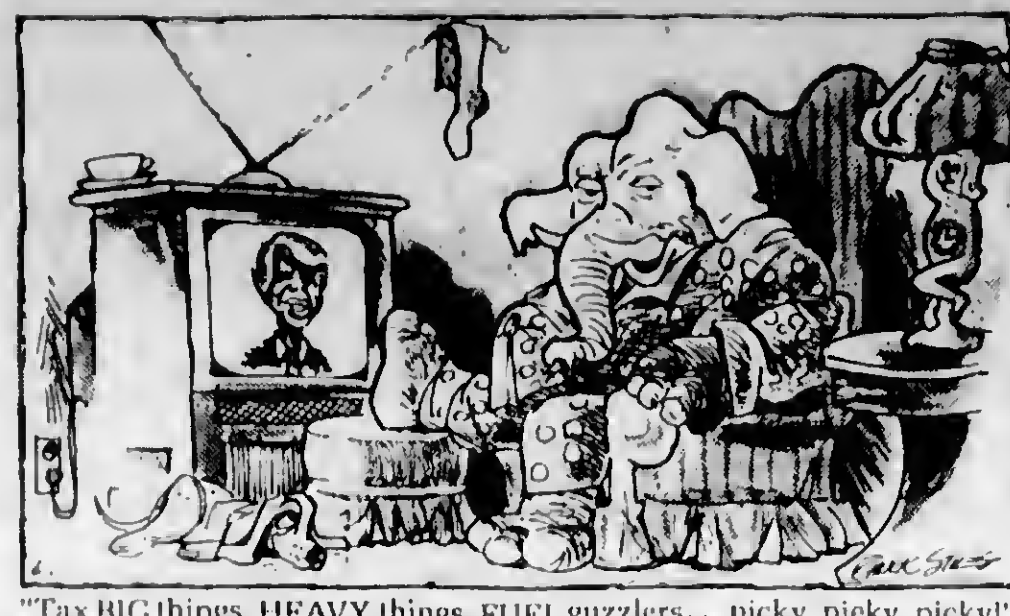
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Clockwise
by Bob Clock

After spending a weekend in Muskegon, I am convinced there is hope aplenty for the blighted cities of Middle America. Urban renewal is the name of the game.

For years those of us with close ties to Muskegon were pretty discouraged. The older businesses downtown on Western-ave. were rapidly falling upon hard times and one by one they were either closing their doors for good or moving to the suburbs.

As the older businesses disappeared, less savory enterprises took their place. Pool halls, greasy-spoon restaurants and flophouses sprang up along thoroughfares once frequented by lumber barons and their ladies.

Western-ave. became the haunt of the knife-wielders, loiterers, the down-and-outers. You didn't feel safe in downtown Muskegon.

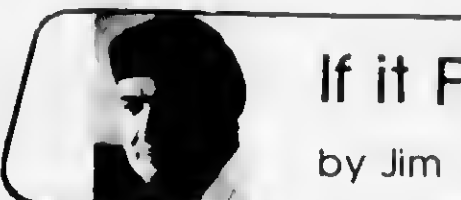
While these changes were taking place, equally ominous things were happening in the suburbs. A scant five miles from Western-ave., one of the first Meiers Thrifty Acres stores arose alongside Muskegon's main north-south artery. True to its name, Thrifty Acres not only covered acres of land but offered abundant parking for literally thousands of shoppers at a time.

Of course, Meiers was a one-stop shopping complex, with a well stocked grocery store, hardware, dry goods, furniture—you name it. It didn't take Muskegonites long to discover that one stop at Thrifty Acres was equivalent to a half dozen stops around town—including Western-ave.

In fact, Muskegon's Thrifty Acres was so successful that it wasn't long before two other shopping centers sprang up nearby. Downtown Muskegon seemed doomed.

But of course it wasn't. Quietly and without a great deal of fanfare, Muskegon's downtown businessmen, in cooperation with city hall and state and federal planners came up with a scheme to rejuvenate the downtown section, saving buildings worth saving, demolishing those past saving, providing plenty of off-street parking and tying the entire downtown section together into an attractive shopping mall.

The project took years and years and many of us lost heart. The Occidental



If it Fitz
by Jim Fitzgerald

As a former country editor, I am often asked what is the biggest difference between writing for a small weekly newspaper and writing for a huge daily, such as the Free Press. The answer is freeloading.
On my desk right now is an invitation from the Ford Motor Co. Ford wants to fly me to Napa, Calif., for 3 days so I can become acquainted with Ford's new small car, the Fiesta. On a return card, I am asked to designate what I would like to do my first 2 days in Napa. The choices the first day are golf, tennis or "other." The next day I am offered golf, tennis, a tour of the Napa Valley wineries or "other."
There is no hint as to what "other" might include. But I am fantasizing, which is more fun than a 12 on a par-4 hole.

On the third day it is suggested I get into a Fiesta and participate in "saloon and do-it-yourself service-bulldozer contests." This sounds like a good time to phone room service for some other. The last time I looked, a saloon was a downhill race requiring the racer to zag to keep from banging into various obstacles.

It is clever of Ford to save energy by building a small car for coasting downhill. And this explains why I must go to the Napa Valley to meet the

Hotel, Muskegon's largest, had to go and it seemed like the heart of the city went with it. Other old buildings also felt the wreckers' ball, filling elevated streets with rubble. The air was grey with dust in fine weather and mud was ankle deep after a rain-storm.

Progress was sometimes imperceptible for months at a time; other times new buildings seemed to spring up overnight.

Today Western-ave. is the center of an enclosed shopping mall, surrounded by six spacious free parking lots. The mall itself is unique among the welter of shopping centers across America in that portions of the "old town" have been preserved under glass, so to speak. The Walgreen Drug Store, for example, looks very much the same as it used to, standing alone on its own windswept corner. But today it is part of the mall.

The bank across an alcove hasn't changed much either. But suddenly you realize that the alcove where a benefit dance for muscular dystrophy is under way used to be First-St. Of course, there is new construction galore, but Muskegon saved what was worth saving, including a number of yesterday's architectural landmarks.

No, it is not a hedge-podge. The designers have successfully blended old and new into an integrated whole that is extremely pleasing to the eye.

When the Clocks visited the mall Saturday, the parking lots were rapidly filling up and mall businesses, including the new Skeetee Department Store, seemed to be doing a brisk trade. In the concourse, the Fire Department's rescue equipment was on display along with first-aid exhibits, a blood pressure clinic and other medical-type attractions. Attractive fountains gurgled and gushed among assorted greenery and the old shops beckoned with colorful displays.

There is no doubt about it. Downtown Muskegon is in the process of staging a stunning comeback. Now here's the clincher: Even though Western-ave. is once again a major shopping area, suburban stores such as Thrifty Acres are as jammed as ever.

You figure it out. It's beyond me.

Paula Holmes...

...Speaking Her Mind

With sunbathing season just around the corner, I decided it was time I definitely did something about my physical appearance. No more pulling it off, I said to myself as I looked in the mirror, it's time to take some affirmative action.

So one day last week I tumbled out of bed during the wee hours of the morning and into tiny blue jeans, sweatshirt and ragged tennis shoes to begin my jogging program. I had decided I would take it easy and only go about one-half mile that day working myself into the multiple-mile range within a few weeks. I tried to get the dog to go with me that first time figuring misery loved company. But she steadfastly refused, so I trudged out the door on my own wondering the whole time if the dog was trying to tell me something about the brilliance of the jogging idea.

I probably don't need to tell you what happens to a sally out of shape body on the first day of an exercise routine, but I just couldn't believe it. Every muscle in my entire body rebelled. As I walked shakily into the Courter office later that morning, each muscle seemed to be screaming, "Don't move me!"

I crawled down the 20 feet of hallway to my desk, feeling like I had one foot in the grave and the other one in a medieval torture rack, only to be greeted by a news release from the Consumers Information Center entitled, "Successful Jogging."



Erma Bombeck

Remember when eating out was a big thrill?

Boy, I remember the first time I ate in a fancy restaurant. You just knew it was class. They didn't have toothpicks by the cash register or a sign that said, "WATCH YOUR HAT AND COAT."

The novelty has worn off now and it's a way of life. Children coming and going... husband working odd hours... the convenience of yelling into a clown's mouth and two minutes later driving off with your order, has made eating out a ritual.

The family, as I used to be where Daddy went to work and Mamma stayed at home all day, describes only seven out of every 100 households in the United States.

It's probably only a matter of time before eating at home will become the treat eating out used to be. Just imagine...

"Robbie, where do you want to go for your birthday Tuesday?"
"Robbie's eyes light up and he grins. 'Could we eat at home?'"
Mother's eyes meet her husband's. "We can afford it, can't we Jim? After all, it's his birthday."

"Sure," says Daddy. "What the heck. We can splurge one day of the year."
"How nice you all look," says Mother on the night of the dinner. "I'm so used to seeing all of you shopping around in grub clothes when we eat out. Everyone come to dinner."

"Isn't it great?" says the kids excitedly.

"Do you marvel at the high energy of some of your friends, especially when you've been kind of dragging around?" the first paragraph blared at me as I tried to raise my head from the desk top.

"Ask them their secret," it continued. "You might find a lot of their bounce springs from jogging." With my last piece of energy, I bounced the news release into the waste basket and tried to forget I had ever heard the word jogging—at least until that evening when I got home and I asked my friend where she got all her energy from.

"Do you job," I asked trying to determine if the news release had a kernel of truth in it. "No," she replied most encouragingly. "I've always thought jogging was kind of dumb. What's the sense of running if you don't have anything on your mind?"

Nevertheless, the next morning I dragged out of bed and went through the same routine, only this time I convinced the dog jogging could be good for her health, too. This time as I ran through the streets I saw some other joggers in the streets—all with smiles on their faces.

At the time I wondered what they were smiling about, but I've noticed this week that a smile has begun to stretch across my face as I took to the pavement, too. Now if I could only add that bounce.

Meet Charlevoix

Irvin H. Sturm is engineer-director of the Charlevoix County Road Commission, which is responsible for constructing and maintaining all roads in the county. This week he tells the Courier about the road system and how it is operated.

COURIER: How many miles of county roads are there?

STURM: There are 722 miles—179 miles of primary roads and 543 miles of local roads.

COURIER: What is the difference between primary and local roads?

STURM: Primary roads are designed by the Road Commission and the Highway Department as those running between points of population or other attractions to traffic. They carry more cars. The Charlevoix-Boyne City Road, Thumb Lake Road, and Burnside Road are examples of primary roads.

COURIER: What is the difference in maintenance

between primary and local roads?

STURM: As far as expenditures are concerned, we can work at our discretion. However, the upkeep is difficult because roads that carry more traffic need more maintenance.

COURIER: Is it the same for construction?

STURM: No. When we are doing construction or reconstruction of local roads, we're required under the law to obtain at least 50 percent of the cost from sources other than the Motor Vehicle Highway Fund—i.e., from local sources, ordinarily from townships. However, we can also take funds from the County General Fund or even from an individual company which needs a road. An example of this is the C.C. Road where the Great Gas Transmission Company paid the cost through the township. The point is that money for construction of local roads must be matched by local funds. No roads have been under the

Jurisdiction of townships since the McNitt Act of 1961. Funds for construction of primary roads come from Motor Vehicle Highway funds and in addition some federal funds are available.

COURIER: What do you mean by "constructing" roads?

STURM: Constructing roads is really re-constructing roads already there—bringing them up to higher standards by widening, improving, etc. We rarely construct new roads.

COURIER: What kind of maintenance do roads require?

STURM: Gravel roads have to be graded, dust-coated in the summer, some of them brush-trimmed. Paved roads have to be patched. Local roads that are sealed-coated have to be re-sealed. Of course, winter maintenance consists of snow and ice removal.

COURIER: What does all this cost?

STURM: Our 1977 budget calls for \$554,000 for construction and maintenance on primary roads and \$453,000 for local roads.

COURIER: Where will this money come from?

STURM: From Motor Vehicle Highway funds (license plates and gasoline taxes), federal aid funds, CETA funds (for four en-

ployees), township contributions and the state for trunkline maintenance. We also maintain the state trunklines—31, 131, 75, 66, and 32—for the state and they reimburse us.

COURIER: You operate the Ironon, Ferry, also don't you?

STURM: Yes, we operate it on behalf of the County Board of Commissioners. We report to them. The operation is funded from the County General Fund. The fee schedule is set by the Board of Commissioners. The fees went up this year because the ferry had a deficit of \$31,612 last year. I might mention, also, that the ferry is under the jurisdiction of the Coast Guard because it operates on navigable waters. The ferry is licensed by the Coast Guard and those who operate it also must be licensed. The licensing test is difficult and lately we have had trouble getting licensed operators.

COURIER: Isn't the ferry bont due for an inspection?

STURM: Yes, it's due for its five-year overhaul. We plan to take it out of the water near the end of the tourist season so we will have enough good weather to work on it. We don't know where we'll take it for overhaul, but hopefully it will be somewhere on Lake Charlevoix.

COURIER: When do you plan your year's work?

STURM: We meet with the township boards early in January to discuss plans for construction and maintenance. We like to do this so we can have firm plans to fit into the budget. State revenue hasn't kept up with the costs of inflation. We expect that within the coming years there will be some changes made in how we get our money and how we spend it.

COURIER: How large an operation is the County Road Commission?

STURM: There are three Road Commissioners, appointed by the County Board of Commissioners. I report to them. Every county road commission is required to employ the service of a professional engineer. There is the dual duty of providing engineering services as well as managing the day-to-day operations of the commission.

COURIER: What did you do before you joined the Charlevoix County Road Commission?

STURM: I worked for the City of Detroit for 17 years before coming here five years ago.

COURIER: Where do you live?

STURM: In Horton Bay, with my wife, Patricia, and daughter Elizabeth and son Matthew. Elizabeth is 10 and Matthew is 13.

County Engineer Irvin Sturm

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Ruppe discusses issues with residents

By PAULA HOLMES
A new approach should be taken in the Indian fishing rights cases, according to U.S. Rep. Philip Ruppe, R-Houghton.
"I think the federal and state Departments of Natural Resources should be thinking in terms of conservation of the species rather than in terms of who has the right to the fish," Ruppe told more than 50 people gathered in the Charlevoix County courtroom Friday.
"The DNR does have some control over the maintenance of stock and I think they would do better to argue from that standpoint," the Congressman said.
Ruppe stopped in Charlevoix as part of a tour of the 11th Congressional District last weekend. He and State Sen. Bob Davis, R-Gaylord, held a joint town hall meeting Friday noon.
Ruppe said he also felt the state DNR needed to get a legal determination as to what exactly are the Indian fishing

rights. The Congressman said no definitive determination had been made yet.
"I think the state and federal officials have the power to regulate the fishing as it pertains to the maintenance of the stock, but I am not sure about the fishing rights," Ruppe continued.
"The question of fishing rights is a brutal problem. And whether we like it or not, a deal is a deal, albeit a lousy deal and the treaties are something we are going to have to deal with."
Congressman Ruppe said it would take a change in the constitution or a legislative act to invalidate the fishing rights treaties. A legislative taking would involve compensating the Indians for the fishing rights they would have to give up, he added.
Energy Situation
Along the lines of energy, Rep. Ruppe said he favored a price on gasoline that would reflect replacement costs for the fuel, as opposed to a tax on

the product.
"The difficulty with taxing gasoline is that it takes a tremendous amount of tax to reduce consumption," Ruppe explained. "Estimates have shown that with the present tax President Carter is proposing, it will cost Americans \$36 billion more to buy gas. Even at this greatly increased cost it is predicted that consumption will only be reduced by 400,000 barrels a year."
Ruppe said he thought Carter's energy program had some good aspects, but that it relied too heavily on conservation.
"The President's program doesn't emphasize energy production in the country," he said. "We will need to produce 30 percent more energy than we are now. We are in a much more serious position today with the energy situation than we were in 1973 when the Arabs imposed their embargo."
The Congressman said he supported a return to coal for electricity production. He said too much gas and oil is being wasted running electric plants

that could be run with coal.
He also said that the Energy Research and Development Administration (ERDA) was receiving funding for the study of improving the efficiency of current methods of using energy and for the development of alternative energy sources.
The funds for energy research have been increased for both government projects and individual industry studies. Ruppe said studies for doubling the country's production of coal, improving the efficiency of woodburning stoves and on the use of hydroelectricity were currently underway.
Ruppe said the federal government had run into some trouble with environmentalists and residents of the areas where hydroelectric dams were proposed.
Tax Incentives
Tax incentives to encourage people to conserve energy are also in the works, Ruppe said. The federal government already offers tax credits for

people that insulate their homes and take other measures to prevent the wasting of energy.
Nuclear Waste
Northern Michigan is no longer as attractive a place for the storage of nuclear waste as it has been in the past, Ruppe told the Charlevoix County residents. He said the federal government has decided it is looking for a long term storage site as opposed to a permanent site. He said that it is difficult to retrieve nuclear wastes that have been stored in salt beds. The proposed storage sites in Michigan were all salt beds, Ruppe said.
Political Plans
The representative also discussed his future political plans. He said he would consider running for the U.S. Senate seat being vacated by Robert Griffin. His definite plans will be announced in a few weeks.
Unemployment
Several people in the audience asked Rep. Ruppe about the recent Public Works Act monies and how they were being distributed. The people pointed out that a very high rate of unemployment exists in Northern Michigan but that the area was not getting as much money as many other areas that have lower unemployment rates.
Ruppe explained that the formula for distributing the funds was based on the number of people unemployed as well as the percentage of people unemployed.
"Congressmen from less densely populated areas lose out on these bills because we don't have the support behind us that metropolitan areas do," Ruppe said.



U.S. REP. Philip Ruppe, R-Houghton, talks with Max Novak and Sally Taber before he held a town meeting session at the Charlevoix County building.

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COUNCIL MINUTES
The Commission of the City of Charlevoix met on the above date and time with Mayor Hansen presiding. Aldermen present: Wallace, Morris, Plum, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Absent: None.
The Minutes of the May 2, 1977 regular meeting were approved as presented in writing and as recorded in the Council Minutes Book.

Richard Fochtman, representing the Charter Commission, appeared before Council and distributed completed copies of the proposed Charter. He stated that, with Council approval, an election would be scheduled on July 12, 1977 for the General Public vote on the Charter. Council will meet with the Charter Commission on Tuesday, May 24, 1977 to discuss the Charter and the proposed election date.
Council recessed to the Board of Appeals to discuss a request made by D. Bathey of Harbor Yacht Sales for a 40 foot side yard variance at his property on Round Lake.
Roll Call was again taken with all members of the Council present.

Ralph McRae of the Charlevoix Housing Commission appeared before Council to discuss a new program available to small towns in conjunction with FHIA that could be used to provide Senior Citizen Housing for the City. Mr. McRae stated that the Housing Commission is considering a 90 unit complex for Charlevoix and that a survey to determine the need for such housing will be the first step required under the program. Council authorized the Housing Commission to proceed with the survey at a cost of \$800.00 to \$2000.00.
Council approved a request submitted by Ross Drayton to split his property at 217 W. Carpenter.

A public hearing was held on the 1977-78 Budget. William Fochtman, a member of the General Public present, discussed several items of the proposed budget with the Council.
Alderman Plum offered the following Ordinance and moved its adoption, supported by Alderman Morris.
ORDINANCE NO. 36B

Section 1. That to defray the expenses and pay the liabilities of the City of Charlevoix, Michigan for the fiscal year beginning March 1, 1977, chargeable to several funds provided by law and duly created, it is necessary to appropriate to such funds for the respective purpose thereof the following sums of money:

Fund:	Amount	Mills
All Funds	\$2,334,915.00	7
Section 2. That there be raised by taxation upon the July Tax Roll for the year 1977 assessed upon the real and personal property in the said city, a total sum of money equal to 5 mills (\$140,000.00) on each dollar of the total assessed valuation of such property as shown on the assessment roll for General Fund, 2 mills (\$80,000) for sewerage fund to be utilized for the sixth year Debt Retirement, both principal and interest on the \$700,000 General Obligation Bonds which were sold June 8, 1971.		

Ordinance was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yea: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plum, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Absent: None.
Motion by Alderman Plum and supported by Alderman Morris that the proposed General Fund Budget in the amount of \$652,000 as proposed by the Finance Committee be approved. Adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yea: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plum, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Absent: None.
Motion by Alderman Plum and supported by Alderman Morris that the proposed Major Street Fund Budget in the amount of \$91,315 as proposed by the Finance Committee be approved. Motion approved by the following yea and nay vote. Yea: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plum, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Absent: None.
Motion by Alderman Plum and supported by Alderman Erber that the Electric Fund Budget of \$1,265,900 as proposed by the Finance Committee be approved. Motion adopted by

the following yea and nay vote. Yea: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plum, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Absent: None.
Motion by Alderman Morris and supported by Alderman Wood that the Water Fund Budget of \$34,650 as proposed by the Finance Committee be approved. Motion adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yea: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plum, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Absent: None.
Motion by Alderman Plum and supported by Alderman Wallace that the Sewage Fund Budget of \$144,170 as proposed by the Finance Committee be approved. Motion adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yea: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plum, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Absent: None.
Motion by Alderman Erber and supported by Alderman Wallace that the Capital Improvement Budget of \$106,500 as proposed by the Finance Committee be approved. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yea: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plum, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Absent: None.
Motion was offered by Alderman Plum and supported by Alderman Wallace that the City extend the contract with it. B. Lyons, Inc. for completion of the 50 foot dock outlined in Phase II of the Ferry Avenue Dock Rehabilitation Project. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yea: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plum, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Absent: None.
The Finance Committee having examined bills totaling \$119,566.13 find them correct and recommend the bills be allowed. Moved by Alderman Plum and supported by Alderman Wood that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for their amounts. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yea: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plum, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Absent: None.
Council adjourned.

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BOARD OF APPEALS
Board of Appeals convened with Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plum, Wood, Whitley and Erber present. Absent: None.
Robert Steadman, representing D. Bathey of Harbor Yacht Sales, appeared before the Board of Appeals to request a 50 foot side yard variance at the Bathey property on Round Lake, Lot 5 of Block 20 of Newman's Addition to the City of Charlevoix. The proposed variance would enable Mr. Bathey to erect a building along the property line on the East side of his lot. The proposed building would replace a structure that was torn down on the same site, although the new building will be approximately 50 percent larger. A variance is necessary as the property is a dedicated R-4 zone.
Motion was made by Alderman Whitley and supported by Alderman Morris that the Board of Appeals allow the 40 foot side yard variance requested by D. Bathey of Harbor Yacht Sales. Motion was defeated by the following yea and nay vote. Yea: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plum, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Absent: None.
Motion was made by Alderman Erber and supported by Alderman Wallace that the D. Bathey request for a variance be referred to the Ecology, Development and Land Use Committee for further study and reconsidered by the Board of Appeals at a later date. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yea: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plum, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Absent: None.
Motion was made by Alderman Erber and supported by Alderman Wallace to set May 23, 1977 as the date for the Board of Appeals to meet to consider the D. Bathey variance request. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yea: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plum, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Absent: None.
The Board of Appeals adjourned to the regular Council Meeting.

Judy D. Przybylski, City Clerk

Repealing SBT no solution, Sen. Davis tells accountants

By PAULA HOLMES
Repealing the Single Business Tax (SBT) is not the answer to businessmen's problems with the new tax, according to State Sen. Bob Davis, R-Gaylord.
"Repealing the Single Business Tax is not a practical solution to the problem," Davis, who has sponsored legislation calling for the repeal of the tax to get the members of the state Senate and House to act on improving the tax, he pointed out that he had also sponsored several bills which attempt to correct the deficiencies of the tax.
Improvements of SBT
Some of the improvements the senator is seeking include: relief to businesses and industries with gross receipts of less than \$5 million annually. Davis' bill will provide total exemption from the business taxes for any business with gross profits of less than \$15,000 annually and an alternative 5 percent flat rate formula for businesses making between \$15,000 and \$40,000 a year.
The bill also provides for the removal of unemployment and worker's compensation payments in any business or industry tax calculation regardless of profits.
Davis said he was also working on a revision of the property tax laws. He said he would initiate a petition drive to place an amendment to the constitution on the 1978 ballot changing the funding formula for schools from property tax to income tax.
"The one complaint I hear most often from the people is about property taxes," Davis said. "I think it is time to do something about the problem."
The Legislature had attempted to pass such an amendment to the Constitution several years ago, but the move was defeated by a vote of the people. The senator said he thinks the mood of the people has changed.
Davis is proposing that the property tax support of local school districts be limited to a limit of 6 to 8 mills. The rest of the money to run the schools would come from a state income tax on a per pupil basis.
Davis' proposal also allows school districts that would like

to spend additional funds on its children's education to vote to levy up to 4 more mills.
The senator said his proposal would increase the current income tax from 4.6 to 8 percent.
"But this is a fairer tax levied against those who are able to pay," the senator explained.
State Economy
The state's economy looks like it is in fairly good shape for the coming year, Davis said.
"The automobile industry is up, tourism is up and things look pretty good," he said. "The only thing that could affect it is the federal energy program and any action that area is a long way off."
Davis also discussed his future political plans. The senator had previously announced he would be running for state senate again unless something better came along. Something better included two positions, Davis said. If Gov. Milliken runs for U.S. Senate, Davis said he would consider running for lieutenant governor under James Brinkley if asked.
If Gov. Milliken decides to run for governor again, Davis said he would consider running for U.S. Senate. He predicted Brinkley, Guy Vanderjagk, Philip Ruppe and Dennis Gough would also consider the position.
On the Democratic side, Davis thought Attorney General Frank Kelly or State Senator John Ditterbacher would consider the position.



STATE SEN. Bob Davis, R-Gaylord, answered some questions on local matters while he was in Charlevoix Friday for a town meeting session with U.S. Rep. Philip Ruppe.

Frank Schuch elected head of Kiwanis

Frank Schuch was elected president of the Charlevoix Kiwanis Club recently. He and his staff of new officers will be installed in October. He will succeed Richard Krueger.

Other new officers are Clarence Rabach, president-elect; Clarence Odnark, vice president; Edward Shanahan, Raymond Giffin and Wayne Woods for terms of two years.

Edward Spence receives new assignment

Airman Edward C. Spence, son of James C. Spence of R.R. 3, East Jordan, Mich., has received a new assignment following graduation from the Strategic Air Command specialist course conducted by the Air Training Command at Chanute AFB, Ill.
Airman Spence, who was

trained to maintain, repair and service aircraft, currently in use by the Air Force, will go to Pittsburgh AFB, N.Y., for duty with a unit of the Strategic Air Command. Completion of the course enables the airman to receive academic credits through the Community College of the Air Force.

Supernaw named to group

W. Scott Supernaw, president of Olson-Travelworld Organization in Los Angeles, has been elected to membership in the Young Presidents' Organization, Inc. (YPO).
YPO is an organization of more than 3,000 successful young chief executives who have become presidents of stable companies before the age of 40. Its purpose is to help its members become better presidents through education and idea exchange.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wallison, she is a 1973 graduate of the Charlevoix High School.

Terry Trowbridge stationed with Air Force in Europe

Now serving at Lakenheath RAF station, England, with an U.S. Air Force Technical Sergeant, Terry J. Trowbridge, son of Mr. and Mrs. James B. Trowbridge of R.R. 2, East Jordan, Mich.

Sgt. Trowbridge, a jet engine technician, was previously assigned at Mountain Home AFB, Idaho. He received a B.S. degree in Social Relations and has accepted a position with the

ANOTHER FIRST took place in Charlevoix last week when city crews planted an experimental tree downtown in the sidewalk. Participating in the planting were Bruce Starr and Gordon McGary from the city crews and Mark Barrett from Site Planning Department.

Experimental tree planted

An experiment is taking place on the streets of Charlevoix.
The Shade Tree Commission planted a tree in the sidewalk along Bridge Street to test the feasibility of lining the streets with trees every 40 feet.
Charlevoix Common Council granted the commission permission to plant one tree in the sidewalk to see if it affects snowplowing or presents a maintenance problem.
The tree, a locust, was one of 550 trees the Shade Tree Commission planted in the city nursery and in John Campbell's private nursery last year. The commission also planted 260 trees along city streets last year.
Campbell, chairman of the commission, said the locust tree would grow to a height of 40 feet, in 25 years, or twice the height of the buildings on Bridge Street. The tree will grow in a tall and narrow

pattern with a lacey look.
The experimental tree is located in front of the Shop of the Gulls, owned by Jeannine Wallace, alderman and a member of the Shade Tree Commission. Mrs. Wallace's shop was chosen because of the effort she had put into the commission.
One of Charlevoix's distinguished addresses situated on a corner lot with an adjoining lot. This large older Charlevoix home with its many unique features is a delight to tour.
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Charlevoix woman receives national volunteer award

As Joan Mondale extended her hand to a Charlevoix volunteer, the audience at the Kennedy Center in Washington, D.C., broke into applause.
The vice president's wife was presenting awards for outstanding volunteer service to ten national winners. Among them was Laurie Lyons, daughter of Richard B. Lyons and an ACTIDN volunteer.
Ms. Lyons shared the award with Susan Schwartz of Scarsdale, N.Y., also an ACTIDN volunteer. The women serve through a criminal justice program administered by ACTIDN's Office of Special Volunteer Programs and were representing a prerelease prison program in Atlanta, Ga., called Project New Life at Stone Mountain Correctional Institution, a state facility.

Sixty days before inmates are paroled or have completed their terms, they attend classes for 30 days. The classes are taught by professionals from insurance companies, banks, unions, counseling agencies and career development centers. The second component of the program is a 30-day work-release period.
The two young women work as a secretary for one month and then "wringled" my way into the office of a parole officer. But I found I wasn't satisfied with either role-law enforcement or parole officer.
"Then I just happened onto a VISTA project in Kansas City, Kan., and I realized that this was what I wanted to do," she said.
So Ms. Lyons joined VISTA and became the administrative assistant to the director of the Heart of America Job Therapy project

those who have gone through the program has dropped to 5 percent, as compared with the overall Georgia figure of 53 percent. The program will be used as a model for 16 similar programs throughout the state.
Ms. Lyons said her original plan was to become a law enforcement officer. Following graduation from college in 1975, she worked as a secretary for one month and then "wringled" my way into the office of a parole officer. But I found I wasn't satisfied with either role-law enforcement or parole officer.
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The volunteers were quick to point out that the ward also belongs to inmates at Stone Mountain, Warden Jack Krebs and 50 Jaycees who act as volunteer teachers and counselors at the prison.
Ms. Lyons, 23, who received a degree in criminal justice from Grand Valley State College provides backup services to inmates and volunteers involved in the innovative program.

Planning commission to meet on

The Charlevoix County Planning Commission will hold its next meeting Thursday, June 2, on Beaver Island.
The commission meets on the island once a year, usually in the Fall, but because of inclement weather the last three years, the Commission has switched the meeting to June.



MRS. WALTER MONDALE congratulates Laurie Lyons (right) of Charlevoix, and Susan Schwartz of Scarsdale, N.Y., at the awards ceremony making the close of National Volunteer Week at Kennedy Center in Washington, D.C. George Romney of Michigan is chairman of the National Center for Voluntary Action, sponsors of the awards.

Char-Em urging support of 'Adopt a Camper' program

Camping experiences can be one of the most pleasant memories of childhood. But many Charlevoix area students won't be able to go to camp this summer unless they can get help from area citizens.
For the past three summers, the Charlevoix-Parkfield Intermediate School District has been running a camp session at Camp Daggett for mentally, physically and emotionally impaired students in the district. However, due to a lack of funds, this year the school district cannot sponsor the program.
But the intermediate school district is attempting to hold a special camp session by setting up an Adopt-a-Camper program. Tod Caldwell, director of special education for Char-Em, said.
The intermediate district is seeking people who will volunteer their time to help run the camp and also people who will sponsor a camper at a cost of \$30 per camper for one week.
"All of our staff for the special camp session will be volunteers except for the director, who will be paid," Caldwell explained. "For each volunteer we get we can add four campers to the number who can attend the session."
The camp has facilities to hold 100 campers and Caldwell is hoping to be able to fill all the spots.
"We have 12 volunteers so far," he said.
The camp session will run from Aug. 22 to 28, but volunteers will be working from Aug. 21 to 27, Caldwell said.
Anyone who wishes to volunteer to work at the camp or who would like to make a contribution can get more information from Pat Taylor or Jan Mercer at the Char-Em Service Center in Charlevoix, 547-6947.



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NOTE DETAILS: INTEREST RATE: PAYING AGENT: AND DENOMINATIONS: The notes will be dated July 1, 1977, will mature March 15, 1978 and will bear interest at a rate or rates not exceeding 8% per annum. Both principal and interest will be payable at a bank or trust company located in the State of Michigan to be designated by the original purchaser of the notes which paying agent qualifies as such under the Statutes of the State of Michigan or of the Federal Government, subject to the approval of the Charlevoix Public Schools. Denominations and form of notes to be at the option of the purchaser. Accrued interest to date of delivery of such notes must be paid by the purchaser at the time of delivery.

PRIOR REDEMPTION: The notes shall not be subject to redemption prior to maturity.
AWARD OF NOTES: For the purpose of awarding the notes the interest cost of each bid will be computed on a 360 day year basis by determining, at the rate or rates specified therein, the total dollar value of all notes from July 1, 1977, to their maturity and deducting therefrom any premium. The notes will be awarded to the bidder whose bid on the above computation produces the lowest dollar interest cost to the municipality. No proposal for the purchase of less than all of the notes or at a price less than their par value will be considered.

SECURITY: The loan is in anticipation of the operating portion of the School Tax for the fiscal year July 1, 1977 to June 30, 1978, which tax is due and payable December 1, 1977.
GOOD FAITH: A certified or cashier's check in the amount of 2% of the par value of the notes, drawn upon an incorporated bank or trust company and payable to the order of the Treasurer must accompany each bid as a guarantee of good faith on the part of the bidder to be forfeited as liquidated damages if such bid be accepted and the bidder fails to take up and pay for the notes. Checks of unsuccessful bidders will be promptly returned.

LEGAL OPINION: DELIVERY OF NOTES: Bids shall be conditioned upon the unqualified opinion of the purchaser's attorney approving the legality of the notes, to be secured at the purchaser's expense. The purchaser shall furnish notes ready for execution at his expense. Notes will be delivered at a place to be agreed upon with the purchaser.

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High school students give Bells Bay, Mt. McSauba cleaning

The Mt. McSauba and Bells Bay areas are sporting a new look these days. It's called the "trash look."

The speaking clean parks are the result of hard work by students in Charlevoix High School's general and advanced biology classes. More than 170 students spent most of one day last week cleaning the two parks as a Michigan Week project.

"We worked in two-hour blocks, one in the morning and one in the afternoon," Pete Spieles, biology teacher who coordinated the event with teacher Roger Gowell, said.

In the morning the students went through the Mt. McSauba area to the lake cleaning up debris and trash. The high school students spent the afternoon scouring Bells Bay Road and the Flahermans Island area.

Spieles said approximately 80 percent of the trash the students collected was comprised of cans. And about 80 percent of the cans were beer cans, the teacher estimated.

Spieles said the students worked closely with the city on their Michigan Week project. The city provided the trash bags for the students and city crews also went out and collected the mounds of bags as the students filled them with trash.

The teacher said the original idea for the trash pick up as a Michigan Week project came from high school principal Vane Smith, but the plan was enthusiastically taken up by the students in the biology classes.

"The kids worked really hard throughout the day," Spieles said. "We were pleased with what we were able to accomplish."

Youth should apply for security number

Young people who plan to get a summer job should apply now for a social security number, Gordon Sattelmier, manager of the Petoskey social security office, said.

Sattelmier said it takes several weeks to obtain a number because they are issued from Baltimore, Md., where a screening against central files takes place to make sure duplicate numbers are not issued.

Once a social security number is issued it remains the same; for the lifetime of the person it is issued to. Work and earnings credited to the social security number build an earned right to retirement, disability, survivors and Medicare benefits. This makes it important that the employer be shown the correct name and social security number as reflected on the social security card.

Applications for a social security number are available at any post office or at the Petoskey social security office. For more information call 347-8727.

Charlevoix First State Bank allowed to split shares

Formal approval has been received from the State of Michigan's Financial Institutions Bureau for a change in the capital of the First State Bank of Charlevoix, Louis Hollow, president of the bank, has announced.

The approval will allow the bank to effect a four share for one stock split and a 10 percent stock dividend. Shareholders of the bank are now being advised of these changes.

Hollow said that "these changes are a reflection of the continued growth of the bank and the strong interest shown by its shareholders. As we have in the past, we will continue to monitor our growth to allow a full participation by the Charlevoix area."

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Charlevoix Yesterday

THIS PICTURE of the Charlevoix Union School was taken in September, 1889. Long-time Charlevoix resident Bernice Westfall told the Courier she attended school in this building, and there are undoubtedly other former students still living in the area. The building was located on the northeast corner of the present Middle School grounds. As can be seen, this was before the days of paved streets in Charlevoix, and long before either boys or girls wore blue jeans to class. (Photo, courtesy of Charlevoix Historical Society).

Number of seniors going to college increases

A survey of the 1977 graduating class of Charlevoix High School found that 52 percent of the class plans to pursue their education beyond high school.

The survey, conducted by the high school counseling staff, Charles Bentley and Gayle Kaczynski, found that 38 percent of those continuing their education will be attending a four-year program with 14 percent attending a two-year program.

A comparison of these figures with previous years shows an increase in the percentage of students going on to four-year programs and a maintenance of the percentage entering technical programs.

The senior class includes 140 students with 79 boys and 61 girls in the class.

In 1974 33 percent of the students graduating indicated plans to enter four-year programs and 15 percent planned to enter programs of two years or less; the following year, 1975, the four-year figure dropped to 28 percent and the two-year figure went up to 21 percent; in 1976 the increases were reversed to 31 and 15 percent and this year have increased to 38 percent for those intending to attend four-year institutions and dropped to 14 percent planning two year studies.

For the third year seven percent of 10 students of the class has indicated intentions to join the armed services. Another three are planning to work and then, perhaps, join the service.

Of the remaining 57 students, seventeen (12 percent) have said they have a job now and will continue in that job after graduation; another fourteen (10 percent) now have a job but plan to seek a different job. Twenty percent or 14 students are currently seeking some sort of employment. It is interesting that 17 (30 percent) of the non-college bound group indicate they are considering continuing their education at a later date. Finally, six students (4 percent) are planning to attend college, but for one reason or another, have yet to apply to the college of their choice.

Again this year, the largest proportion of college-bound students are entering service health related areas of studies, ranging from graduate to two-year programs. Business-oriented programs rate as the second most popular with 13 students planning careers in this area. As was the case in 1976, more of this year's graduates will be attending Michigan State University. Another large contingent will be attending Ferris State College in both the two and four year programs. There seems to be a trend away from the traditional Central Michigan University or North Central Michigan College enrollment for area students. There is also an increased willingness for students to look at college and technical programs outside the state.

A breakdown of the schools where students will be enrolled show 12 at Ferris including seven in the four-year and five in the two-year programs; 11 to Michigan State (four year); eight to North Central Michigan College (two years); four to Lake Superior State College, three each to the University of Michigan, Michigan Technical University, Kalamazoo College and Central Michigan University, all four year programs; three to Davenport College of Business (two years), two to Northern Michigan University; two to Grand Valley State College; one each to John Uley College, University of Detroit, Western Michigan University, Grand Rapids Baptist, Delta College, Albion College, Hope College, Central Connecticut State College, Southwest Missouri State College and the University of Wisconsin-Stout, all four year colleges; and one each to Muskegon College of Business, Northwestern Michigan College, Oakland Community College and Kirtland Community College, all two year colleges. Five others will enter specialized programs bringing the total to 73.

Department gives hints on gas

"Fill'er up." Each time you say that, it seems as if you have to dip into savings to pay. So isn't it a good time to look at ways to save gas?

The Department of Transportation has some suggestions on how to save gas by driving carefully and keeping the car maintained, and how to save money by choosing the lowest octane gas that will work efficiently in your car. For your copy of the booklet, Gasoline: More Miles Per Gallon, send 35 cents to the Consumer Information Center, Dept. 003E, Pueblo, Colorado 81099.

Mileage is determined by driving habits, the condition of the car's engine, and the grade of octane rating of the gasoline used. For better mileage:

Check your tire pressure at least once a month. Low tire pressure increases the amount of tire touching the road. This makes it harder for the car to roll and increases tire wear.

Periodically have your mechanic check the tread-wear pattern of your tires to see if they are properly aligned. If they are out of alignment, the tires will wear excessively and your gasoline mileage will drop.

Avoid pressing the accelerator all the way when climbing hills and long grades.

When you drive, be careful to keep your speed no higher than 55 m.p.h. - it'll save a lot of gas.

Avoid excessive high speed or jerky driving. Learn to drive as smoothly and steadily as traffic and road conditions allow. Jumpy starts and fast getaways can burn over 50 percent more gasoline than normal acceleration.

Have your car tuned at regular intervals as recommended in your owner's manual. It's especially important that the carburetor, the distributor, and the spark plugs are in precise adjustment for maximum performance, and efficiency.

Be sure you are buying the proper octane gasoline for your car. To determine which octane is best:

After having the engine tuned, wait until the tank is nearly empty, then fill up with the brand you usually buy, specifying the grade recommended by your owner's manual.

Drive a few miles until the engine is warmed up. Come to a complete stop, then accelerate.

If the engine knocks or pings on the gasoline with the recommended rating, use up the tank and refill with the next higher grade. Repeat the acceleration test. If the engine doesn't knock, this is the octane needed. If it does knock on the higher octane, have the engine checked by your mechanic.

If the engine doesn't knock when you use the octane recommended in the owner's manual, use up the tank and refill with the lower grade. Repeat the acceleration test. If the engine doesn't knock, you can safely use the lower grade.

Gasoline: More Miles Per Gallon (35 cents) is one of over 200 selected Federal consumer publications listed in the Spring edition of the catalog, Consumer Information. The catalog is published quarterly by the Consumer Information Center of the General Services Administration. You can get a free copy by sending a postcard to the Consumer Information Center, Pueblo Colorado 81099.

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Michael Bascom completes school

Michael Bascom has completed an eight weeks course at the Basic Police Officers Academy held at Benton Harbor. Sheriff George T. Laster, has announced.

The certification of the deputy who has been with the department since February 1975 brings the total number of certified officers in 10th Laster said.



THESE ARE SOME of the instruments the \$10,000 purchased. The total number was 27 with five assigned to the middle school band program. The 22 students pictured here play the tympanis including the vibos and the more expensive instruments in the woodwind family. They are (front row) 1 to 1: Jeff Wellman, Kerry Spear, Rob Siro, David Bui, Tracy Olmstead. Second row: Donna Jones, Peggy Hosmer, Sue Winchester, Andrea Klooster, Laurie Schorsch, Darlene Smalley, Debbie Garten, Carmen Cutler. Back row: Tereata Bears, Jody Hicks, Kim Jones, Becky Juiliet.

Band ends season on bright note

Instrumental students in the band program in the Charlevoix public schools appeared in concert last week with students in five bands participating.

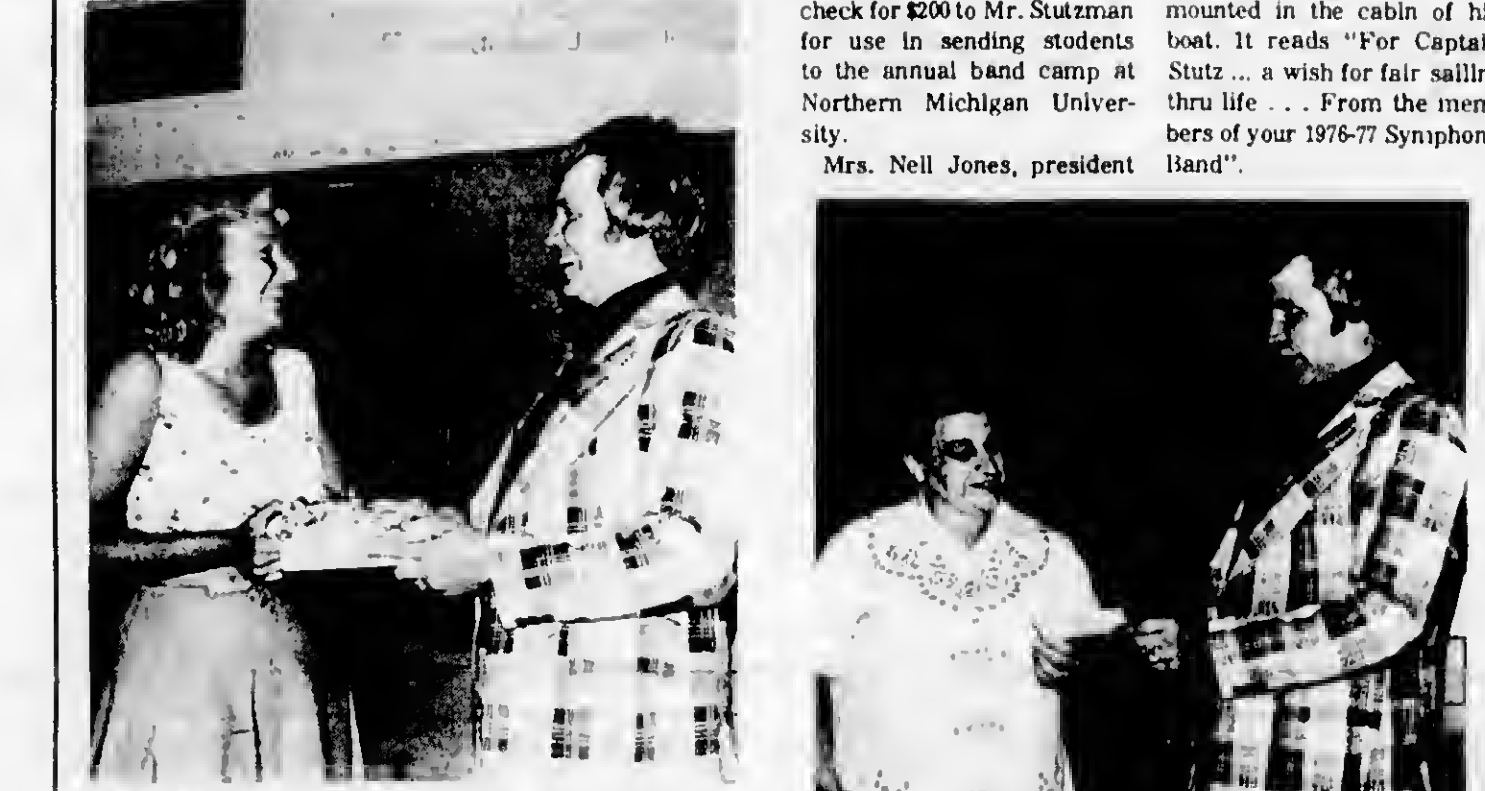
The concert opened with the beginner's or sixth grade band presenting three numbers. This group was organized early in February. They were followed by the seventh and eighth grade bands under the direction of Evelyn Peters and the Concert and Symphony bands directed by Gary L. Stutzman.

Kevin Kroll, student director, directed the band in its final number, Highlights from the "Music Man", by Willson, as arranged by Reed.

Mrs. Henry Borha, representing the American Legion Auxiliary, presented a check for \$200 to Mr. Stutzman for use in sending students to the annual band camp at Northern Michigan University.

Mrs. Neil Jones, president of the Charlevoix Band Boosters, is pictured presenting a check for \$5,000 to Supr. James A. McKinney. The check represents half of the commitment the Band Boosters assumed in order that the band might have much needed instruments.

Gail Powell, president of the Gail Powell Band, climaxed the activities with the presentation of a gift to Stutzman, a plaque from the band to be mounted in the cabin of his boat. It reads "For Captain Stutz... a wish for fair sailing thru life... From the members of your 1976-77 Symphony Band".



AS A PARTING gesture after a successful school year, the members of the Charlevoix High School Symphony Band presented a plaque to director, Gary Stutzman. It is to be mounted in the cabin of his boat. It reads: "For Captain 'Stutz' A wish for fair sailing thru life From the members of your 1976-77 Symphony Band."

THE SUMMER BAND CAMP fund received a boost last week when Mrs. A.G. Borths, representing the American Legion Auxiliary, presented a check for \$200 to Gary Stutzman, band director.

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Charlevoix last to close school

It's getting to be that time of year. The sun is out, warm breezes are in and students have begun the countdown to the last day of school.

In Charlevoix County the first school to close for the year is Ebenezer Christian on May 27. Beaver Island Community School is the next to close on June 2.

The Iron School and the Developmental Needs Program in East Jordan close next on June 7 with St. Mary's School following on June 8.

Boyer City Public Schools, Boyne Falls Public Schools, East Jordan Public Schools and Ellsworth Community Schools all close on June 9.

The last schools to close in the county for the year will be Charlevoix Public Schools and Faith Lutheran in East Jordan. Both will close June 10.

Diane Alexander acts as Model U.N. justice

A Charlevoix student was one of the many Grand Valley State College students who joined more than 250 students from 22 Michigan high schools and colleges to participate in the fifth annual Model United Nations at the state college.

Diane Alexander served as a justice in the International Court of Justice. As a justice she wrote briefs for the Soviet and the Panama-United States court cases.

The purpose in putting on a model United Nations for high school students is to help them achieve a better understanding of international relations.

Tracy Malpass earns degree from Northern

An East Jordan student is a candidate for a bachelor of science degree in Mechanical Engineering Technology from Lake Superior State College.

Tracy K. Malpass, son of Mr. and Mrs. F. Bruce Malpass, participated in commencement exercises at the college Saturday.

Malpass was graduated from East Jordan High School in 1973. He is active in the Society for Manufacturing Engineers and a member of Alpha Chi Honor Society.

He and his wife, Brenda, plan to make their home in East Jordan where he will be employed with the East Jordan Iron Works.

Tom Fowler receives scholarship from Michigan Tech University

A Charlevoix High School senior has been a recipient of a Board of Control Scholarship at Michigan Technological University.

Thomas D. Fowler, valedictorian at the high school was one of 100 students awarded full tuition scholarships. The recipients were selected on a competitive basis with test scores and class rank used as criteria.

Carol Streeter on Dean's List

Carol A. Streeter of Charlevoix has been named to the academic honors lists at the Davenport College of

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Further information may be obtained at the Commission offices.

All proposals must be on forms, which can be obtained at the Commission offices, and presented in sealed envelopes, plainly marked as to contents and the name of the bidder.

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Lexalite wins regional product award

A Charlevoix product won special honors during Michigan Week celebrations last week.

Lexalite Corporation of Charlevoix was named the Region 4 winner in the Michigan Week Product of the Year contest for its design of a traffic signal made out of space age plastics.

This is the second time Lexalite, an international

corporation specializing in the manufacture and design of lighting and custom molded products, has been honored in the nonconsumer section of the product of the year contest. The first award was for the design and engineering of vandal proof street light globes.

Lexalite embarked on the design of the plastic traffic light about two and one-half

years ago, John Zarembo, executive vice president of the corporation, said.

"A major company approached us about studying the feasibility of engineering a traffic light out of plastics," Zarembo said. "Traditionally traffic lights have been made out of die cast aluminum."

After about a year of work, Lexalite came up with a design for a plastic traffic light that worked just as well as the metal traffic light and cost less to make.

"We not only met the industry's standards for traffic lights but we exceed some of them," Zarembo said of the product.

With the exception of a tiny metal spring, Lexalite completely manufactures the traffic light, including the lenses and reflectors, out of a space age plastic called polycarbonate. Polycarbonate is the same plastic that is used in the helmet visors of the astronauts.

The traffic lights are assembled by snapping the pieces together. This also makes the lights easy to maintain, Zarembo said. All a person has to do to replace a burnt out bulb is unsnap the unit as opposed to the metal lights which must be unscrewed and unbolted.

Because plastic traffic

lights are lighter they are easier to install too. But the lighter plastic traffic light doesn't bounce around in the wind more than a metal light, Zarembo said.

Lexalite plastic traffic lights are now sold across the country, Zarembo said.

Studies done in the State of California, which probably

has the strictest tests, found that plastic has a planing effect and it does not bounce back and forth in the wind," Zarembo said.

Although none of the actual traffic signals are used in Charlevoix, Zarembo said the individual red and green lights are used in the driveway windows for the First State Bank of Charlevoix. A traffic signal is also on display outside Lexalite's main entrance.

Dave Phillips named 'Minuteman'

A Charlevoix resident received the Governor's Award during Michigan Week ceremonies last week.

Dave Phillips, owner of the Grey Gables, was given the award for thinking Michigan and bringing area resources together to take a 10-ton cherry pie during 1976 Michigan Week activities.

The cherry pie idea also won the Region 4 Michigan Week Community Achievement of the Year award for 1977. In addition the pie put Charlevoix in the Guinness World Book of Records.

Phillips received the award along with 24 other Michigan residents during ceremonies on the capitol steps in Lansing.



DAVID PHILLIPS (right) accepts a Michigan Week Governor's Award from Lt. Gov. James J. Dammann at colorful ceremonies May 19 on the capitol steps.

PUBLIC NOTICE May 26, 1977 7:30 P.M. Charlevoix Township Hall Corner of Norwood & Carpenter Ave.

Charlevoix Township Zoning Board will hold a Public Hearing to consider a request to rezone 10.3 acres in the Southwest Quarter of Section 33, T 34 N, R 8 W. This property is situated between US 31 South and Old US 31 South and borders on Marion Township. Present owners are Mr. & Mrs. John Sladek. The request is to rezone 1.8 acres from Agriculture to Commercial 3, and 8.5 acres from Agriculture to Residential 1. The complete legal description is available for inspection at the home of the Clerk, 1180 Pa-ba-Shan Lane.

Jo Ann Elzinga
Clerk

Nomis Mol promoted at First State Bank

Louis Hollow, president of the First State Bank of Charlevoix, has announced the appointment of Nomis Mol as Manager of Accounting for the bank. Mrs. Mol has been an employee of the bank since 1960 when she began as a full-time employee with intervals away to raise her family.

Serving both as a teller and bookkeeper over the years, she acquired greater responsibilities and demonstrated a proficiency in accounting through the American Institute of Banking. Her current responsibility includes management of the bank's accounting records and supervision of the bookkeeping and proof departments.



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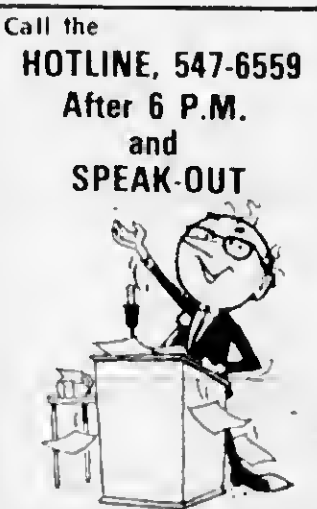
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Senior citizens dance night away at special dinner

"It was wonderful! One of the nicest parties I've ever attended. The food was superb, the entertainment great and the fellowship the best ever!" more than 200 of Charlevoix's Senior Citizens described the dinner in their honor Thursday night.

Hosting the event was the Leslie T. Shapton Post No. 226, American Legion, headed by James Willis and Charlevoix V.F.W. Post No. 1153, headed by Joseph Kortan.

Two-hundred and 15 roast beef dinners which included homemade bread made by Mrs. George Shearer were served. Following the dinner



IT'S OUTDOOR COOKING TIME

The curling smoke from chimneys of a few months ago has been replaced by smoke from the backyard barbecue. A favorite way of preparing food in the summer is the

cookout. To insure faster cooking and easier cleaning line the grill with heavy duty aluminum foil. Stack the

bricks in a pyramid for faster lighting, use a good starter and be patient. The coals should take between 20 to 40 minutes before they are ready for cooking.

One of the keys to successful outdoor grilling is knowing when the coals are ready. In the daylight you can judge readiness if they are covered by a layer of gray ash. At night they will have a bright red glow. When they are at this stage spread them on a single layer with tongs and start the food cooking.

Cooking temperature can be regulated by raising and lowering the grid. To lower the temperature on the food raise the grid or spread out the

coals. To raise the temperature tap ash from the coals or push them together. If you need to add coals place them on the outer edge of hot coals. Fat flare-ups can be controlled by raising the grid, spreading out the coals or even removing a few. Always have a water bottle handy for dousing uncontrollable flames.

A non-stick coating can be sprayed on the grill before cooking to aid in easier clean up. A damp sponge sprinkled with baking soda makes a good scouring to remove grease and food particles. After you have cleaned your grill cover it and store in a clean dry place.

Add flair to your cooking fare with some interesting barbecue sauces. Combines catsup and applesauce flavored with honey, lemon, onion and various spices, such as garlic and ginger. Tastes great on ribs! Or give a Hawaiian flavor to your chicken with a basting of catsup, crushed pineapple and onion, seasoned with mustard, vinegar and Worcestershire sauce.

Rev. and Mrs. Carl Holmgren will make the missionary presentation. They served in Japan with the American Baptist Foreign Mission Society from 1969 to 1969. Holmgren is pastor of the Kalkaska church.

Jerallyn Goss headed for Mexico

It'll be off to sunny Mexico this summer for Jerallyn Goss, Charlevoix High School junior.

Jerallyn has been accepted as an exchange student in the Youth for Understanding summer program and will be leaving for Mexico June 26 where she will stay until Aug. 23.

The high school student said she had always had the thought of being an exchange

student in the back of her mind. A trip to Mexico with her family during the last year made her determined to become an exchange student to that country.

"Since I've been down there I know what the country is like and what to expect," Jerallyn said. "But I want to meet the people and I want to see what it's really like to live there." Although the 17-year-old has

taken two years of high school Spanish, she is not spending the last weeks before her trip brushing up on the language. Instead she is boning up on her American history.

"They can understand it if you don't know much about Mexico or if you can't speak the language," Jerallyn explained. "But if you don't know about your own country, they can't understand that."

The high school student, who is the only student from the school district to participate in an exchange program this year, said she currently has a history course and she is trying to read some other books about American history, too.

She's also gathering things about Mexico to take to Mexico with her. She has copies of pamphlets put out by the state and she plans on taking maple sugar candy, Pecoskie stones and a Charlevoix t-shirt or two with her.

She also wants to take cosmetics and records with her as gifts for the family she will be staying with.

Jerallyn feels adequately prepared to leave on her trip. She recently attended an orientation session held by Youth for Understanding and she said she has been getting information in the mail from the group almost every week since April.

The student said she hopes



Jerallyn Goss

her family will take in an exchange student next year, too.

"That way it will really be an exchange," she said. Youth for Understanding is a nonprofit international student exchange organization which has exchanged more than 35,000 students worldwide.

VFW post, auxiliary hold joint officer installation

Charlevoix Veteran's of Foreign Wars Post No. 1153 and the Ladies' Auxiliary held a joint installation of officers at the V.F.W. post home recently.

Sam King, first Commander of the local post, and Mrs. Denver Jackson officiated as installing officers.

Mrs. Dale Meredith was installed as president of the auxiliary. Other elected officers are: Mrs. Leland Warner, senior vice president; Mrs. Clarence Rabach, junior vice president; Ms. Thomas Hodgkinson, secretary; Mrs. Jackson, treasurer; Mrs. Albert Russell, chaplain; Mrs. Kenneth Staley, conductress; Mrs. Ruhl Metzger, guard; Mrs. Walter Russell, Mrs. Eugene Gibeault and Mrs. Clarence Goldstick, trustees.

Wives of Legion and V.F.W. members joined in serving the dinner.

Appointed officers who will head special committees follow: Americanism: Loyalty, Mrs. Albert Russell; Buddy Poppy, Mrs. Mann; Citations, Mrs. Meredith; Cancer Aid, Research, Mrs. James Whitley; Environmental, Fran Martin; Hospital, Mrs. Rabach; Junior Girls unit, Mrs. Hamlin; Membership, Mrs. Jackson; National Home, Mrs. Mann; Legislative, Mrs. Warner; Publicity, Mrs. Goldstick; Rehabilitation, Mrs. Hodgkinson; Safety, Mrs. Gibeault; Voice of Democracy, Mrs. Hamlin; Joseph Kortan assumed the position of post commander, succeeding Edwin Zettler. Other new post officers are: Clarence Goldstick, senior vice commander; Leland Warner, junior vice commander; Clarence Rabach, quartermaster; Lyle S. King, adjutant; Sam King, quartermaster sergeant; Frank Novotny, post advocate; Donald White, chaplain; Albert Russell, surgeon; Corey Seyrey, post historian; Ronald Geer, service officer; Mr. Zettler, membership chairman; William Kane, Edwin Mann, Kenneth Staley and Zettler, trustees for terms of one, two and three years, respectively.

Little League Auxiliary sponsors fundraiser

The Charlevoix Women's Little League Auxiliary is sponsoring a luncheon for

Charlevoix Hospital, Grandvue get certifications

Charlevoix County's Grandvue Medical Care Facility is one of four county facilities in the state recently certified to the Department of Social Services as meeting Medicare and Medicaid nursing home standards.

The Charlevoix Area Hospital was one of 18 hospitals granted annual renewal licenses.

equipment and supplies for the Charlevoix Little League program.

The menu will consist of casseroles, salads, baked beans, rolls, desserts and a beverage. Door prizes donated by local merchants will be given away to ticket holders. All proceeds from the luncheon will be used for

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JEFF COCKFIELD returns a shot as his doubles partner Geoff Nelson watches during Class C Regional meet play at Boyne Mountain Saturday. Cockfield and Nelson were the top doubles players at the meet.



LISA WIEMER stretches to complete this shot during Class C Regional tennis play Saturday at Boyne Mountain. Frankfort took the meet.

Regional tennis meet tough for Rayders



TOM McNAMARA returns this shot during doubles play at the Class C Regional Tennis match Saturday at Boyne Mountain.



DAVE MORGIDGE jumps to catch this shot during doubles play at the Class C Regional tennis finals Saturday, Frankfort took the meet.



GEOFF NELSON, one-half of the top doubles team at the Class C Regional tennis finals Saturday takes aim with this shot. His partner is Jeff Cockfield.



ERIK LUNDTIEGEN, who played in flight 1 of the Class C Regional meet at Boyne Mountain Saturday, returns this serve across the net.



ERIK LUNDTIEGEN takes careful aim with this shot during play at the Class C Regional finals at Boyne Mountain Saturday. Frankfort took the meet.

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Frankfort takes title

The Charlevoix High School tennis team came up with fourth place at the Class C-D regional finals at Boyne Mountain Saturday.

Frankfort took first place with Glen Arbor-Leland in second and Elk Rapids third. The premier match of the day saw Erik Lundteigen lose to Doug Roberts of Glen Arbor on a tiebreaker point after

they matched each other point for point in the third set. The scores were 6-2, 3-6 and 7-6.

Both Lundteigen and Roberts will advance to state finals June 3 and 4 in Holland along with the Frankfort and Glen Arbor teams.

Charlevoix was the only area school to come away with a title during the two-day event. In Flight 3 doubles,

they matched each other point for point in the third set. The scores were 6-2, 3-6 and 7-6.

Charlevoix had a total of 12 points.

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Courier Sports

Middle schoolers down Petoskey

By FRANK MARTIN

Three teams from the Charlevoix Middle School, the 7th and 8th grade boys track teams and the middle school girls team, posted wins over Petoskey teams in a meet held here Wednesday.

In the girls' meet, the Charlevoix girls set six new school records including the three relays, shot put, 800 yd. run and the mile run.

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Doan tallies 93 points

Charlevoix, with a one-man team of Matt Doan, tallied 93 points in the Rudyard pentathlon held Monday.

Included in the pentathlon are the 100 yd. dash, high jump, 330 yd. low hurdles, discus and the mile run. The contestant collects points with each event. In most instances, a team of three combines its efforts in the five events for a team total.

Doan, participating for the first time since he was injured at the Chip Relays April 28, had a total of 93 points in the pentathlon. The points were earned in: 100 yd. dash, 22; high jump, 26; hurdles, 29; discus, 8 and mile, 8.

Rudyard, with a three man team, took the event with a total of 282 points followed by Rogers City with 234; Detroit, 249; Norway, 248; Pickford, 224; Cheboygan, 198; Boyne City, 106; St. Ignace, 173; Charlevoix, 93. The Soo, Stephenson and Cedarville did not score.

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Beaver dams interesting to study

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through the canals it has built from the forest area to the river.

There are about a dozen beaver dams in the Jordan River Valley and felled trees can be seen by the hundreds. State Forester Bill Mittig points out, also, that it is most unusual for people to be able to drive along a road and look at beaver lodges from their automobiles. One can be seen off Marsh Road and one off the Jordan Valley Drive. There are signs indicating the locations.

It is almost impossible to look at the fallen trees and the stumps in the forest and realize that they are the work of a small animal, all for the protection of their own lives and those of their young. Half-cut trees show how chips are eaten out of one side to the center area, then from the other side to the center,

causing the tree to fall. However, unlike human woodcutters, the beaver cannot tell trees in a desired direction.

The chips that fall to the ground also provide food for the beaver, as it eats the bark from the chips before discarding them.

Since the beaver works mostly at night, it is seldom seen during the day. And if one were to approach the water where a beaver is working, it would probably slap the water with its tail, signaling to the others in the colony that an intruder is approaching.

The biologist will tell you that the beaver is a member of the mammalian order Rodentia which also includes such well-known animals as the squirrel, rat and porcupine. It is the largest of the Rodentia in North America. An adult weighs from 40 to 70 pounds, with a

few outside individuals weighing up to 100 pounds.

The beaver colony is very much a family setup. There is only one dominant male, which shows considerable aggressiveness toward the males in other colonies and also to young males in his own colony when they attain breeding age. In fact, the young males are eventually driven out when they are about two years old.

Leaving the lodge where they were born, they strike out on their own, searching for mates and new areas suitable for starting colonies. Most of the work of building the dams and lodges is done by the male beavers, but the females also help when they are not occupied with their young.

An interesting side light to care of the young is that the beaver carries its babies in its arms, much the same as a human. This erect posture is

easy for cavers, which all up to gnaw trees.

As most students of Michigan history know, the beaver played an important role in the exploration and early settlement of North America, including Michigan, from the time when Nicollet first visited the Straits of Michilimackinac in 1635 until the first great influx of settlers two centuries later.

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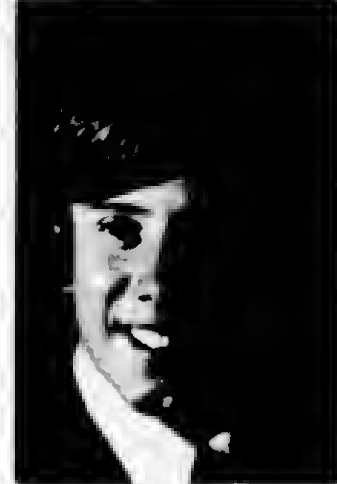
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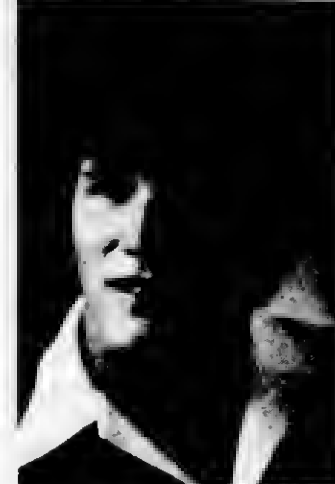
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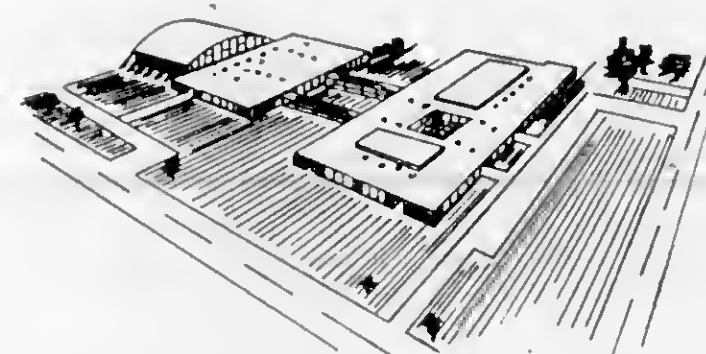


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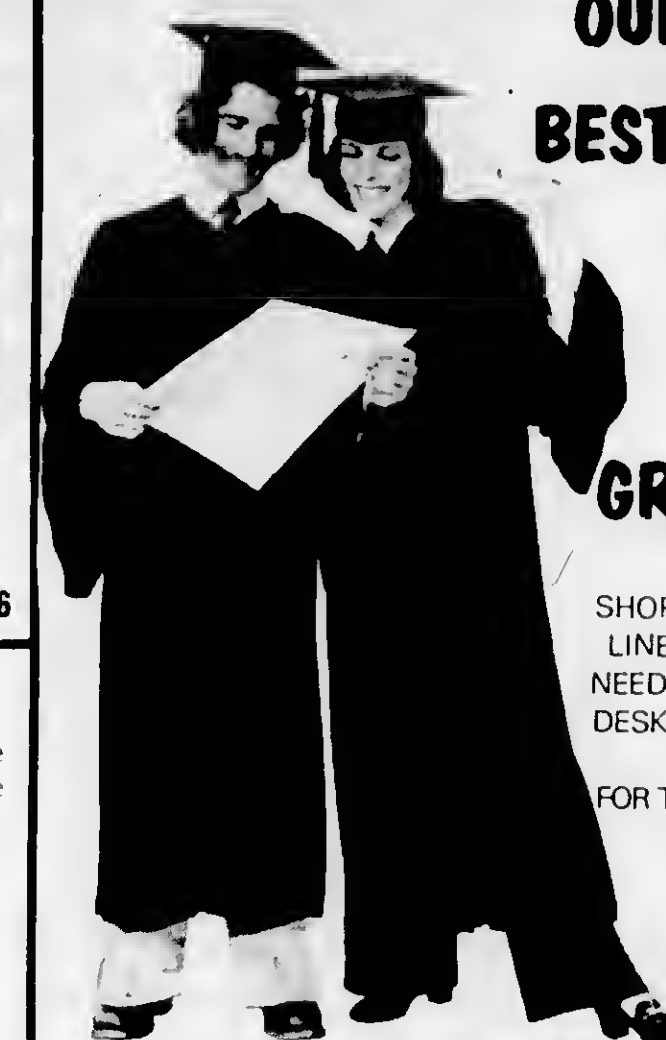
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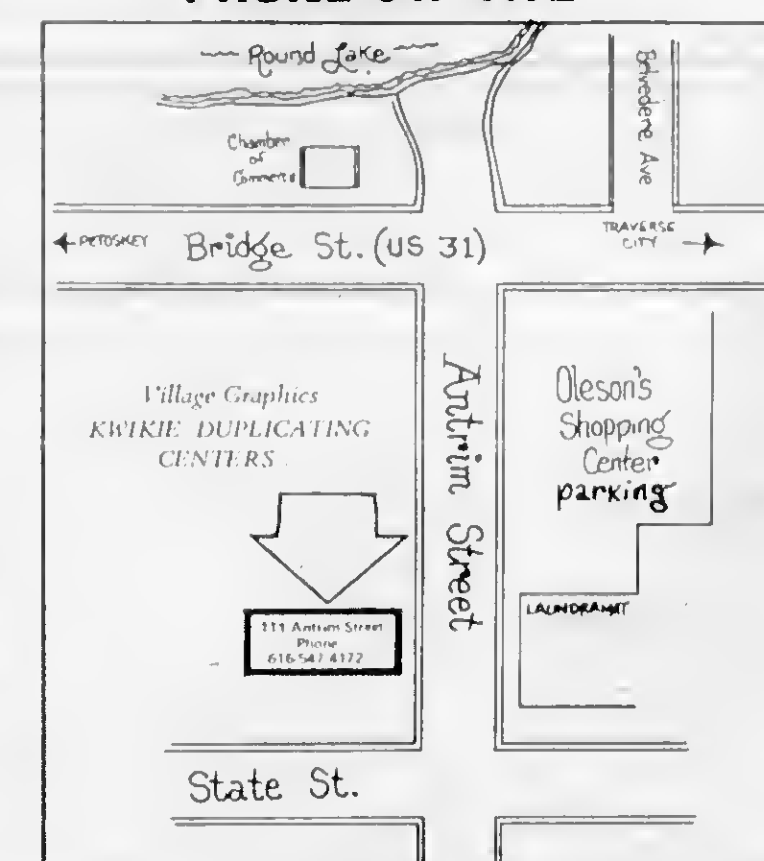


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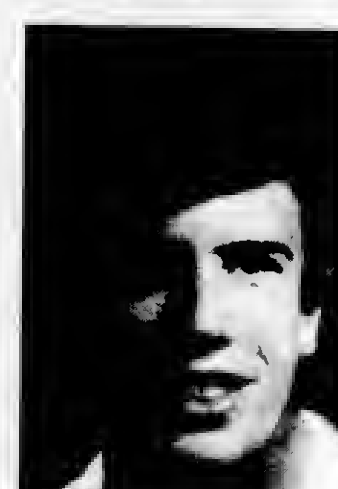
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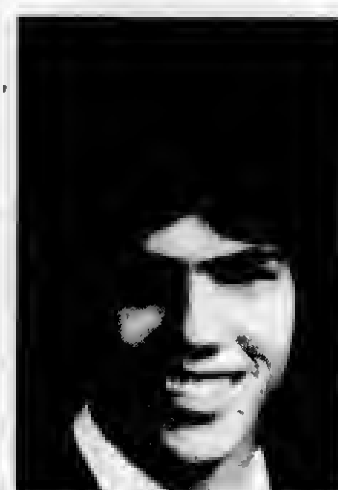
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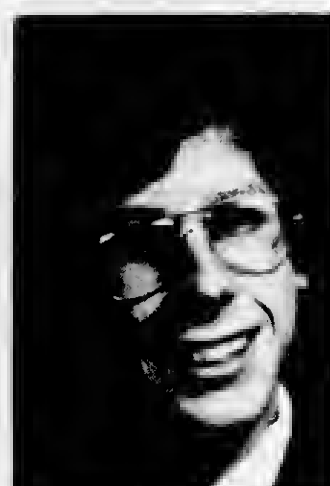
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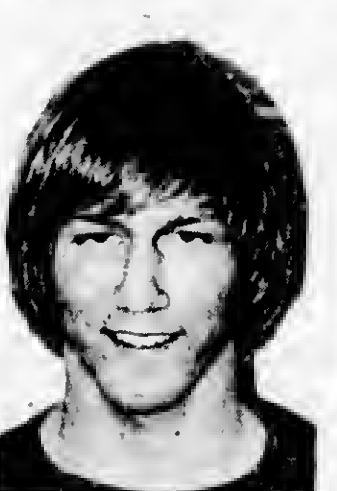
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Lillian Bergmann receives Fassett award

By FRANK MARTIN
The first R. Dale Fassett Memorial Award for outstanding contributions for handicapped children was presented recently to a Charlevoix resident by the Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate Education Association.

Named as the first recipient of the award was Lillian Bergmann who is widely known for her work with the handicapped.

The presentation to Mrs. Bergmann was made by Ronald Moore of the Char-Em Intermediate Education Association during a luncheon held at the Westervane Inn and attended by members of the education association. The award is named for R.

Dale Fassett, who was director of special education for the Char-Em Intermediate District for six and one-half years prior to his untimely death in February 1974. Fassett was responsible for instituting the format for the special education program in the Char-Em district.

According to Moore, the award is to be given annually to an individual who has made a significant contribution to handicapped children in some field of endeavor.

Mrs. Bergmann's work with the mentally impaired began in 1967 when she taught in a day care center sponsored by the Charlevoix Association for Mentally Handicapped Children. As an outgrowth of the day care center, she

initiated a sheltered workshop for the older clients in the program which was then expanded into Bergmann Center. The center was named in recognition of Mrs. Bergmann's work which proved to be a pilot program for the mentally handicapped in the state.

Later, Mrs. Bergmann was named a board member of the organization then known as the Michigan Association for Retarded Children and supervised services offered by this organization in 21 Northern Michigan counties. She has continued to work with Bergmann Center where more than 20 clients from throughout the north are employed. She is presently serving as chairman of the Act

258 Board which administers the Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Services Board. She was appointed to represent Charlevoix County on the four-county board on the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners.

Mrs. Bergmann has also served as juvenile officer for the Charlevoix County Probate Court and is presently juvenile officer for the Boyne City Police Department. She has also been active in Girl Scouts, and the 4-H program and was recently the recipient of the Library Bell Award, given annually by the Charlevoix-Emmet Bar Association for significant contributions to the community.



GAIL WIEMER, Florence Ellison, Harry Scheid look on as Lillian Bergmann is presented the first R. Dale Fassett award by Sandy Fassett and Ron Moore.

Edmund Fitzgerald edition of Ratigan book off the presses

The sinking of the Carl D. Bradley off the shores of Gull Island on Nov. 18, 1958, gave birth to one of the first and most comprehensive chronologies of Great Lakes history.

Likewise, the sinking of the Edmund Fitzgerald on Nov. 10, 1975, in Lake Superior, has produced the third edition of the now well-known book, "Great Lakes Shipwrecks & Survivals," written by William O. Ratigan, Charlevoix resident.

Ratigan, a Great Lakes author and historian, said the latest edition of the book weaves too major issues about the Great Lakes into the book as well as discusses the Edmund Fitzgerald disaster.

"I don't just cover shipwrecks and survivals on the Great Lakes in the book, but I also try to cover other major things happening on the lakes," Doc, as he likes to be called, explained.

"I like to think of the book as a story of the lakes from the

beginning of shipping that covers shipwrecks and survivals and events of the period," he said as he sat in his study surrounded by Great Lakes memorabilia.

The new edition discusses the appearance of the super long ships on the lakes and the controversy that surrounds them. Ratigan also mentions the attempt at year around navigation on the lakes and its progress and promises.

Ratigan said he decided to write the chronology following his involvement in extensive coverage of the Bradley wreck. A former NBC network newsmen, Ratigan got involved in coverage of the Bradley by chance.

"I remember sitting in the kitchen on the night the Bradley sank and looking out the window," he said. "I saw the Little Coast Guard Cutter Sunnew try and go out into the lake against the waves. The boat stood still as if it had hit a stone wall."

Later in the evening the

New York office of CBS called Ratigan and asked him about the shipwreck in the Charlevoix area.

"That was the first word I had heard about the shipwreck," Ratigan, whose weather-worn face looks like the faces of the sailors he has written so much about, recalled.

Ratigan spent the next several months turning in daily and then weekly reports about attempts to locate the

missing sailors and plans, to salvage the freighter. Finally demands for news of the wreck ended and Ratigan was

Other Great Lakes books to Ratigan's credit include: "Sea Canals," "Straits of Mackinac," "Hawatia and America's Mightiest Mile," "Young Mister Big," "The Adventures of Captain McCargo," "The Long Crossing," and "Highways Over Board Waters."



DOC RATIGAN'S newest edition of "Great Lakes Shipwrecks & Survivals" has come out in print. Called the Edmund Fitzgerald Edition, the book discusses the shipwreck as well as other Great Lakes issues.

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WEATHER

The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant:

Date	High	Low
May 21	81	63
May 22	81	63
May 23	86	63
May 24	78	59
May 25	77	57
May 26	79	56

There has been no rain since May 18, when .91 was recorded. On May 13, .01 was also recorded, and on May 6, .22 was recorded. May has been a dry month!

Graduation ceremony still the same, 1910 grad says

When Charlevoix High School graduation ceremonies begin Sunday in the high school gym, one member of the audience will be recalling his graduation from the high school 67 years ago.

Hubert "Cap" Paddock, a 1910 Charlevoix grad, often attends graduation ceremonies for the high school.

"He's my greatest critic," Vane Smith, high school principal and Paddock's stepson, said. "He lets me

know when things aren't just right with the ceremony."

According to Paddock, graduation ceremonies haven't changed too much over the last 67 years. Paddock said his graduation was a typical one, however, it was held in a different location from the ceremonies of today.

Seniors in the 1910 class participated in graduation exercises held in the opera house located on the Pine River Channel.

While graduation ceremonies haven't changed since 1910, schools have, Paddock said.

For one thing, the graduation classes are a lot bigger now, the 1910 grad said. Only 15 students were in his graduating class, he recalled. And sometimes that smallness put a cramp on things.

The number of players eligible for the football team were pretty limited, Paddock said.

"If you were on the team you usually played the entire game," Paddock, who was captain of the 1909 squad, recalled. "We only had enough players for about two substitutes."



HUBERT PADDOCK in his 1910 senior picture.

Commission seeks July 12 vote

Copies of charter available

Copies of condensed version of the proposed new charter for the City of Charlevoix are now available for review by the city's residents.

The Charlevoix Charter Commission has placed 1,000 copies of a synopsis of the proposed charter at Charlevoix City Hall, First State Bank of Charlevoix, Charlevoix County State Bank, Family Federal Savings and Loan, Charlevoix Federal Credit Union, Lieberman's, Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, Central Drug Store and Williams Dockside Pharmacy.

The charter commission has requested that the proposed charter be put on the ballot for a July 12 election. It was expected that Charlevoix Common Council would set the date for the special election at

its Tuesday meeting.

Mayor Edward Hansen, who openly opposed the proposed charter, has said that he will not block any attempt to have the charter placed on the ballot.

The charter commission is planning a series of four public meetings on the charter. A meeting will be held in each ward then a final meeting will be held for the entire city.

A series of articles discussing the changes in the charter will also appear in the Charlevoix Courier beginning next week.

The new charter maintains many of the provisions of the Fourth Class Cities Act under which Charlevoix has operated since 1906 including a 15-mill tax limit, the ward system and six-member council.

However, the proposed charter brings a corporate-type structure to city government in which the council acts as the board of directors establishing public

policy. Day-to-day operations will be carried out under the supervision of a city manager who will have broad powers in the field of staffing and administration.

Candidates discuss views on school board seats

Want to find out more about the candidates running for school board positions in the upcoming June 13 election? On pages 6, 7 and 8 of this week's Charlevoix Courier, readers will find stories about the six candidates running for two positions on the Charlevoix Board of Education and the six candidates running for two seats on the Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District

Board of Education.

The stories were written from information the candidates provided on questionnaires sent out by the Courier. The questions on the surveys asked the candidates what they thought the priorities of each school district should be, if they thought programs should be expanded and how they viewed building programs for the school districts.

High School, Paddock graduated from the U.S. Naval Academy in 1915 and then served for 35 years as a career officer. He fought in two world wars and was a survivor of Pearl Harbor. After his retirement, Paddock kept busy as a justice of the peace and then took up gardening and traveling. Even now he spends half the year in Florida and half the year in Charlevoix.

1917 middle school class wrote poem

EDITOR'S NOTE: Activities connected with graduation from school go on year after year, but one that has become less popular is writing a class poem.

We present below the class poem for the 1917 eighth grade graduating class of the Charlevoix Public Schools. It was given to us by Bob Burns of Charlevoix, a member of the class.

We are the class of '17 with 35 enrolled,
We are going to climb to the very height, till we have reached the given goal.
We are going to work and going to strive for we're a class that's all alive.
To introduce each one we'll try, you'll know them better by and by.

Kate Geer and Nita Sheare to us all are very dear,
Lawrence Taylor and Lyman Brown are two of our boys that are never down,
Alson Bugbee and Martin Halverson you'll always find brimful of fun,
Esther Powell and Marjorie Myers are girls who's minds are bright as fires,
Margaret Hull and Clara O'Neill will always give you the fairest deal,
Edith Henshaw and Effie Gornell are two who are never naught but well,
Alice Dixon and Iva Babcock are very good girls but sad to relate, they have no curls.

Richard Paddock and Doug King are good in school and very thin,
Dick Hammet and Clarence Miles are ever running over with smiles,
Margaret Milner and Thelma Reed are often ahead when it comes to speed,
Hildegarde Wilkinson and Katherine Fitch we'll introduce to you, they do well in their lessons and help each other too.
Ruth Solomon and Marion Sears never miss their lesson nor cause us tears,
Elinor Gravelin and Pearl Durance in their studies are too in advance,
Vera Dutcher and Mamie Bennet if they keep on working they'll get in Senate.

Robert Burns our greatest poet, when he tells us anything we'll surely know it,
Elmo Helms who rings the bell, his head is so big it couldn't swell,
Oh, Helen Webster with her pretty hair, she's not too dark nor yet too fair,
Now you've heard a little of each of our class and Vivian Hall and Fern Loper will come at last.
There is nothing left for poor little me, so in the farthest corner we'll be,
We'll do our best, our very best and to our teachers leave the rest.
So much for the class of 21 who's lesson has just begun.

Community Calendar

Fran Martin
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Wednesday, June 1
Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Raymond Giffin, 408 Mason-st., 1:30 p.m. Program: Our church library by Mrs. Charles Duerr; Devotions: Mrs. Floyd Chamberlain.
Coast Guard Vets Club will meet with Mrs. Melvin Herman, May at 7:30 p.m.
Little Flower Guild will meet with Mrs. Patrick Donnelly, Sequoia Rd. 8 p.m. Election of officers.
Charlevoix Soaring club will meet at hangar 14th room 8 p.m.

Thursday, June 2
Cub Scout pre-registration for the 1977-78 school year at K-5 school 7-9 p.m. This is for boys in the 2nd through 5th

grade. Each child must be accompanied by a parent to register.
Northern Michigan Mental Health Services Board will meet at the Lamplighters Facility in Cheboygan at 8 p.m. The public is invited to attend.
Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club will meet at clubhouse for 6:30 p.m. pancake supper followed by business meeting at 8 p.m.
V.F.W. Auxiliary will meet at post home 8 p.m.
Charlevoix County Planning Commission will meet at county building annex 7:30 p.m.

Friday, June 3
Al-Anon Family Group will meet at undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. For

Saturday, June 4
State Class C boys track and field meet at Ithaca.
State Class C girls track and field meet at St. Louis.
Women's Club will host a luncheon honoring the Senior girls at the Charlevoix Yacht Club at 12 noon.
Petokey Whirl-Aways Western Square Dance Club will meet at the Lincoln School in Petokey 8:10-10:30 p.m. Members are asked to bring sandwiches for refreshments. Visitors welcome.

Sunday, June 5
86th annual Commencement Exercises honoring 140 Charlevoix High School graduates at high school

gymnasium 3 p.m.
Annual breakfast honoring 140 Charlevoix High School Seniors at Weatherline Inn 9:30 a.m. hosted by First State Bank of Charlevoix.
Charlevoix Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.

Monday, June 6
Charlevoix Board of Education will meet at the high school study hall 7:30 p.m.
Guild of Lutheran Women will meet at the home of Mrs. Robert Mallison, Marlon

Center Rd., 8 p.m.
St. Mary's Holy Altar Society will meet at St. Marys school hall at 8 p.m.
Hostesses: Mrs. Calvin Peters and Mrs. Willard Paschner.
Hayes Township board will meet at township hall 8 p.m.
Tuesday, June 7
Charlevoix Historical Society will meet at Community Room of the First State Bank 8 p.m. Two collections of pictures will be shown by Ms. Edith Gilbert. Bob Miles will offer historical information on the pictures new to collections of local

Wednesday, June 8
Charlevoix Board of Commissioners will meet at county building annex 9:30

a.m.
Norwood United Methodist Women will meet with Mrs. Clyde Warner 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, June 8
Mary Brewster Circle will meet with Mrs. James Irwin, 1:30 p.m. Co-hostess: Mrs. John LaRue; Program: Mrs. Charles Bellinger.
Margaret Parker circle will meet at First Congregational church 1:30 p.m. Hostesses: Mrs. Ervin Baegmol and Mrs. Everett Hartzell.
Charlevoix Chapter of the Michigan Association for the Blind will meet at the Com-

munity Room, First State Bank, 7:30 p.m.
Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at hangar 14th room 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Lodge No. 283, I.O.O.F., will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.
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State official to address seniors at graduation

The deputy superintendent of public instruction for the State Department of Education will address the Charlevoix High School senior class during graduation ceremonies at 3 p.m. Sunday in the high school gym.
Malcolm Katz, who has been deputy superintendent since 1975, will come to the graduation ceremonies with plenty of experience in addressing students. He has been superintendent of the East Lansing Public Schools, associate professor of education and psychology at Union College in Schenectady, N.Y., principal and science teacher.

A Danforth Fellow, Katz received his B.S. from Rutgers University and his M.A. and Ed. D. from Teachers College at Columbia University in New York.
He has published numerous articles in educational magazines and has worked as an educational consultant for a television station and a paper company.
He enjoys music, reading, sailing, skiing, and photography with his wife Alice and daughters Hillary, Wendy and Pamela.



Malcolm Katz

Scholarship Awarded

NANCY PODSKAINY (center) was presented with the \$200 Jack Rosendahl Memorial Scholarship by the Big Brothers-Big Sisters of Charlevoix County, Inc. The organization is represented by (left to right) Nancy Woods, Gayle Kaczynski, Mrs. Jack Rosendahl and Jim McGaw.

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Band boosters to hold salad luncheon June 8

The Charlevoix Band Boosters have announced plans for a soup and salad luncheon to be held at the American Legion post home on June 8.
The luncheon, which will feature homemade soup, a wide choice of salads, rolls

and a choice of beverages will be served from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m.
Funds derived from the event will be used to underwrite the cost of transportation for the Charlevoix Symphony band to Lansing early in May.

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SOMETIMES THINGS just need adjusting. This young child took time out to fix the flag above this grave during Memorial Day ceremonies in Charlevoix.



THIS UNICYCLIST with her one-wheeled vehicle decorated in patriotically colored crepe paper was one of many Charlevoix area children participating in the Memorial Day parade.

Memorial Day--- A time for remembering



KAY CURREY solemnly plays Taps at the conclusion of the Memorial Day program which included a parade and an address given by School Superintendent James McKimmy and a reading of the Gettysburg address by Julie Wannier.



PARADES ARE a delight to children and to the young at heart. This young cowboy spent several anxious minutes waiting for the parade to arrive at his viewing place on Bridge Street.

Life down on the farm

What's life like down on the farm? Ask any Charlevoix Elementary School first grader—they're experts.

The more than 100 students have been studying farm life during a special unit in their classrooms and last week to

complete their studies, the students actually visited the farm of Dick and Marilyn Anderson on Faculik Road.

The students toured the barns and barnyard and got to meet the cows and chickens face to face. They also had a chance to taste 'raw' milk.

"Some of the children politely refused to taste it," Mrs. Anderson said. "But one little boy drank six Dixie cups full!"

The children also had a ride in a hay wagon pulled by the Anderson tractor to a nearby

meadow where they had lunch, but not before a little excitement.

Some of the children found a baby field mouse which they let loose when one teacher came over to see what the excitement was all about. The mouse promptly ran up the inside of the teacher's pant leg and caused her to do a little jig—much to the delight of the children.

All in all it was a good day.



RICHARD ANDERSON warns curious first grade students not to get too close to the tractor during a recent visit to the farm by Charlevoix Elementary School students.



THERESA MANZER, Charlevoix Elementary School first grader, enjoys her lunch seated in a meadow of the Richard Anderson farm on Faculik Road.



SCOTT YOUNG, Jeff Arnold and Marry Joy investigated the calves on the Richard Anderson farm. The first grade class from the Charlevoix Elementary School visited the farm last week.

WITH A FEATHER in his cap, Philip Muma settles down for lunch during the Charlevoix Elementary School first grade trip to the Richard Anderson farm. Philip found the feather during the trip.

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AN HONOR GUARD made up of six Charlevoix area residents currently serving in the reserves offered a 21 gun salute at the Brookside Cemetery and also Memorial Park during Memorial Day ceremonies.

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Editorials/Opinions

Study charter closely, it could improve city

Copies of a condensed version of the proposed new charter for the City of Charlevoix hit the streets this week. More than 1,000 copies of the new charter can be found at many businesses along Bridge Street and throughout the town as well as in Charlevoix City Hall.

City residents are urged to get a copy of the charter and study it thoroughly. This is no time for apathy. There is no room for the uninformed citizen on this issue. Emotional appeals should not be considered in this issue, only the facts are relevant and they should be studied at length.

The new charter maintains many of the provisions of the Fourth Class Cities Act which was written in 1895. These provisions include a 15-mill tax levy limit, the ward system and a six-member council.

However, the new charter also brings a corporate-type structure to the city government in which the council acts as the board of directors in establishing public policy.

Day-to-day city operations

will be carried out under the supervision of a city manager who will have a broad range of duties including staffing and administration. The city manager will be responsible to the council for his actions and if he can't cut the mustard he'll be thrown out.

Although the ward system has been retained in the new charter, council members and clerk candidates will be nominated by ward but will be voted on by the city at large giving elected officials political responsibilities beyond their narrow ward boundaries.

Charter Commission members are enthusiastic about the new document and many of their changes. They see the charter creating a new interest in city government and operations that has been missing for several years.

And they see the new charter as helping the city become more efficient and effective now that it has grown to an almost \$3 million business a year.

Legal drinking age should be increased

The battle line has been drawn and now everybody is starting to choose their side over Michigan's legal drinking age.

Even though many, like the Governor of Michigan, are still waiting for more conclusive evidence to roll in, we're looking strongly towards raising the present 18-year-old requirement.

There's been just too much evidence to indicate that the lower drinking age has had serious effect on young adult misbehavior.

Milliken has hedge on the topic for more than a year, when it was first seriously raised in the legislature.

The governor said he would not take a stance until the facts were in. And the facts, according to Milliken, would be revealed through two major studies: one by the Office of Highway Safety Planning and the other by the state Office of Substance Abuse.

The second of those studies was published a month ago.

Based on their findings, both those agencies recommended the legal age be left to 21. The most viable proposal in the legislature appears to be raising the legal age to 19.

But Milliken has not yet

announced his decision, despite the dogged persistence of reporters, school administrators and supporters of the bill.

Aides to the governor say simply that the matter is still "under study."

Yet two Democratic candidates hoping to succeed Milliken in 1978 — or bump him out of office if he runs for reelection — went on record in favor of the measure to raise the legal age to 19 by voting for it in a Senate committee.

Some lawmakers say the legal age should be hiked all the way back to 21, but realistically speaking, we feel a compromise at 19 would be better.

That takes care of one major argument against 18-year-old drinking — that high school seniors are getting drunk in school or at school functions and are supplying booze to their younger class mates.

There now appears to be enough support to get the drinking age question through both the House and Senate and it looks like the proposal will go all the way to the governor's desk.

We hope the governor will join us in supporting the raising of the drinking age to 19.



"LOCAL DELEGATION WANTS TO SELL THEIR OWNERSHIP AND INFORMATION TO THE C.I.A. ON A REGULAR BASIS..."



Richard Nixon would have been further ahead if he had never met David Frost.

Ever since our former chief executive packed his bags and moved into exile at San Clemente, I have had a feeling that somehow Nixon might be able to at least explain himself — if not exonerate himself — before the American people.

After all, he was our president for more than six years. He served as vice president for eight years under Eisenhower. Before that he was elected to two terms of the House of Representatives and one term to the U.S. Senate from California. He has led at the national trough most of his adult life. Certainly some explanation for his grievous behavior would not have been out of order.

But when he did have a chance to tell his side of the story, he played his administration in four interviews with British TV personality David Frost, he emerged more imperial, more disdainful of public opinion, more arrogant toward the press and more willing to assault the intelligence of his constituents than ever before.

Does he really expect us to believe that his hand-picked vice president, who was forced to resign after he was caught accepting bribes and fudging on his income tax, was a "surgeon" and "honest" man who simply didn't know it was illegal to accept kickbacks from contributors doing business with the government?

Does he really feel that former Attorney General Elliot Richardson pressed charges against Spiro Agnew because he himself had "ambitions to be vice president or President in 1976 or earlier if somebody had picked him?" Does he really feel that the United States has come to such an awful state of affairs that the president should be allowed to commit crimes that would land ordinary mortals in the pokey?

The tragedy of Richard Nixon is more apparent today than it was in the tense summer of 1974 when the web of

As I was reflecting on something memorable to say about Memorial Day I recalled how I spent last Memorial Day and that made me think of a newspaper clipping I had seen on the bulletin board in the Office of Planning and Zoning in the county building.

By the way, if you don't read the things on bulletin boards you really ought to try it sometime, you never know what you might pick up.

Anyway the piece was entitled "I'd Pick More Dalais!" and it's written by Brother Jeremiah. It goes something like this:

If I had my life to live over again, I'd try to make more mistakes next time. I would relax. I would limber up. I would be sillier than I have been this trip. I know of very few things I would take seriously. I would take more trips. I would climb more mountains, swim more rivers, and watch more sunsets. I would do more walking and looking.

I would eat more ice cream and fewer beans. I would have more actual troubles and fewer imaginary ones. You see, I'm one of those people who live sensibly and sanely hour after hour, day after day. Oh, I've had my moments and I'll have it to do over again. I'd have more of them. In fact, I'd try to have nothing else. Just moments, one after another, instead of living so many years ahead each day.

I have been one of those people who never go anywhere without a thermometer, a hot water bottle, a gargoyle, a raincoat, a gas pump, and a parachute. If I had to do over again, I would go places, do things and travel lighter than I have.

If I had my life to live over, I would start barefooted earlier in the spring and stay that way later in the fall. I would play hooky more. I would ride on more merry-go-rounds. I'd pick more

daisies.

How does all that tie in with Memorial Day? Well, I'm a lot like Brother Jeremiah, much too much sensible for my own good. Anyway, last Memorial Day I was asked to chaperone a group of 36 high school students during a backpacking-camping trip on Beaver Island.

I'd been camping before but never backpacking. I'm one of those campers, by the way, who really only enjoys camping when there aren't any bugs, it doesn't rain, there's no dirt and the latrines, if they don't have modern plumbing at least don't smell.

Well when I got to Beaver Island it started out to be beautiful but as we approached the campground it began to sprinkle and then to pour rain and of course that brought the bugs out of hiding along with the mud.

We didn't have enough tents to go around, so this chaponeer bravely agreed to sleep in a makeshift lean-to constructed out of two rain ponchos and some plastic garbage bags.

The latrines did not have modern plumbing, but they didn't smell. One out of four isn't bad.

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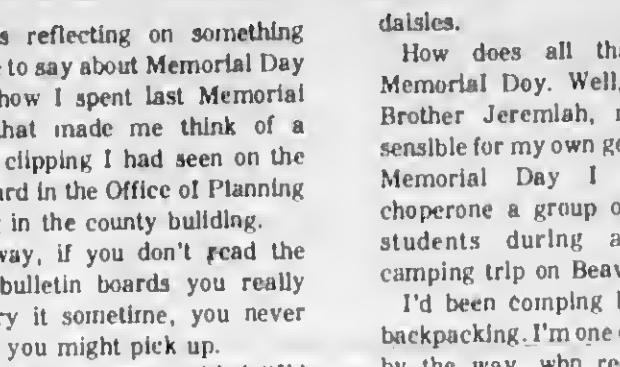
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Paula Holmes...

...Speaking Her Mind



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"Where have you been?" asked my husband as I locked the front door. "To my parent-without-partners meeting."

"Since when are you a single parent?"

"Since Howard Cosell found his voice. Parents-without-partners is a group of 200 women who discuss how we can compete with televised sports. Tonight was an important meeting. We were pressing the heads of networks to either release our husbands from their grip or list them as legally dead so all of us will be free to probate the estates and remarry."

"You talk ridiculous."

"Believe me, we are not talking ridiculous. I read a story where next January, the Super Bowl is going to telecast the game during the dinner hour."

"Of course they are," said my husband. "Why that game is expected to draw the highest ratings since 'Roots.'"

"I don't care if KuntaKinte is playing quarterback, that game is not going to interfere with our dinner again."

"Answer me one question," he said. "Why is it women get so uptight when men watch a football game?"

"We read a poem tonight at the meeting from Melanie Lader in

Erma Bombeck

Nederland, Texas, that says it all. Pay attention."

"When we stood at the altar and said, 'I do.'"

I don't recall a football being too, too. When you needed some help to get your degree.

Did football pitch in? No, friend, it was me.

When you sprained your ankle or got the flu.

Was football around to wait on you? And what did football have to do with the kids who live here and look like you?

Football cares not if you live or you die. Yet I rate so low it rates so high.

When I took your name if I recall, I changed it to Lader, not Mrs. Football."

"You know what you sound like? A jealous shrew. You cannot believe there is something else on this earth that would bring pleasure to a husband, other than yourself."

I tossed him a football. "Okay. Bionic Kidneys, you win. Here's your new roommate. You got four tries to make a first down. Incomplete passes, fumbles, and out of bounds all count."

The wife was six weeks ago. He still hasn't realized I'm gone.

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get arrested for contributing to delinquency and I already gave at home.

But why couldn't a medical man with Dr. Godfrey's credentials look into golf? It would be better if he were a psychiatrist. There is no denying that golf drives people nuts, especially little kids.

Certainly the sanity of this nation's merchants and leaders is as important as the elbow of some little league. How much commerce has been stalled because a duffer has become so

deranged he still believes that, after 30 years of banana balls, he can cure his slice if he just plays enough?

Remember when Spiro Agnew was a breath away from David Frost? Spiro was a celebrity chaser and he was continually playing in golf tournaments with Arnold Palmer. Agnew's game was so lousy that he should have been teeing up at 4 a.m. on drizzly mornings while the rest of the world was safe in bed. But he insisted upon hitting the ball while thousands of star-struck fans surrounded the fairways and looked over his shoulder.

In a Bob Hope tourney, Agnew's first

Meet Charlevoix

...Leona Dean

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we made \$30 a month and, if we were lucky, a couple of hundred dollars in tips at the end of the season. I also worked at other places in Charlevoix, the Hallett House, next to where the Grey Gables is, the Weatherlane, and others.

COURIER: You seem to enjoy being a waitress. Why?

DEAN: For one reason, I like being outdoors during the day, so I work at night. Also, I pick them from under the rocks near the hospital.

COURIER: What do you do when you're not working?

DEAN: Fish. I love to fish, especially for bass. My dog and I go out on the railroad bridge to fish. We have a nice group of people out there. I use white leaches for bait for bass.

COURIER: How much time do you spend here and in Florida?

DEAN: About half and half. I take a month off at each end. COURIER: How do you get back and forth?

DEAN: I drive myself with my dog. It takes me three or four days.

COURIER: Do you have a lot of company in Florida?

DEAN: Everybody has my address and phone number. The college kids go down there and run out of money for lodging. Lots of them visit me. The Pompano Beach house is really my home. I leave all my personal things there. I rent out the Charlevoix house in the winter. This year Stanley Floyd of Beaver Island rented it.

COURIER: Do you have relatives in the area?

DEAN: My sister, Helen Scott, lives here, so do my cousins, Josephine Bindi and Allie Nowakowski. My cousin, Frank Jaskieski, lives in Barnard on my mother's old farm. My son, Ronald, and his family live in Corunna.

COURIER: Do you remember

any exciting incidents in your life?

DEAN: I remember the time, in 1949, when I won a five-and-a-half ounce gold brick at the Prospectors' Development Association convention in Toronto. I couldn't bring it back because we were off the gold standard.

COURIER: What is the crime situation in your area of Florida compared to Charlevoix?

DEAN: Crime here is mild compared to Florida.

COURIER: Do you like to cook?

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DEAN: Sure — Shirley Booth. I've even gotten addressed to "Hazel the 2nd."

COURIER: What do you do when you're not working?

DEAN: Fish. I love to fish, especially for bass. My dog and I go out on the railroad bridge to fish. We have a nice group of people out there. I use white leaches for bait for bass.

COURIER: How much time do you spend here and in Florida?

DEAN: About half and half. I take a month off at each end. COURIER: How do you get back and forth?

DEAN: I drive myself with my dog. It takes me three or four days.

COURIER: Do you have a lot of company in Florida?

DEAN: Everybody has my address and phone number. The college kids go down there and run out of money for lodging. Lots of them visit me. The Pompano Beach house is really my home. I leave all my personal things there. I rent out the Charlevoix house in the winter. This year Stanley Floyd of Beaver Island rented it.

COURIER: Do you have relatives in the area?

DEAN: My sister, Helen Scott, lives here, so do my cousins, Josephine Bindi and Allie Nowakowski. My cousin, Frank Jaskieski, lives in Barnard on my mother's old farm. My son, Ronald, and his family live in Corunna.

COURIER: Do you remember

ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF
CHARLEVOIX PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CHARLEVOIX AND ANTRIM COUNTIES, MICHIGAN
TO BE HELD
JUNE 13, 1977

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual Election of the School District will be held Monday, June 13, 1977, in the Charlevoix Elementary School on Division Street.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK P.M.

At the Annual School Election there will be elected two (2) members to the Board of Education of the district for full terms of four (4) years ending in 1981.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

Wayne E. Boss
Chester Allen Hard, III
C. Max Novak

Willis L. Peters
Constance S. Pointner
Sally K. Taber

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT the following propositions will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the Annual School Election:

I. TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, be increased by .5 mill (\$.50 on each \$100.00 of state equalized valuation) for a period of 5 years, 1977 to 1981, inclusive, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operation of providing additional funds for operation of public library?

II. TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION FOR OPERATING PURPOSES

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, be assessed by 1 mill (\$1 on each \$100.00 of state equalized valuation) for the year 1977, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes?

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Regular Biennial Election of Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District, Michigan, will be held at the same time and at the same voting places as the Annual School Election on Monday, June 13, 1977, and will be conducted by the same school officials for those electors of the intermediate school district residing in this school district.

At the Regular Biennial Election there will be elected three (3) members to the Intermediate School Board of Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District for full terms of six (6) years ending in 1983.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District
Six Year Terms

Fredrick Bruce Bergmann
Clayton Healey
John C. Hramiec
Claire C. Martin
Mary Ann McCullough
Maurice M. Taylor

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

I, Anah H. Potter, Treasurer of Charlevoix County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of April 15, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Charlevoix County:	1 mill, 3 years (1977-79) Grandvue
By Charlevoix Township:	2 mills, 5 years (1975-79) Operation
By Norwood Township:	None
By Hayes Township:	None
By Marion Township:	None
By Eveline Township:	1 mill, 1977 to 1981, inclusive
By the School District:	6.5 mills, 1977 to 1979, inclusive
	8 mills, 1977 and 1978
	\$995,000 Bond Issue voted November 1969
	\$1,595,000 Bond Issue voted April, 1968
Anah H. Potter	
Treasurer, Charlevoix County, Michigan	

I, Phyllis L. Mills, Treasurer of Antrim County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of April 12, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Antrim County:	None
By Banks Township:	4/5 mill
By the School District:	1 mill, 1977 to 1981, inclusive
	6.5 mills, 1977 to 1979, inclusive
	8 mills, 1977 and 1978
By Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate District	1 mill
Phyllis L. Mills	
Treasurer, Antrim County, Michigan	

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education

KENNETH J. BOSS
Secretary, Board of Education

80 students, Glen Taylor honored at awards assembly

More than 80 students were honored by their teachers, principals and peers during the Annual Awards Assembly Wednesday at the Charlevoix High School.

The students also honored one of their teachers during the ceremony. The students dedicated the school yearbook to Glen Taylor, mathematics teacher, for his help and

concern throughout the year. Taylor surprised at the honor was speechless. "You all know that there's one thing I hate to do and that's make speeches," Taylor told the students following a standing ovation. "So I'll just say thank you very much."

The science awards went to Joan Cook, chemistry; Sue Greene, Bausch-Lamb; and Lee Begrow, broken glass. Tom Fowler received the mathematics award and Diane Scharenbroch received the health services award.

Service awards for high school office assistants were given to Nora Lewis, Robyn Pardee, Nancy Podskalny, Theresa Russell, Danya Rothberger and Joe Thumure. Service awards for counseling center assistants were given to Teri Hufferd, Amy Potter, Mary Jo Baker and Barb Mosorayak.

Business education awards went to Jackie Paul and Teresa Bearas and the industrial arts award went to Dave Sonnenberg.

The student council awards went to Kay Curry, Kip Cinnamon and Mark Martin who served as president, vice president and secretary-treasurer of the council.

Honor student awards went to: Tom Fowler, valedictorian; Sue Greene, salutatorian; Kay Curry, Julie Wimmer.



JULIE WIMMER, co-editor of the Charlevoix High School yearbook, announces to Glen Taylor that the yearbook has been dedicated to him.



VANE SMITH CONGRATULATES Tom Fowler, valedictorian, during the awards assembly last week.

Connie Ford chosen Teacher of Year

By LAURA GLASS
Charlevoix High School
Connie Ford, Charlevoix High School speech and forensics coach, has been named Teacher of the Year for her work with the state competitive theater program.

Mrs. Ford was honored during the annual Michigan Week Youth Arts Festival at Central Michigan University along with teachers from across the state in the field of music, art, theater and creative writing. The teachers were selected for the award by members of their various

professional organizations. The speech and forensics coach has been a teacher in the Charlevoix Public School system for nine years. She is director of debate and individual drama events as well as advisor to the school newspaper and yearbook.

Mrs. Ford is the co-chairman of Theater Interpretation for the Michigan Speech Association and a member of the State Committee for Drama Competition under the Michigan Inter-scholastic Forensics Association.

The awards were presented at the end of a day-long program that included what had been selected as the best of student talent in the areas represented by the awarded teachers.

Those students who participated in the program came from among approximately 30,000 state high school students who gained recognition of their debate and forensics talents in festivals, competitions and auditions throughout the past debate season.



Connie Ford

Bill Peters seeks school board seat



Willis Peters

A five-point program is the platform Willis (Bill) Peters is running on for a Charlevoix Board of Education position. If he is elected during the June 13 vote, Peters said he would encourage the school board not to acquire any land for future school sites without a vote from the taxpayers on the issue. The 18-year resident would also try to give the taxpayers a more reasonable cost to repair and modify the present high school.

Peters also said he would "encourage the board to make

sure the 3 Hs are not obscured with Mickey Mouse curriculum such as hanky-panky under the guise of sex education."

He would also make an effort to abolish automatic pay raises to teachers who did not produce results in their classes and he would try to encourage the school board to refrain from taking over more parent's responsibilities such as feeding the students breakfast and lunch.

Peters, who with his wife Helen has six children, said

the priority of the school district should be education and the hiring of the highest moral teachers to impart all curriculum.

Peters, 50, said he was running for school board because he felt the board should have at least two members who have "the guts to stand up to the state, teachers, MEA and administration without backing down on any issue that would take away local control of our schools."

Look at what is new in Charlevoix



DAVID MURRAY, manager of the Wharf Arcade, and Bob Murray, his father, look over the pinball machines in their new business.

Wharf Arcade provides amusement for young, old

Charlevoix residents and visitors will have a chance to become pinball wizards during their spare time from now on.

The Wharf Arcade, located at the foot of Mason Street by the city docks, has opened its doors for business complete with pool tables, pinball, foosball and arcade pieces, David Murray, manager, said.

The 20-year-old

businessman said he got the idea for the arcade when he came to Charlevoix a year ago.

"I saw a lot of kids around town with nothing to do," Murray recalled. "I had been in arcades downstate and I thought it would be a good idea to put one in here."

So with his father Bob Murray, he opened the Wharf Arcade with eight pinball machines, four foosball

games, four pool tables, and four arcade pieces. Murray is still expecting more equipment including an air hockey table.

He also plans to open a concession stand with sandwiches and pop.

The hours of the new arcade are currently noon to midnight. As soon as school is out they will switch to 10 a.m. to midnight.

Keith Dressel Realty opens local office

Charlevoix has become the home of one of six Keith Dressel Realty offices in Northern Michigan.

Bob Maltby is heading up the new office that is located at 100 Park Ave. He works in conjunction with the other five offices in East Jordan, Boyne City, Gaylord, Bellaire and Grayling.

Dressel Realty is a member of the National Board of Realtors and the Water Wonderland Board of Realtors which comprises realtors in

Otsego, Crawford and Cheboygan counties.

The firm is also a member-broker of Electronic Realty Associates (ERA), a nationwide group which specializes in the ability to wire a photo of any home or business any place in the country to prospective buyers of Northern Michigan property.

The firm, which was purchased by Bill Cogwell and Ed Wahlfield of Gaylord from its founder Keith Dressel, started in East Jordan in 1939.



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The store also carries aquariums, plants, macramé materials and some jewelry, according to Marty Hamlin who owns the business with his wife Ginger.

Hamlin said he decided to go into the pet store business because it was something he and his wife always wanted to do.

"It's a new adventure," he said.

Mrs. Hamlin runs the store which is open from 10:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. while Hamlin works at Penn-Dixie Cement plant.

enke, seasonings for salads, meats, hors d'oeuvres, soups, and many other gourmet items.

"We want it to be a nice experience for people to come into our stores," is Holmes' way of expressing his business philosophy.

Both the Apple Tree and the Candy Dock will be open from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Sunday, and from 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday and Saturday. Both are all year-around businesses.



KAREN ADAMS, an employee of the Candy Dock, a new store on Bridge Street, wants you to know that the store is open for business and chock-full of tempting treats.

bridge, has 100 or more varieties of hard and soft candies, salt water taffy, chocolate creams, turtles, licorice strips, button strings,

spoon candy, candy made with honey, candy made with barley sugar and almost anything one could ask for. It is even possibly for young fry to buy a piece of candy for a penny or two.

"The chocolate will be brought in frequently so it will always be fresh," Holmes said.

In addition to candy, the Candy Dock has ears of popcorn, gift-size jars of jellies, jams, and preserves, whole grain natural mixes for gingerbread, muffins, coffee



MICHAEL HOLMES takes a look at the front of his new gift shop The Apple Tree. The store is located on Bridge Street in the former Charlevoix Agency offices.

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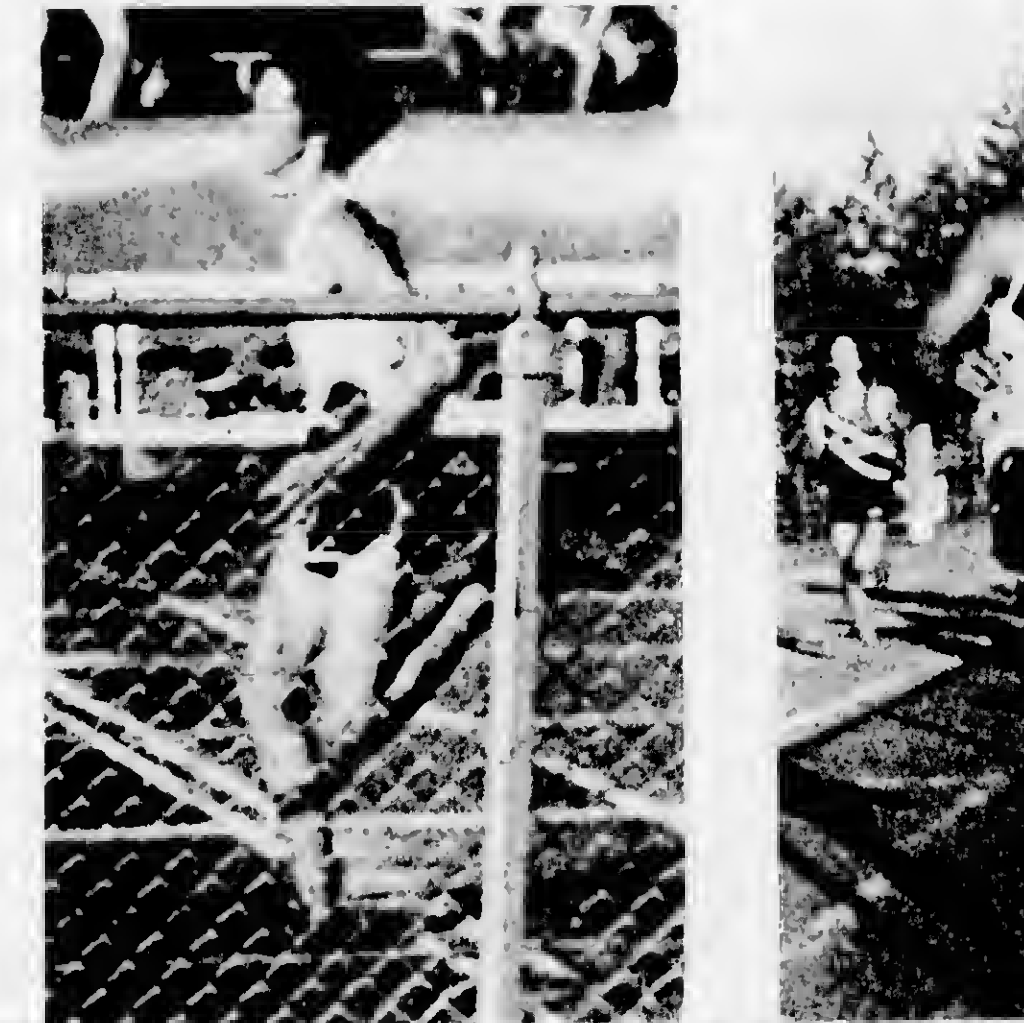
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ED MANN grins his teeth and stretches to cross the finish line during the 880 yard relay. Kerry Speer, Steve Schuch, and Randy Beers competed in the event with Mann.



CONGRATULATING THEIR teammate Ed Mann are Greg Krueger and Dave Tollas. Mann helped bring the 880 relay and the 440 relay to victory during the conference meet.



WALLY DRENTH prepared to go into the last stretch of the two-mile event. Drenth took the event and will also participate in the Class C state meet.



VICTORY WAS well within the grasp of Ed Mann during the 440 yard relay. Mann, Nate Klooster, Greg Krueger and Kerry Speer took the event.

Rayders finish third in conference meet

The Charlevoix Rayder track and field team closed out its season Friday by placing third in the annual Michigan-Huron Shores Conference meet held at Petoskey.

Rogers City won the title with 60 points followed by Petoskey with 55; Charlevoix third with 43.5; Boyne City had 28.5; Gaylord, 26; St. Ignace, 25; Grayling 10; and Cheboygan 8.

The Rayders captured three firsts, the 880 and 440 relays and the two mile.

Point winners for the Rayders follow:
Shot put: 3. Tom Jones.
High Jump: Ned Dziedzic tied for fifth.
Two mile run: 1. Wally Drenth Time: 10:01.5.
300 yd. low hurdles: 2. Matt Doan.
880 yd. relay: 1. Charlevoix (Kerry Speer, Steve Schuch, Randy Beers, Ed Mann) Time: 1:36.5.
880 yd. run: 4. Brian Williams.
100 yd. dash: 2. Dziedzic; 3. Mann.

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Middle school teams win again at track meet

By FRANK MARTIN
Charlevoix's Middle School teams came through with victories again, this time topping St. Ignace and Gaylord in a triangular meet at Kipke field Thursday.

The Charlevoix boys won by a margin of 138 to 58 for St. Ignace and 39 for Gaylord.

Charlevoix girls won by a score of 100 to 63 for St. Ignace and 36 for Gaylord. They also set six new school records and tied a seventh.

Helping to account for Charlevoix's points were the following:

Shot put: 1. Jim Baillargeon; 3. Gary Drury; 4. Joel Schnackenberg. Time: 39.77".
High jump: 2. Scott Johnston; 3. Paul Hoffman.
Long jump: 1. Jay Stevens; 2. Dave Watson. Distance: 17' 9 3/4".
Pole vault: Pete Dunkelberg, three-way tie for third.
880 relay: Charlevoix (Jeff Drury, Bob Dyal, Scott Johnston, Ross Carey). Time: 1:51.0.
880 yd. run: 1. Jeff Novotny; 4. Richard Georgi. Time: 2:35.8.
80 yd. high hurdles: 2. Jay Swartzout; 3. Gary Drury; 4. Andy Schaeffer and Bill Mosher tied for fourth.
Mile run: 1. Jeff Landon; 4. Keith Bales. Time: 5:16.6.
100 yd. dash: 1. Fred Sonnenberg; 2. Jeff Daylong; 3. Tim Louelle. Time: 11.8.
440 yd. run: 1. Bob Dyal; 2. Richard Lent; 4. Dave Buday. Time: 1:04.9.
100 yd. low hurdles: 1. Swartzout; 2. Dave Buday; 3. Margridge; 4. Bill Mosher and Jeff Greene tied. Time: 14.0.
60 yd. dash: 1. Mike Zebnick; 5. Randy Schnackenberg. Time: 7.6.
75 yd. dash: 1. Watson; 2. Carey; 4. Lent. Time: 27.7.
Mile relay: 1. Charlevoix (Jeff Drury, Landon, Dennis Margridge, Johnston). Time: 4:23.0.
440 yd. relay: 1. Charlevoix (Zednick, Daylong, Buday, Schnackenberg). Time: 55.8.
Winners in the girls meet followed with the new records accompanied in parenthesis by the old record:
Shot put: 3. Chris White.
High jump: 1. Amy Kroll who tied the old record; 3. Hope Melpell. Ht. 4'6".
Long jump: 1. Sally Westenberg; 4. Teresa Noiro; 5. Patricia Morgan. Distance: 13'9 3/4".
Mile relay: Charlevoix (Norbert Scharenbrock, Hoffman, W. Drenth, Todd Williams).
880 relay: 1. Charlevoix (Leigh Ann Dyal, Melpell, Debbie Thomure, Tanya Ford). Time: 2:01.5. (2:04).
880 yd. run: 1. Noiro; 3. Cindy Trimmer; 5. Lisa Hoffman. Time: 2:46.1. (2:48).
Mile: 1. Morgan; 3. April Meadows. Time: 6:10.0. (6:16).
100 yd. dash: 2. White; 3. Kroll; 4. Lisa Pischner. 5. Kris Lignell. Time: 12.8 (13.0).
440 yd. run: 1. Thomure; 3. Debbie Lenhart. Time: 1:12.0. (1:12.7).
100 yd. low hurdles: 5. Colleen LaBance.
60 yd. dash: 1. Liz Keller; 4. Ann Hegrow tied. Time: 7.8. (8.0).
70 yd. dash: 2. Westenberg; 3. Lisa Pischner.
220 yd. run: 2. White; 3. Ford; 4. Tammy Currier; 5. Malpeli.
Mile relay: 1. Charlevoix (Brenda Wojan, Morgan, Shelby Junstoue, Lenhart). Time: 5:04.5.
440 relay: 2. Charlevoix (Kroll, Westenberg, Noiro, Keller).

CHARLEVOIX SLOW PITCH ASSOCIATION
Men's League
Wed. June 1
6:00 p.m. Kit Carson vs Fred Taylor, Inc.
7:15 p.m. Eder Auto vs Hawks
8:30 p.m. Wojan Aluminum vs Deetle's G Men
Fri., June 3
6:00 p.m. Towelhouse vs Eder Auto vs Deetle's G Men
7:15 p.m. Medusa vs Fred Taylor, Inc.
8:30 p.m. Hospital vs Kit Carson
Men, June 4
6:00 p.m. Credit Union vs Beebe's G Men
7:15 p.m. Eder Auto vs Eder Auto
8:30 p.m. Wojan Aluminum vs Fred Taylor, Inc.
Wed. June 6
6:00 p.m. Towelhouse vs Kit Carson
7:15 p.m. Medusa vs Hospital
8:30 p.m. Credit Union vs Eder Auto
Women's League
Tues., May 31
6:00 p.m. Village Inn Pizza vs Kusa
7:15 p.m. County State Bank vs Dairy Queen
8:30 p.m. Tin City Asphalt vs Topside
Thurs., June 2
6:00 p.m. Village Inn Pizza vs Ky Fried Chicken
7:15 p.m. County State Bank vs Midco
8:30 p.m. Dairy Queen vs Ky Fried Chicken
Tues., June 7
6:00 p.m. Tin City Asphalt vs Village Inn Pizza
7:15 p.m. County State Bank vs Topside
8:30 p.m. Dairy Queen vs Ky Fried Chicken

CHARLEVOIX TOWNSHIP SLOW PITCH LEAGUE
Men's League
Wed. June 1
6:00 p.m. Murdock's Fudge vs Air Force
7:15 p.m. Tin County Well-Drilling vs Coast Guard
Wed., June 1
6:00 p.m. Air Force vs Chester's Boat Livery
7:15 p.m. McCair's vs Kootenai Construction
Thurs., June 2
6:00 p.m. Murdock's Fudge vs Coast Guard
7:15 p.m. McCair's vs Kootenai Construction
Fri., June 3
6:00 p.m. Air Force vs Coast Guard
7:15 p.m. Tin County Well-Drilling vs Chester's Boat Livery
Wed., June 6
6:00 p.m. McCair's vs V.F.W.
7:15 p.m. Kootenai Construction vs Murdock's Fudge
Senior Boys League
(All games played at 6 p.m.)
May 31 Cummings Plumbing vs Olson's Food
June 1 Hoskins vs Stevens Concrete
June 2 Haggard Plumbing vs Olson's Food
June 3 Haggard Plumbing vs Stevens Concrete
June 4 Cummings Plumbing vs Hoskins Mfg.
June 5 Cummings Plumbing vs Stevens Concrete
June 6 Hoskins Mfg. vs Olson's Food
Major League
(all games played at 6 p.m.)
May 31 Michigan Officeways vs Round Lake Lodge
June 1 Bellows Electric vs Smith Roofers
June 2 Parrel Olds vs Round Lake Lodge
June 3 Michigan Officeways vs Kootenai John Owen
June 6 Round Lake Lodge vs Smith Roofers (4 p.m.)
Bellows Electric vs Michigan Officeways
June 7 Parrel Olds vs Kootenai John Owen
June 8 Smith Roofers vs Michigan Officeways
Girls League
6:00 p.m. May 31 Clothing Co. vs Carey Boat Shop
7:00 p.m. May 31 Literary News vs Thomas Real Estate
6:00 p.m. June 1 First State Bank vs LaBance Insurance
7:00 p.m. June 1 McCullough Siding vs Lake Construction
6:00 p.m. June 2 Paul Bunyan Lanes vs First State Bank
6:00 p.m. June 2 LaBance Insurance vs McCullough Siding
7:00 p.m. June 3 Lake Construction vs Paul Bunyan Lanes
10:00 a.m. June 4 Literary News vs Clothing Co.
7:30 p.m. June 4 Carey Boat Shop vs Thomas Real Estate
6:00 p.m. June 6 McCullough Siding vs Paul Bunyan Lanes
7:30 p.m. June 6 LaBance Insurance vs Lake Construction
6:00 p.m. June 7 Thomas Real Estate vs Clothing Co.
7:30 p.m. June 7 Carey Boat Shop vs Literary News
6:00 p.m. June 8 First State Bank vs McCullough Siding

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Trackmen capture Class C relay title

By FRANK MARTIN
The Charlevoix Rayders came through in great style last week to capture the Class C title in the Petoskey Relays Rogers City was the defending champions.

In winning the title, the Rayders captured three first plus the 7-8 grade relay and a third in the high hurdles.

Participation in the State Class C meet at Ithaca June 4 will close out the track season for this year.

Coach Plas Pencil had only praise for his team that definitely was the underdog going into the meet. "We finally got it all together," he added. Even then, he was without one of his regulars, Neil Dziedzic, who has been ill.

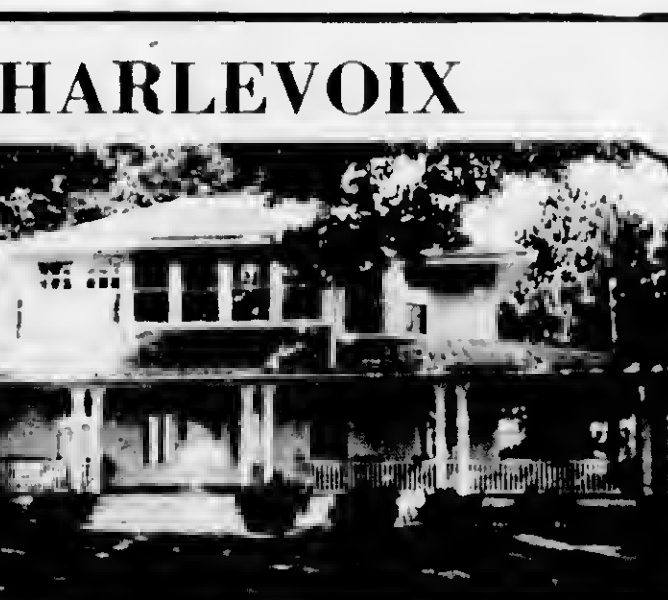
Charlevoix had a total of 51 points followed by Rudyard with 44; Rogers City with 36 and Boyne City with 18. The Hurons and the Hamblers had been strong contenders for the title. Ten teams were entered in Class C. Hale with 54 points was the winner in Class D and Petoskey with 52 points took Class B honors.

Relay teams that captured:

Girls League
1st mile medley (440, 220, 220, 440): Charlevoix (Barney Way, Steve Schuch, Randy Beers, Brian Williams) Time: 2:36.0.
880 yd. relay: Charlevoix (Williams, Schuch, Beers, Ed Mann) Time: 1:36.45.
7-8 grade relay: Charlevoix (Jeff Drury, Fred Sonnenberg, Scott Johnston, Jay Stevens) Time: 50.4.
Teams placing third were the sprint relay, 440 yd. and mile relay teams. They are composed of the following:
Sprint medley (220-110-110-220): Charlevoix (Schuch, Craig Bass, B. Williams, Beers).
440 yd. relay: Charlevoix (Nate Klooster, Greg Krueger, Speer, Mann).
Mile relay: Charlevoix (Norbert Scharenbrock, Hoffman, W. Drenth, Todd Williams).
Boan placed third in the 120 yd. high hurdles.

Little League results
Literary News 24 runs 30 hits Melinda Klooster W.P. Klooster hit over the fence home.
First State Bank 14 runs 10 hits Kim Rhonda, L.P.
McCullough Siding 8 runs 9 hits Rhonda, L.P.
First State Bank 5 runs 6 hits Becky Noiro, W.P. Lake Construction 4 runs 9 hits Holly Taber, L.P.
Paul Bunyan Lanes 15 runs 14 hits John Archery, W.P. LaBance Insurance 3 runs 22 hits Krista Horak, L.P.
Thomas Realty 17 runs 21 hits Bart Schuch, W.P. Carey Boat Shop 9 runs 12 hits Orlan Risch, L.P.
Lake Construction 18 runs 15 hits Tim Klam, W.P. LaBance Insurance 14 runs 14 hits Krista Horak, L.P.
Major League
Smith Roofers 22 runs 30 hits Cole, W.P.
Round Lake Lodge 2 runs 20 hits Paul Pachner, W.P. Parrel Olds 3 runs 10 hits LaBance, L.P.
Round Lake Lodge 10 runs 20 hits John Grotzler, W.P. Bellows Electric 6 runs 20 hits Miller.
Minor League
Medusa 9
Julliet B
Gaskin's Service Station 21
Round Lake Lodge 15
Way Oil 23
Hoskins 15
Hoskins Mfg. 12 runs 8 hits Mark Beaudoin, W.P. Olson's Food 3 runs 2 hits Scott Kelly, L.P.
Stevens Concrete 7 runs 10 hits Mark Morgan, W.P. Cummings Plumbing 9 runs 10 hits Loper, L.P.
Haggard Plumbing 15 runs 11 hits Mark Morgan, W.P. Hoskins Mfg. 3 runs 4 hits John Grotzler, L.P.
Stevens Concrete 19 runs 8 hits Dave Cole Olson's Food 10 runs 7 hits Jack Carlson.

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Rayder girls finish fifth

The Charlevoix girls track and field team finished fifth in the Michigan-Huron Shores Conference meet held Friday at Boyne City.

Charlevoix had 18 1/2 points. Rogers City, with 56 points won the meet with St. Ignace with 49 1/2 placing second. Cheboygan with 47 1/2, third. Petoskey with 24 1/2, and Charlevoix fifth. Boyne City followed with 15 1/2 and Gaylord had 13 1/2.

Accounting for Charlevoix's points in a meet run in unseasonably warm weather that knocked several distance runners out of the races, Chris Jones, a freshman, placed second in the long jump and third in the high jump and Sherrie Selsa took a fourth in the long jump in the field events.

In the individual track events, Chris Culbertson came in fourth in the 220 yd. dash and Maureen Cudd fifth in the 440 yd. dash.

In the relays, Charlevoix (Carmen Ronger, Carole Osterberg, Selsa, Culbertson) placed fourth in the 880 yd. relay; the 440 yd. relay team of Tammy Mitchell, Selsa, Culbertson and

Senior season opens

The Senior League of the Little League program launched its 1977 season Monday night Bill Stevens, vice president of the division, has announced.

Teams in the league and their managers are Olson's Food, Gene Beer; Stevens Concrete, Roy Baymer; Cummings Plumbing & Heating, Ron Cox; Haggard Plumbing and Heating, Gary Spencer and Hoskins Manufacturing, Dave Novotny.

Team rosters follow:
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Historical Society to study old pictures at meet

Two collections of pictures taken in the Charlevoix area during the 1890's will be on display at the meeting of the Charlevoix Historical Society at 8 p.m. Tuesday, June 7, in the Community Room of the First State Bank of Charlevoix.

Edith Gilbert will relate how these pictures were received, and Bob Miles will provide certain historical data. All who are interested in the early history of Charlevoix are invited to view these pictures, and, if possible, contribute information which will be helpful in developing caption material.

Preceding the program, the nominating committee will report on a suggested slate of Society officers for the new fiscal year beginning July 1.



Honored for Service

THE ADMINISTRATION AND FACULTY of the Charlevoix Schools received recognition from Central Michigan University recently for their support of the Student Teacher program in the schools. Dr. Charles Jaquity (right), coordinator for the program in Northern Michigan presented certificates of commendation to Ralph Raymer (left to right), K-5 principal, Sally McNamara, team teaching coordinator, Mercedes Malheis, art instructor and Superintendent James McKinney.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Horvath Carole Jean Pence Weds Paul Horvath

The Community Reformed Church was the scene recently of the early evening wedding of Carole Jean Pence and Paul Horvath of Grand Rapids.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pence of Charlevoix and Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Horvath of Allen Park.

The Rev. Mark Schoon of the Atwood Reformed church officiated at the double ring service in the presence of 150 guests on May 21. Arrangements of yellow and white muslin and carnations and lighted candelabra formed a setting for the ceremony. Lauri Doubtstein of Wayland, accompanied by Dan Robinson on the piano sang "Wedding Song," "Evergreen" and "Only With You."

The bride, escorted to the altar by her father, chose a white gown of tulle and tulle with a high neckline and sheer yoke trimmed with white lace. She carried a single red rose and baby's breath tied with white ribbon. The bride's veil was of tulle and lace, edged with a single red rose and baby's breath tied with white ribbon. The bride's veil was of tulle and lace, edged with a single red rose and baby's breath tied with white ribbon.

The bride is a student and bookkeeper at Grand Valley State College. The bridegroom, graduate of Grand Valley State College, is a professional photographer. Wedding guests were present from Michigan, Illinois, Florida and California. A rehearsal dinner at the Argonne Friday evening was hosted by the bridegroom's parents.

Beekkeepers to hold annual picnic

The Char-Em Beekkeepers Association will hold its first annual picnic Sunday, June 5, at 2 p.m. in Whiting Park on the fronton Ferry Road.

3 bedroom insulated home located on large 100 x 327 ft. lot just 1 1/2 miles from Charlevoix on M-66. Brick front, low taxes. Stove, refrigerator, washer and dryer go with home. All this for only \$29,500.

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HOTLINE
Dial 547-6559

Hotline lets others know what you think. Tell us your opinion on anything by calling 547-6559 anytime after 6 p.m. We need to give your name. Selected opinions will appear each week.

On the question of raising the drinking age, I say "yes" they should.

Another Yes
Yes, I think the legal age for drinking and sale of liquor should be raised.

Shouldn't Have Been Lowered
I wish to express my opinion on the Hotline about the drinking age. It should never have been lowered from 21 to 18. And raising it only one year is hardly worth the trouble. Let's have it back to 21. Giving the 18 year olds the vote was good but lowering the drinking age was not. It was wrong all the way.

Drinking Tragedies
Every summer we are reminded of the tragedies that happen, just one did just recently, when young people are served too much to drink. I'd like to ask if there isn't some degree of responsibility by establishments who continue to serve these young people beyond what they are able to manage. They drive home in their cars with tragic results and it just makes one wonder whether there isn't a certain amount of responsibility with those who are serving people, even though they themselves are not ordering. There should be some ruling on this, some checking on the establishments who practice this.

Yes Again
Yes, I think the drinking age should be raised. I've seen all too often that there are instances where establishments serve young people who are at the legal age and unable to make the judgement of when they have had too much. I believe that unless these places that serve liquor do not start to assume some responsibility for these people, perhaps it is wiser to raise that age so they are at a year where they can make their own wise judgement.

Still Yes
Yes, the legal drinking age should be raised. Why has the age of proscribed alcoholics come lower in recent years?

The Higher, the Better
I say yes to raising the legal drinking age. I don't know if you mean to 19 or the 21, but the higher the better, as far as I'm concerned.

She's for it
I am calling about the drinking age being raised to 19 or 20. I am sure for it. I wish they would raise it because we hear that most of the younger kids are involved in accidents. My daughter is in college and she said it is a pathetic sight the way the young people are drinking in college and don't do their studies. My name is Rosa Rosenthal.

Stroud for Mayor?
Is Oscar Stroud trying to get to be mayor of Charlevoix now that the Charter may go to a vote. He sure acts like it right in front of our Mayor, Ed Hansen, the only one who ever did anything for Charlevoix.

Agrees about dogcatcher
I agree completely with the person that wrote about the dogs running loose in town. It's a real nuisance when you have to go out in your own yard and clean up the mess that another person's dog makes. Especially when you don't own a dog yourself.

What really burns me up is when they get in your garbage and you have to clean it up uses extra garbage bags that don't come free. Plus trying endlessly to tell the owner and they don't listen and won't keep their dog on a leash.

There are a great deal of dogs running around and apparently the owners don't care what happens to their pets. If something isn't done soon, a lot of people are going to start taking care of these dogs in their own way.

In the long run what happened to our money that pays for a dog catcher. Is he always on vacation?

Just Pickups
We get so little for our money here in Charlevoix compared to other communities. I am wondering why the City can't allow for a one month pickup of junk during the month of June, July and August as they do for every spring cleanup. I think it's something that's needed during the summer months when we have a lot of summer visitors here.

Questions About Charter
If you have any questions about the proposed new charter for the City of Charlevoix call or send them in to Hotline and the Charlevoix Courier will relay them to the Charter Commission. Answers will appear in later editions of the Courier. Call 547-6559 after 6 p.m. week nights or all day Saturday and Sunday or write P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, Mich. 49720.

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The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant:

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THE CLASS OF 1977 passed among its friends and relatives as students for the last time Sunday as the 140 members of the class proceeded to their seats at the beginning of commencement exercises. When the students left the gym, they

passed by as high school graduates, an achievement of a goal. More pictures of the ceremony on page 10.

School board seeks approval of another mill

The Charlevoix Board of Education will be seeking approval of an additional 1 mill for operations in Monday's election.

The 1 mill request for one year will permit the board of education to meet the increased costs of school operation due to inflation. The school board would also like to add a special reading service for middle school students to its curriculum. James A. McKinney, superintendent of schools, said.

Following a survey in the middle school, the board of education found that a small percentage of students needed more assistance in reading after the sixth grade, where formal instruction in the subject ends. The proposed program would help students as they advance through seventh and eighth grade.

McKinney pointed out that the school district has operated for two years without an increase in the operational

millage levy. He said this has been possible because expenses were covered by a rise in property values which increased the amount of tax dollars each mill could raise and because of State Aid. The superintendent said it was no longer to cover the increase in the cost of operations with the revenues from these sources.

The average millage levy in the state during the 1976-77 school year was 26.95 mills, McKinney said. The millage rate in the Charlevoix district was 24.35 mills.

The superintendent said the school board has attempted to conduct a sound program in the district with the confidence of the community in the sound management of and the conduct of affairs in the school district. The school board believes the additional 1 mill levy for one year is necessary for the continued operation of a sound program, he said.

Feel free to sign the survey or to send it in anonymously. We appreciate your concern and hope that we will be able to better serve with these comments.

Charlevoix Courier, P.O. Box 117, Charlevoix, Mich. 49720. Or bring the survey in to our offices at 301 Michigan, Charlevoix.

Help us help you.
The Charlevoix Courier staff would like to find out what you like and dislike about the newspaper so we have initiated a readership survey on page 9 of this issue. The survey also appeared on page 2 of the June 1 edition. Please fill out the survey with your comments and criticisms and then mail to:

P.S.

Only one township considering challenge of equalization

By PAULA HOLMES
Harry Griffin, Melrose Township supervisor and assessor, will have to stand alone if he decides to contest the 1977 Charlevoix County equalized valuation.

Griffin contends the factor applied to his township's assessed valuation is unfair and he is thinking about protesting it before the State Tax Commission. No other government unit in the county is considering protesting its assessed valuation.

Melrose Township along with Charlevoix Township, the City of Charlevoix and the City of East Jordan needed factors to value up to 50 percent and to insure the four units were carrying their fair share of the total county assessed valuation, according to Jean Blanchard, county equalization director.

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\$18,000 has been due for more than a year

City working to collect overdue bills

By PAULA HOLMES
"It's a heck of a way to run a railroad," Alderman Joe Morris said.

"I'm concerned about it and we're working on it," Mayor Edward Hansen said.

Both Morris and Hansen were speaking about the City of Charlevoix's accounts receivable. Various residents and businesses owe the city about \$24,000 in overdue bills, which is not too bad for a \$3 million business, according to many businessmen and accountants.

What is bad is that of that \$24,000, approximately three-quarters of the bills or \$18,000 has been due to the city for more than a year.

According to records in the city clerk's office over 84 bills ranging in amounts from \$5 to more than \$3,000 are more than a year overdue to the city.

For 1974, \$4,997 worth of bills are still due with \$7,888 due from 1975, \$7,478 due from 1976 and \$1,377 due as of Feb. 1 for this year.

The largest dollar amount of overdue bills is in the sewer fund with the ambulance service, general fund, electric fund, water fund and cemetery fund right behind it.

More than \$5,000 is still due to the city for sewer work with

struggle to pay their bills. "The city is a business operation. We could have had that money due us invested and earning interest for us."

"The longer we wait to collect these bills the more difficult it will be. We need a system for collecting these accounts receivable."

Mayor Hansen said he had been working on collecting several of the overdue accounts and had collected more than \$30,000 in back bills this

year. The mayor said quite a few of the bills were in question and he is working to get them cleared up and collected.

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department and file a fee by June 12. They also sent a letter to the equalization department saying that I was planning a protest.

"The letter was really just an inquiry, but since all this has happened I've been getting a lot of telephone calls from township residents saying they're glad I'm doing it."

Griffin said the factor recommended in the equalization report added 7 percent to township assessed valuation.

"I'm considering protesting because there will be properties in the township over 50 percent assessed valuation when the 7 percent factor is added on top of the present valuation," he added.

Griffin said he had an experienced board of review that knew what it was doing. He said \$300,000 had been to the township's valuation and that the board of review agreed

with that amount.

Mrs. Blanchard said the outcome of the appeal of county equalization could result in one of three things. The county assessed valuation may remain the same, Melrose Township may be increased in its assessed valuation and all other units in the county lowered or Melrose Township could be lowered and all other units will be raised.

The equalization director said the burden of proof in the case would be on the township and its assessor. She said the case would involve several trips to Lansing for both sides and would cost taxpayer's money.

Mrs. Blanchard said there had never been an appeal of county equalization since she joined the department. She has been with the department 13 years—three years as assistant director and 10 years as director.

A second interview will be held at 8:15 p.m. Wednesday

Community Calendar

Wednesday, June 8
 Charlevoix Board of Commissioners will meet at county building annex 9:30 a.m.
 Norwood United Methodist

Charles Bellinger.
 Margaret Parker circle will meet at First Congregational church 1:30 p.m. Hostesses: Mrs. Ervin Racine and Mrs. Everett Hartel.

Charlevoix Chapter of the Michigan Association for the Blind will meet at the Community Room, First State Bank, 7:30 p.m.
 Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at hangar room 8 p.m.
 Charlevoix Lodge No. 293, I.O.O.F., will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.
 Charlevoix Band Boosters will sponsor a homemade soup and salad luncheon at the American Legion post home 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m. Cost: \$2.25 with proceeds going to underwrite the cost of the recent band trip to Lansing.

TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towsley, Loeb Rd., 6 p.m.
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Thursday, June 9
 Auxiliary of the Grandview Medical Care Facility will meet at the Facility at 2 p.m.
 American Legion Auxiliary will meet at the post home 8 p.m.
 Y.F.W. will meet at the post home 8 p.m.
 Great Pines chapter, Retired School Personnel, will meet at Elm Point near East Jordan 2 p.m. Mrs. Clara Sinclair, President, Michigan Association of Retired School Personnel, will be the guest speaker.

Friday, June 10
 School's out... the final day of the 1976-77 school year.
 Al-Anon Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.
 Saturday, June 11
 TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towsley, Loeb Rd., 6 p.m.

House will open on ground floor of Kentucky Fried Chicken building overlooking Round Lake 9 a.m. Live entertainment Saturday evening. (see story)

Sunday, June 12
 Charlevoix County Humane Society will sponsor a "Fun Match" for AKC registered dogs at area adjacent to Animal Shelter at 1000 Grant St. Registration: 10 a.m.-12:30 p.m.; Judging: 1 p.m.
 Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.

Monday, June 13
 School Election in Charlevoix School District to elect two trustees to Charlevoix Board of Education and vote on two millage issues, renewal of 5 mill for five years for Charlevoix public library and 1.0 mill for one year for operational purposes. Polls at K-5 school on Division ave. will be open from 7 a.m.-8 p.m. Deadline for absentee ballots: 2 p.m. June 11.
 Char-Em Intermediate School District election to elect three trustees to the Char-Em Board of Education. Voters in the Charlevoix school district will vote at the K-5 school, Division ave. 7 a.m.-8 p.m.
 Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club Auxiliary Family potluck at clubhouse 6:30 p.m. followed by business meeting 8 p.m.
 Women's Guild of the Charlevoix Area Hospital will meet at the hospital 8 p.m.
 Charlevoix District Board of Education will meet at Service Center, Merger Blvd., 8 p.m.
 Tuesday, June 14
 Charlevoix Garden Club will meet with Mrs. Albert

Edwards Wickensham Rd. 1 p.m. Co-hostess: Mrs. J.A. Zinn; Program: Mrs. Charles Heha, "Japanese Culture."
 Charlevoix Rehearsal Lodge will meet at American Legion post home at 8 p.m.

Wednesday, June 15
 Charlevoix Chapter No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet at the Masonic Temple 8 p.m.
 TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towsley, Loeb Rd. 6 p.m.

Thursday, June 16
 Charlevoix Chapter No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet at the Masonic Temple 8 p.m.
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Friday, June 17
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Saturday, June 18
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Sunday, June 19
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 TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towsley, Loeb Rd. 6 p.m.

Council sets city salaries
 The Charlevoix Common Council set salaries for nonunion personnel at its meeting May 31.
 At the recommendation of the Salary Commission, the council approved \$50 raises for five positions. The new salaries are: fire chief, \$10,900 up from \$10,650; police chief, \$13,450 up from \$12,600; waste water plant superintendent, \$13,200 up from \$12,350; city attorney, \$7,400 up from \$6,550; and city assessor \$11,350 up from \$10,500.
 The city administrator's salary was left at \$17,000 with no increase. The commission said that since the new administrator Allen Sandberg had only been in the job for five months that a raise was not warranted.



MARK RUSSELL of Charlevoix High School, Jeff Johnston, Charlevoix Middle School, and Jeff Orenth of Charlevoix High School, were the first three participants in the Big Brothers, Big Sisters Walkathon to complete the 32-mile course. The boys received prizes this week for their top place finishes.



NANCY WOOD, of Big Brothers, Big Sisters, hands a transistor radio to Alan Bergmann of the Charlevoix Middle School. Bergmann won the radio through a drawing. All of the participants in the recent Big Brothers, Big Sisters Walkathon were eligible for the prize.

City to get more CET A men
 The City of Charlevoix had a pleasant surprise recently. The city found out it would be receiving enough CET A (Comprehensive Employment and Training Act) funds to employ seven workers instead of the four workers the city had planned on hiring, Allen Sandberg, city administrator, said.
 Sandberg said four workers will be used to complete the project at Lake Michigan Beach park and the additional three men will be used to look after the newly planted shade trees and the golf course as well as working on other projects.
 Sandberg said 11 participants in the four workers the city had planned on hiring, Allen Sandberg, city administrator, said.
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Births
 Mr. and Mrs. Joe Powell of Charlevoix are the proud grandparents of a new granddaughter Abigail Ruth, born May 6 to Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Jenex of Grand Rapids. Mrs. Jenex is the former Debby Powell.
 Paternal grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. Al Jenex of Rives Junction.



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Powells have new granddaughter
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Charter commissioners explain changes

To help Charlevoix residents become acquainted with the proposed new charter, the Charlevoix Courier will be offering a series of four articles discussing the charter beginning today.
 The articles will contain condensed versions of various parts of the proposed charter, which were written by the charter commission and have been distributed throughout the city, followed by comments from Richard Fichtman, charter commission chairman, and John Michael, charter commission member, about the thinking behind the recommended changes in the charter.
 In the remaining weeks before the special election of the proposed charter July 12, the Courier will also be carrying letters to the editor supporting or opposing the new charter and a question and answer column containing questions most often asked about the proposed charter.
 Writing a charter is no easy thing. It took the nine members of the Charlevoix Charter Commission approximately 75 meetings to complete work on the proposed new charter.
 Those 75 meetings involved approximately four months of educational preparation before the commissioners started to write the charter with the remaining 20 months or so spent in the actual writing and rewriting of the document.
 During the educational period, the charter commissioners, who were elected to their posts, listened to comments about city government from officials from Charlevoix and other cities. These people included Mayor Ed Hansen, Robert Westfall, former acting city administrator, and Ida Heise, former city clerk. Others were: Tom Garlock, Boyne City Clerk, Richard Gorman, Petoskey city manager, and Larry Savage, Traverse City manager.
 The commissioners also read materials from the Michigan Municipal League and the charters of Mt. Pleasant, Boyne City, St. Joe, Garden City, Traverse City and Scottville. They also visited Petoskey to see how the ward conventions operated.
 The results of their hard work, which was all at their own expense, follows.
ARTICLE 1—Establishment of City Government
 The City has the comprehensive home rule power conferred upon it by the Michigan Constitution.
 The first article basically switches Charlevoix from a Fourth Class City to a Home Rule City, Fichtman explained. He said that fourth class cities operate under a charter set up by the state legislature in the 1800s.
 Home rule cities, on the other hand, write their own charters must include certain things mandated by the state legislature. Michael added that a great majority of the cities in Michigan have elected to switch to a home rule-type city.
ARTICLE 2—Form of Government
 The form of government provided for in this Charter shall be known as the council-manager plan.
 The Council shall consist of six members, two elected from each of the wards of the City on a nonpartisan basis by the electors of the City at large. Charlevoix members shall be elected for a period of two years.
 At the first meeting in January of each year, the Council shall elect one of its members to serve as Mayor and one of its members to serve as Deputy Mayor, each to serve for a period of one year.
 The Mayor shall be the president of the Council for all purposes and shall have other duties as prescribed by this Charter. The Mayor shall preside at all meetings of the Council and shall have an equal vote and vote in all proceedings of the Council.
 A vote of the Council shall constitute rejection of the issue voted upon.
 Any elected official provided for in this Charter may be recalled by the voters of the City.
 Meetings of the Council shall be held at least twice each month.
 Council and its members shall deal solely through the City Manager with officials and employees of the City whom the City Manager is empowered to appoint or remove.
 The Council shall not have the power to sell, divide, lease, petition, plat, subdivide or dispose of any City park or real estate lying within 100 feet of Lake Michigan, Round Lake, or Lake Charlevoix unless approved by a majority of the electors of the City voting at an election.
 Fichtman said the charter commission selected the council-manager form of government because it was looking for a corporate structure for city government.
 "Under the corporate structure you have one man that is responsible to the board of directors, which sets policy," Fichtman said.
 "With the council-manager form of government, the council is the board of directors and the city manager is responsible to them."
 The commission chairman said the group had considered the mayor-council form of government, which the city has now, and the commission form of government.
 "With the mayor-council form of government, the

mayor can countermand what the council told the city manager to do," Fichtman explained. "We wanted to make sure that wouldn't happen."
 "With the commission form of government, I am always reminded of the story about the camel. A camel is a horse put together by committee," Michael pointed out that the city is a \$3 million business and needs to be run like a business. He said the city manager under the proposed charter would act as the president of the corporation with the council acting as the board of directors and the residents acting as stockholders.
 The charter commission member also pointed out that the council can not sell any public land without the vote of the people under the provisions of this article.
 "This was written well before the thing with the Beaver Island Boat Company came up," Michael said. "It was written to protect the people. The lake property is too valuable to be lost without it being the people's choice."



Charlevoix Yesterday
 SINCE JUNE is traditionally the month of weddings, we are printing here a display of wedding gifts at the Parnassus Butters wedding in 1885. First names of the bride and bridegroom are not mentioned. Does any reader know them? Close study of the picture reveals a ring, a tea set, pieces of silver, including a spoon holder, an oil painting, a vase, "throw", crocheted coverlet and pillow, framed mirror, oil painting, knick knacks, and several books. Books, especially those with line bindings, were once popular wedding gifts because they helped to fill the ever present bookshelves.

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 Mercer, who recently celebrated his 30th birthday, came to Charlevoix County as Director of Planning in September, 1971 after working for two years as a planner for Williams & Works, Consulting Planners in Grand Rapids. He is the County's first planner.
 During his career in Charlevoix, Mercer authored the Charlevoix County Zoning Ordinance, which was defeated in a referendum in 1973, and has since then prepared the Zoning Ordinance for East Jordan.
 Mercer also prepared the Charlevoix County Comprehensive Plan, City of Charlevoix Community Facilities Plan, Township of Charlevoix Comprehensive Plan, Model Subdivision Control Ordinance, Boyne City Sign Ordinance, Charlevoix County Survey, Charlevoix County Recreation Plan, Charlevoix County Sign Control Study, Charlevoix County Mobile Home Study, and the East Jordan Comprehensive Plan. He is a member of the Governor's Zoning Advisory Committee to Michigan's Office of Land Use and the



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Editorials/Opinions

Many exciting challenges face 1977 graduates in their futures

Graduation from high school is an exciting time of life. It is a time of new beginnings, a milestone, a coming of age. Graduation is a time like no other.

Charlevoix High School graduates should be proud of their accomplishments and they should look forward to what life may bring them—further education at the college or trade school of their choice or an entrance into the work force.

But the Class of 1977 and their parents should remember that the students are leaving the familiar surroundings of high school and the educational system that has occupied most of their life for 13 years at a time unlike any other in the history of this nation.

The Class of 1977 is one of the few high school graduation classes in the last 50 years that has graduated during a time of peace. Our nation is not involved in conflict anywhere on the globe and graduating students do not have to worry about their future being interrupted by a call to serve the nation.

However, high school and college graduates across the nation will have to face a battle of a different kind. They must fight an energy crisis that is forcing citizens of the United States to make changes in their lifestyles just as any military battles.

No longer is the United States the land of plenty without end. Studies show that in addition to

oil and natural gas, the world is also fast running out of several other natural resources.

And as resources and energy sources dwindle, jobs in our country's jobbing nation are also diminishing with record high unemployment rates the result.

That looks like pretty dismal prospects for the new graduates. But it doesn't have to look so dismal. In the new graduate we may find the answers to some of these problems.

The new graduate has a fresh approach to life and to its problems. As the graduates gain more education and more skills some of them will no doubt confront these problems of an energy and natural resource shortage.

Perhaps the scientists in the group will discover new synthetic elements to replace the one the world is fast running out of. The mechanics among this new crop of graduates may uncover a means of conserving energy or of efficiently and economically harnessing sun, wind and water.

Perhaps these mechanics will also come up with a means of making our automobiles more efficient, too. The philosophers in the group may be able to change our thinking and bring us around to a more energy conscious attitude.

The future is not dismal for the new graduates. It is bright with prospects and benefits for us all.

Paula Holmes...

...Speaking Her Mind

Cancer. What an ominous word and terrible disease.

People seem to know innately that the word can only mean the worst and yet at the same time people don't seem to really be aware of what the disease is and what it can do until cancer strikes home.

Statistics predict more than one-half million people will be diagnosed as having cancer of some sort this year. Yet very few people take the time to learn what the warning signals are for the dreaded disease. The statistics also show that of six people who will die of cancer this year, four could have been saved if they had detected the cancer earlier.

Cancer struck my family many years ago while I was in my early teens. A doctor discovered that my father had skin cancer, a relatively mild version of cancer which is usually curable.

The cell destroying disease had already started spreading by the time it was discovered my father had it, however, and he had to go to the hospital to have some tissue as well as the mole removed from his chest and his side underneath his ribs.

I didn't know what the word cancer

meant at that time, but I knew it was bad because of the reaction around my home. How bad I didn't know until I came home one day after my father had returned from the hospital. Pale and drawn, he was sitting at the dining room table, himself and not himself in my young eyes.

Since that time, Dad and the rest of the family have been very much aware of cancer and some of its warning signals. Dad has been in and out of the doctor's office for checkups and he has watched for signs of the disease himself.

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Clockwise

by Bob Clock

If the Social Security fund is going broke, the United States might well look into tightening up some extremely liberal regulations that allow foreigners to work as little as six years in the U.S., return home and live like King Tut on Social Security pensions averaging \$200 a month.

The situation becomes even more interesting when Joe Immigrant returns home, marries the village floozy, spawns a half a dozen kids and dies. His widow and progeny—although they have never set foot on U.S. soil—will remain beneficiaries of U.S. Social Security until the youngest child reaches 18. If the widow is 62 at this juncture, she will continue to receive SS benefits until she dies.

How did we get in to such a mess? It wasn't difficult, Uncle Sam being the big-hearted buffoon that he is.

Obviously in the beginning there had to be a minimum time for anyone to make contributions before being eligible for Social Security, not only for those who were nearing retirement age when the plan went into effect in 1937 but also for classifications of employees who were admitted to membership in the plan over the years.

So the powers that be decided on six years—or 24 quarters, or however you choose to break it down. There were bound to be some inequities at the start-up and whenever new members of relatively advanced age became eligible for membership. But they appeared inevitable.

Furthermore, shucks-holy-moses-golly-gee, we all belong to the same club don't we? We were all born under the same flag, and we've all paid our taxes and done time in the army, right? Wrong! The Social Security drafters either didn't consider the impact of immigration, or they did and found it to be so minuscule that it was not worth

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special provisions in the law. So immigrants are treated just the same as U.S. citizens under the Social Security system.

As a result, a fellow could live and work in Italy or Poland until he is 59 years old, move to the United States to ply his trade for six years, and return to the old country as a pensioner with handsome Social Security checks showing up in his mailbox every month.

From this corner, the system appears patently unfair. To native born Americans who pay Social Security taxes from boyhood until advanced old age. To allow the nationals of other countries to work here for as little as six years before drawing benefits is a rip-off of the first order.

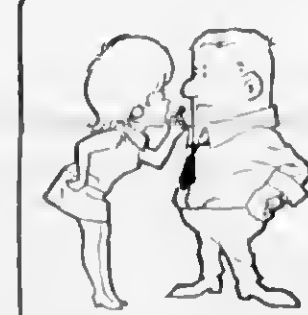
Of course, it is too late to do anything about the thousands of foreign nationals now drawing benefits. We already have made our promise to them and we must keep it.

However it is not too late to change the Social Security law to prevent other short time immigrants from making a sucker of Uncle Sam.

I propose that immigrants be required to work at least 25 years under Social Security before they become eligible for benefits. Then, if Joe Immigrant wants to return to his homeland to spend his declining years, well and good. At least he has paid his way.

Immigrants who arrive in the U.S. too late to work a full 25 years should either be made exempt from the Social Security law or they should contribute while they are here and be reimbursed the amount of their contributions and nothing more when they leave.

The present situation not only is unfair to the average American worker but makes the United States government appear totally irresponsible in the eyes of the outside world.



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If it Fittz

by Jim Fitzgerald

As my wife would surely tell you, I am usually a sweet, even-tempered fellow. But there are a couple of things that really bug me.

Michigan Secretary of State Richard Austin wants to sell me a magazine subscription so I will know the best places to hunt and fish. I want Austin to sell his stuff.

Stuffers are the advertising messages regularly stuffed inside the envelopes with bills from the gasoline companies. All I want to know is how much I owe for gas. But Standard Oil wants me to know I can use their credit card to buy a microwave oven for only \$20 a month for the rest of my life.

It isn't only the gasoline companies who surround their monthly bills with brochures full of sales pitches. All types of merchants use the gimmick to sneak their advertising into your view. Finding your bill in all that clutter is similar to looking for the ace of spades in a deck of cards. You just keep dealing until you come to it.

The crafty advertisers know you can't simply dump their fat envelopes into the trash unopened, along with the regular junk mail. There is a bill in there somewhere and it must be found

and paid, lest your life-style be repossessed. While looking for the bill you might fall victim to a four-color picture of a 52-piece leisure suit.

That's the American way. Salesmanship made this nation great. You might find it irritating, but you don't have to buy. That envelope full of buckshot doesn't have to cost you a cent more than if your bill had arrived nude. Stand firm, and quit your bellyaching.

But wait. Here comes a notice from the secretary of state. He says my driver's license will soon expire. Fair enough. That's what we taxpayers are paying him to do. However, there is something else in the envelope.

It's a sales pitch. "Have We Got a Colorful Magazine for You." It says in 5 colors, "Michigan's Best Outdoor Magazine," published by the Department of Natural Resources. I can get 6 issues for \$5, 12 for \$9, or 18 for \$13. Money back guarantee.

This is no irritation from a gasoline company. This is self-flagellation. I am irritating myself. As a taxpayer, I am paying state employees to stuff subscription advertising into envelopes with license-renewal notices.

Letter to the editor

Ratigan corrects article

Dear Editor:

For any readers who might not have read the correction themselves, the following lines in the June 1st Courier article about my third edition (Edmund Fitzgerald) of Great Lakes Shipwrecks & Survivals, properly referred to the 36-foot Coast Guard Boat and not the C.G. Cutter Sundew.

"I saw the little (vessel) try to go out into the Lake against the waves. The boat stood still as if it had hit a stone wall."

Obviously the Sundew is neither little nor stoppable by a mere stone wall, of whatever construction, ice or steel. I saw her go out into the raging seas (along with uncounted other Charlevoix watchers) shortly after the brave 36-footer had to return to harbor.

With a hastily recalled skeleton crew, the doughty icebreaker cut into the storm had killed a ship more than three times her size and, in the roaring wilderness of darkness lit by an occasional flare, she stayed out there all night in a hopeless search that finally rescued the only two survivors at dawn.

A gallant ship and a proud crew—our very own SUNDEW.

Wm. Ratigan
Charlevoix

Want to Write to Your Men in Lansing or DC?

Want to write your man in Washington or Lansing? Here are the addresses of the two U.S. Senators and the U.S. Congressmen from Michigan, the State Senator and the two State Representatives from the Charlevoix Courier's circulation area.

U.S. SENATORS—Donald Riegle (D), 438 Federal Bldg., 231 Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich., 48223; Robert Griffin (R), 1039 Federal Building, 231 Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich., 48233. In Washington D.C., write to the U.S. Senate, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

U.S. CONGRESSMAN—Rep. Philip Ruppe (R), Woodland Road, Houghton, Mich., 49931; or the U.S. House of Representatives, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

STATE SENATOR—Robert Davis (R), 351 E. Fourth St., Gaylord, Mich., 49735; or State Senate Chambers, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE—103rd District—Lupoli Osting (R), Route 2, Box 475H, Roscommon, Mich., 48653; 106th District—E. Dan Stevens (R), Atlanta, Mich., 49709. The representatives may also be reached at the House of Representatives, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

We suggest you clip and save this for future reference.



Erma Bombeck

The quickest way I know to be by myself is to walk out of a beauty shop. Here I am—my hair of a halo of sprayed confection... perfectly coiffed and immune to wind. At the peak of my wonderfulness, the streets look like the quiet before an ambush. There are no signs or sounds or human activity... all forms of transportation have ceased. The wind rustles through the cornucopia that goes with being alone.

Let me stop outside of the house with cutlery and it's like an episode out of "This is Your Life."

Old girlfriends of my husband's appear like an apparition and say, "So you're Erma." New neighbors introduce themselves and make a quick exit saying, "We'll call you. We're not in the book." My husband appears during his working hours with a camera and the kids to take the picture for our Christmas card. A boy who was quite serious about me in high school recognized me and looks relieved when I tell him I found someone else. The minister drops by to bless the house—and everything in it. My son's teacher appears to talk with me about his grubby appearance, and then thinks better of it. The Avon Lady makes an appointment—for an estimate.

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Letters to the editor

Supports legalizing Laetrile

To The Editor:

Having read the news article "Laetrile is a cure for cancer" by Paula Holmes, I thought that a few comments were in order.

State Senator Welborn is correct when he stated that "Laetrile is a freedom of choice issue." The Food and Drug Administration lacks Constitutional authority to prevent people from using Laetrile. This is but another example of "Big Government" hiding rough shod over the people with total disregard for their rights.

Laetrile is not a cure for cancer. The proponents of Laetrile have never claimed it to be a cancer cure, but have said that it is the best weapon against cancer since it is not toxic and can control cancer.

The effectiveness of Laetrile depends on the type of cancer and the degree of malignancy. Effectiveness also depends on adhering to a strict diet and the taking of digestive enzymes, vitamins and minerals, as needed.

Some inaccuracies of fact were presented in your Laetrile article. It was stated that "test conducted by the National Cancer Institute and Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center have turned up no evidence that Laetrile is a cancer fighting drug."

Dr. Dean Burke, a man who spent 45 years doing cancer research, who helped found the National Cancer Institute and who for many years was the head of the Institutes Cytochemistry Division, has stated time and time again that the truth is not being told about Laetrile. Dr. Burke has further stated that Laetrile tests conducted at NCI gave positive results on animals and should be used on people.

At Sloan-Kettering, Dr. Kanematsu Sugita obtained positive results in using Laetrile on mice in 1974. Thousands of people have testified that they have been helped by Laetrile. No one I don't think that a person who goes to a Laetrile treatment clinic on a stretcher or in a wheel chair and comes walking out of the clinic a month or two later is only imagining that their condition has improved.

There have been just too many people who have claimed Laetrile helped them to say that it is quackery. Dr. Ernst Krebs Jr., the man most responsible for developing Laetrile was recently sentenced to six months in jail for testifying at the FDA hearing on

Laetrile in Kansas City. Dr. Krebs had been under a court gag order not to promote Laetrile, but he thought it was more important to testify in Kansas City, than remain silent on the issue. Just how rotten can our government get?

The comments of Dr. Pettit concerning Laetrile are mere speculation, I would like to see him document just a fraction of everything that he stated about Laetrile.

A widely known area man is undergoing a new cancer treatment that does not have the blessing of the FDA or the AMA. This treatment appears to be the best weapon against cancer and may well be the final solution for a cancer cure. The treatment is not toxic so cannot kill a person like so much chemotherapy does. FDA harassment has driven the clinic out of the country. Every person who is concerned about their personal liberties should write to their U.S. Senators and Representatives urging them to pass the Medical Freedom of Choice Bill. People should also write to their State Senator and Representatives urging them to legalize Laetrile in Michigan.

I am enclosing the main portion of the reply I received from Congressman Philip Ruppe in regards to the Medical Freedom of Choice Bill now pending before the U.S. House of Representatives.

"I knew you would want to know that I have co-sponsored the Medical Freedom of Choice Bill, H.R. 4061. I share your belief that as long as a drug is proven safe and is properly labeled, it should be made available to patients and physicians who wish to use it. In addition to the basic question of the right of individuals to exercise freedom of choice of safe medical treatment, there is considerable evidence that interest problems at FDA and overly stringent product requirements under the law have made it virtually impossible to meet efficiency standards in a timely fashion. Hence, this country suffers from a "drug lab" as compared to other developed nations."

Amysgoldin, also known as Laetrile and B-17 is on the government's "Generally Recognized As Safe" list of additives.

G.E. Ohmer
Rt. 1
Charlevoix

Generosity abounds here

To The Editor:

The generosity, cooperativeness and enthusiasm of the people of Charlevoix County is unlike any other locale. I found this evident during the recent American Cancer Society campaign.

I express my deepest gratitude to every person in Charlevoix County who served in the following capacity: City Chairmen, Rural Chairmen and Business Chairmen. Captains, Crusade workers, donations to the bake sale and to those who sold tickets for the T.V. Drawing and the Grocery Drawing. A special thank you to Mr. Louis Hollow and the First State Bank of Charlevoix, Charlevoix County State Bank, V.F.W. Post, American Legion, Grey Gables Inn, Olson's Food Store, Charlevoix Floral, McPhillips Flying Service, Puff's Appliance, Charlevoix High School student council and Charlevoix school and business.

The campaign received exceptional publicity from the Charlevoix Courier with the wonderful assists of Miss Paula Holmes and Mr. Bob Clock of the Petoskey News-Review. I also express gratitude to WVOY and WJML radio stations for the excellent coverage they gave.

To all the people who served under these capacities I say a special "thank you" for your willingness to give unselfishly of your time by going out and soliciting funds for the American Cancer Society.

All of these were a vital part of the success of the drive, but without the contributions from the business, schools and residents our efforts would have been in vain. I am especially proud that the people of Charlevoix County are still carrying on the fine tradition of helping their fellow man through such worthy causes.

My sincere thanks for your excellent support in making our drive a success.

Mrs. Gerald (Patty) Munia
Charlevoix County
Crusade Chairman

Ruppe representative here today for comments

U.S. Congressman Philip Ruppe's lower Peninsula district representation will hold office hours from noon to 1 p.m. in the Charlevoix County building lobby on June 8.

Any area citizen wishing to discuss a matter involving the Federal government is invited to talk with Jerry Newhouse during the scheduled office hours.

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Meet Charlevoix

...Marilyn Blauman

Marilyn Blauman is Clerk Magistrate in the 9th District Court in Charlevoix. This week the Courier talks with her about her work and a few other things.

COURIER: How long have you held this job?

BLAUMAN: I was appointed by Judge Fershee June 11, 1976. I came to District Court as a Deputy Clerk May 9, 1975.

COURIER: Are you the first woman Magistrate we've had in Charlevoix County?

BLAUMAN: As far as I know, yes.

COURIER: There are other Magistrates in the County, aren't there?

BLAUMAN: Yes, Howard Johnson in Boyne City, and Gilbert Sturgell in East Jordan.

COURIER: What other jobs have you held?

BLAUMAN: I started out working for Vickers, Inc. in Detroit after high school. Then I attended the IBM Institute, graduated from there and worked there for a year. In 1963, I went to work for the Municipal Court in Berkley for four and a half years. After that I married and moved up here and was a "domestic engineer" for a while.

COURIER: What are your duties as Magistrate?

BLAUMAN: Many. All felonies are brought before the Magistrate to post bond. The Magistrate arraigns and sentences people for misdemeanors on plea of guilty or nolo contendere. This includes traffic violations, Conservation Act violations concerning hunting and fishing, Marine Safety Act violations, Motor Carriers Safety Act violations, snowmobile violations, dog law violations, minors in possession of alcohol, furnishing alcohol to minors, consumption of alcohol on a public highway, littering of property and waters — to name a few.

COURIER: What happens when a defendant pleads not guilty?

BLAUMAN: He is set for arraignment in District Court. Felons are then either bound over to Circuit Court or dismissed, rarely the latter. All misdemeanor cases are handled entirely in District Court.

COURIER: What do you do as Court Clerk?

BLAUMAN: I'm the administrator. I oversee the office, train personnel, keep

records, report to the State Court Administrator each month, keep the bank accounts, and turn money over to the County Treasurer at the end of each month.

COURIER: How much money did you turn over to the County last year?

BLAUMAN: Over \$74,000. We also sent almost \$15,000 to the State Library Fund.

COURIER: When fines and costs are assessed, how are they divided up?

BLAUMAN: By State law, they are divided one-third fine and three-fourths costs.

COURIER: You seem to like your work.

BLAUMAN: I do, because it's interesting and varied. I fill in for the Court Recorder and other people so I know how they all operate. I call in jurors selected by the Jury Board, swear them in and see

that they appear on time. I perform marriage ceremonies — 20 of them in the last year. I issue search warrants and suspend driver's licenses. There are so many things, I know I haven't mentioned some of them.

COURIER: Are you a native of Charlevoix?

BLAUMAN: No, I grew up in Royal Oak and went to school there. My family, the Stonehams, moved up here in 1964. I have six sisters and three brothers and they all live around here except one sister who lives in Pontiac.

COURIER: What about your own family?

BLAUMAN: My husband Richard and I have five sons, ages 19 to 23, but only Tom is home now. He works for the City of Charlevoix.

COURIER: Where do you live?

BLAUMAN: In Hayes Township. We have two palomino horses, chickens, a dog, cats and a garden.

COURIER: Do you have any hobbies?

BLAUMAN: Horseback riding, golfing, and fishing

ANNUAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF ANNUAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF CHARLEVOIX PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CHARLEVOIX AND ANTRIM COUNTIES, MICHIGAN
TO BE HELD
JUNE 13, 1977

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that the Annual Election of the School District will be held Monday, June 13, 1977, in the Charlevoix Elementary School on Division Street.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK, A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK P.M.

At the Annual School Election there will be elected two (2) members to the Board of Education of the district for full terms of four (4) years ending in 1981.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

Wayne E. Boss
Chester Allen Hard, III
C. Max Novak

Willis L. Peters
Constance S. Pointner
Sally K. Taber

TAKE FURTHER NOTICE THAT the following propositions will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the Annual School Election:

I. TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, be increased by .5 mill (\$1.50 on each \$100.00 of state equalized valuation) for a period of 5 years, 1977 to 1981, inclusive, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operation of providing additional funds for operation of public library?

II. TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION FOR OPERATING PURPOSES

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, be assessed by 1 mill (\$1 on each \$100.00 of state equalized valuation) for the year 1977, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes?

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE that the Regular Biennial Election of Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District, Michigan, will be held at the same time and at the same voting places as the Annual School Election on Monday, June 13, 1977, and will be conducted by the same school officials for those electors of the intermediate school district residing in this school district.

At the Regular Biennial Election there will be elected three (3) members to the Intermediate School Board of Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District for full terms of six (6) years ending in 1983.

THE FOLLOWING PERSONS HAVE BEEN NOMINATED TO FILL SUCH VACANCIES:

Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District
Six Year Terms

Frederick Bruce Bergmann
Clayton Healey
John C. Hramiec
Claire C. Martin
Mary Ann McCullough
Maurice M. Taylor

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

I, Anah H. Potter, Treasurer of Charlevoix County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of April 15, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Charlevoix County:
By Charlevoix Township:
By Norwood Township:
By Hayes Township:
By Marion Township:
By Eveline Township:
By the School District:

1 Mill, 3 years (1977-79) Grandvue
2 mills, 5 years (1975-79) Operation
None
None
None
None
1 mill, 1977 to 1981, inclusive
6.5 mills, 1977 to 1979, inclusive
\$995,000 Bond Issue voted November 1959
\$1,595,000 Bond Issue voted April, 1968

Anah H. Potter,
Treasurer, Charlevoix County, Michigan

I, Phyllis I. Mills, Treasurer of Antrim County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of April 12, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Antrim County:
By Banks Townships:
By the School District:

None
1/4 mill
1 mill, 1977 to 1981, inclusive
6.5 mills, 1977 to 1979, inclusive
6 mills, 1977 and 1978

By Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate District

1 mill
Phyllis I. Mills
Treasurer, Antrim County, Michigan

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education.

KENNETH J. BOSS
Secretary, Board of Education



THE UNITED WAY of Charlevoix Board of Directors met last week to hear appeals and set its budget for the coming year. Going over requests are: (sitting from left to right) Barbara Berlage, Betty LaRouche and Elan Martin. Standing are: (from left to right) Don Voisin, John Lachman, Richard Pajtas and Jack Grubaugh. Missing is Vincent Chew.

To set 1978 budget

United Way board holds hearing

The United Way of Charlevoix Board of Directors met last week for its annual budget and admissions hearing.

Held up the board this year is John Lachman. He is being assisted by Richard Pajtas, vice president; Elaine Martin, treasurer; and Betty LaRouche, secretary.

Barbara Berlage, Vincent Chew, Donald Voisin and Jack Grubaugh.

During the meeting the eight board members heard requests from 14 different nonprofit agencies for funding during the coming year. The agencies were each allowed 15 minutes to make a presentation explaining their operations and how the funds

from United Way would be used in their 1978 budgets.

The board members will now discuss the appeals and set a budget based on the various requests for funding. A fundraising campaign, which is being held in the fall to raise funds to meet the United Way budget.

The purpose of United Way

is to raise funds to support the entire operation and working in the front end," he explained. Mrs. Aull will help with the hosting and work in the business office. "People will be seeing a lot of us," Aull said.

Paul Maue buys Dale's Photo

Dale's Photo Shop has a new owner. Paul Maue, owner of Ye Olde Coin and Stamp Shop located inside Dale's Photo, has purchased the business from Dale Meredith.

However, cameras and photo supplies are not new to Maue, who has been in business in Charlevoix since Nov. 15, 1976. He formerly owned three photography studios in the Flint area.

"The hobby has changed a lot in the last 10 years," Maue said. "You can do now with a 35 mm camera what 10 years ago took a twin lens reflex camera to do."

Maue said he wasn't planning on expanding the business right away, but instead would build on what Meredith had started. He

plans to continue using Kenart for film development and will also continue selling film, camera batteries, darkroom supplies, photo albums, frames, matting material and framed photos.

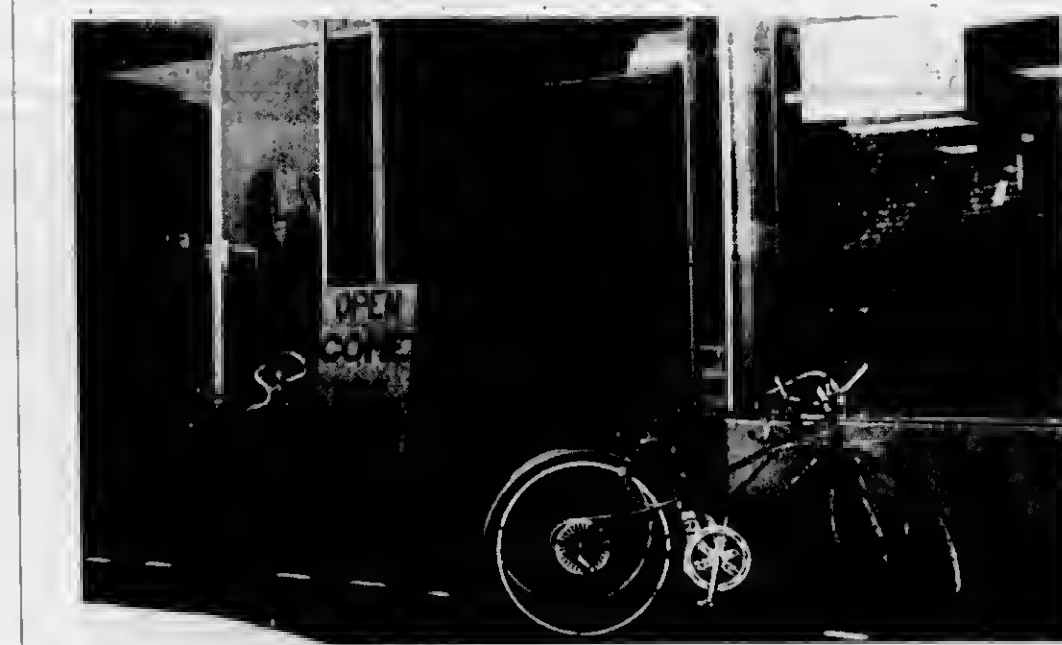
The framed photos are all of local points of interest and will be taken by young Dale Meredith and other photographers in the area. Maue said. He also plans to begin taking wedding pictures.

Maue also plans to expand his line of darkroom equipment to include used as well as new equipment.

"I want to be able to supply everything the hobbyist will need in the way of darkroom supplies and equipment, film and cameras," Maue said.



PAUL MAUE, the new owner of Dale's Photo Shop, poses with some of the framed photos for sale in the shop.

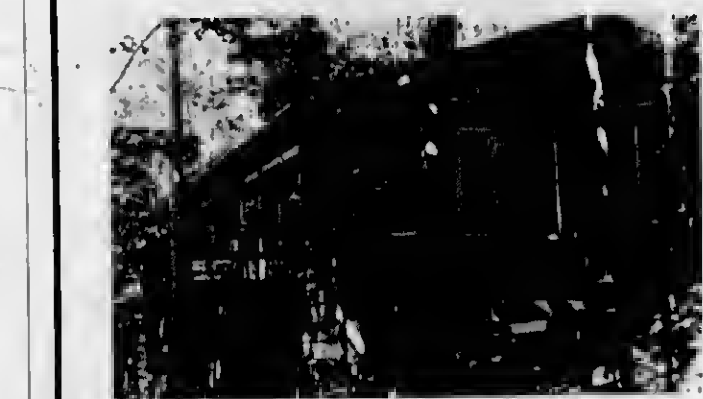


Coffee house to open soon

The opening of a Coffee House to be known as Que Pasa (What's Happening?) has been announced by the director, Steve Stargardt.

It will be open at 9 a.m. Saturday on the lower level of the Kentucky Fried Chicken shop overlooking Round Lake and, for the present, will remain open through the evening when there will be live entertainment. In announcing the opening, Stargardt, who is a vocal music instructor in the Charlevoix Public Schools, said the Coffee House represents a non-denominational effort presently supported by three local churches, the Assembly of God, the Community Reformed Church and the United Methodist Church.

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is the only way to describe this lovely three bedroom ranch with a large country kitchen, living room enhanced by a brick fireplace and beamed ceilings, plus a stone fireplace in the family room with three decks this overlooks ten acres of hardwood in the Norwood Area. Land contract terms \$49,000.00.

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Look what's new in Charlevoix

Charlevoix Agency has new location

The Charlevoix Agency has come a long way, baby. Out of a conglomeration of small agencies has come the efficient, independent insurance agency Charlevoix area residents know today.

And now the Charlevoix Agency has a new look. Dick Martin and Don Voisin, owners of the agency, have moved their business from its 224 Bridge St. location into Dr. C. B. Saltonstall's former offices at 112 Clinton St.

Just as they put a lot of energy into helping their clients, Martin and Voisin have put a lot of energy into remodeling their new offices to provide more efficiency in their business. The building is being remodeled in two phases. The interior redecoration has just recently been completed and the exterior phase is slated for completion next summer.

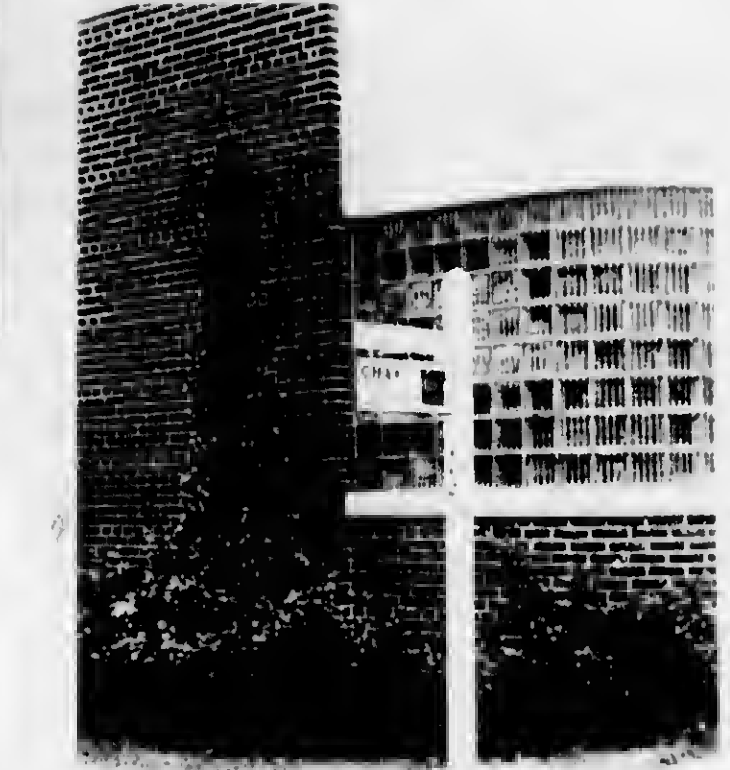
Charlevoix Agency is almost as much a part of Charlevoix as Bridge Street.

The agency can trace its roots to many other agencies that once served the area.

The Myrtle Young and Son Agency, the Sloan Agency, Bridge and Hawley Agency, Hamlin Agency, Carey Agency, Livingston Agency and the Novak Agency are all a part of the history of the Charlevoix Agency, which Martin founded in 1969. Voisin later joined the agency in 1974. Martin came from Grand Rapids where he had worked in various capacities with

insurance agencies since 1965. Voisin came to Charlevoix from Cheboygan following 10 years of agency work. Aiding Martin and Voisin are Roy Moran, auto and homeowners underwriter; Virginia Berg, bookkeeper; and Marcie Cherry, clerical employee.

THE CHARLEVOIX AGENCY has moved from its offices on Bridge Street into Dr. Saltonstall's former offices on Clinton Street.



Marilyn, Dick Aull buy Weathervane

Some changes have been made at the Weathervane Inn and working in the front end," he explained. Mrs. Aull will help with the hosting and work in the business office.

Richardson and Aull had owned the restaurant jointly since they purchased it from Earl Young 10 years ago. Other than the changes in ownership, Weathervane visitors won't be seeing too many other changes, Aull said. However, Aull, who has been the chef of the restaurant will no longer be working in the kitchen.

"I'll be overseeing the entire operation and working in the front end," he explained. Mrs. Aull will help with the hosting and work in the business office. "People will be seeing a lot of us," Aull said.

Nursing seminar slated June 15-17

The Michigan Department of Public Health and Michigan State University are jointly sponsoring the Northern Regional Nursing Conference June 15-17 at Kettunen Center.

The conference will discuss the preschool child from one to five years of age. Nurses from hospitals, physicians offices and clinic who work with children are urged to attend the conference. Conference participants will also be given 13 continuing education units from MSU.

Interested nurses may contact the Charlevoix office of the District Health Department No. 3 at 547-4523 or any health department office for more information.

Report cards coming

Wondering how the students in your family will end out the school year? Report cards for Charlevoix High School students will be mailed home during the week of June 13. Charles Bentley, high school counselor, said.

Jim Miller purchases Staley Hardware

A new owner has taken over the operation of Staley Hardware on Bridge Street.

Jim Miller, a seven-year resident of Charlevoix, is the new man in charge at the store.

Miller said he made the switch from real estate salesman to hardware owner because he likes the personal contact he can get in the store and he likes serving the public. Miller managed a hardware store downtown several years ago.

Miller, who moved here with his wife Dorothy and

daughters Sandra, Susan and Cheryl from Ludington, said he isn't planning any changes for the store.

In addition to keeping Staley's operating, Miller is also working as an associate broker for Charlevoix Properties.

Miller has served in several positions since coming to Charlevoix. He was a purchasing agent for Freedman Aircraft, yardmanager for Irish Boat Shop and salesman for Ski and Shore.

He enjoys sailing, skiing, hunting and fishing.



JIM MILLER is the new owner of Staley's Hardware on Bridge Street.



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NORWOOD TOWNSHIP NOTICE

The regular township meeting will be held Thursday, June 9 at the Township Hall at 7:00 p.m.

Bertha Parsons
Township Clerk

GET REPRESENTATION FOR CHARLEVOIX COUNTY

VOTE FOR
CLAIRE MARTIN
CHAR-EM
INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL BOARD
MONDAY, JUNE 13



CHARLEVOIX

MAY 31, 1977
8:00 p.m.

The Common Council of the City of Charlevoix met on the above date and time with Mayor Hansen presiding. Aldermen present: Plumm, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Absent: Alderman Morris and Wallace. The Minutes of the May 17, 1977 regular meeting were approved as presented in writing and as recorded in the Council Minutes Book.

Thomas Pointner appeared before Council to request the assignment by Lake Charlevoix Cable T.V. Inc. to Lake Charlevoix Cable T.V. Company. Enter Alderman Morris. The following resolution was offered and moved for its adoption by Alderman Wood and supported by Alderman Plumm.

RESOLUTION 77-5-1

BE IT RESOLVED, that the City Council of the City of Charlevoix hereby consents to the assignment by Lake Charlevoix Cable T.V., a Michigan corporation to Lake Charlevoix Cable T.V. Company, a Michigan Limited Partnership of 3945 City National Bank Building, Detroit, Michigan 48226 all of the Assignor's rights and obligations under the terms of a certain Renewal License Agreement made and entered into the 8th day of March 1976 by and between the City of Charlevoix, a Municipal Corporation as Owner and Lake Charlevoix Cable T.V., Inc., a Michigan Corporation as Licensee. The within Consent is subject to the review and approval by the City Attorney of the City of Charlevoix of the proofs of insurance and proofs of bonding required by Article X(c) and (e) of said Renewal License Agreement, and acceptance of an assignment and transfer of Licensee's rights and obligations thereunder by the Assignee and Transferee Lake Charlevoix Cable T.V. Company.

Resolution was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yeas: Aldermen Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Wallace.

John Michael, representing the Charter Commission, appeared to request that Council pass a Resolution setting July 12, 1977 as the date for a special election to vote on the proposed Charter.

The following Resolution was offered and moved for its adoption by Alderman Morris and supported by Alderman Plumm.

RESOLUTION 77-5-2

WHEREAS the elected Charter Commission of the City of Charlevoix has presented to the Common Council of the City of Charlevoix a proposed charter revision under the Home Rule Act, being P.A. 1969 Section 279.

BE IT HEREBY RESOLVED that such proposed charter revision be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the City of Charlevoix at a special election on July 12, 1977, and the form of the ballot as submitted by the Charter Commission is hereby approved.

Resolution was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yeas: Aldermen Morris, Plumm, Wood, and Erber. Nays: Alderman Whitley. Absent: Alderman Wallace.

Representatives of Bathey Development appeared before Council to request a 40 foot side yard variance at their property on Round Lake and Belvedere Avenue. Drawings were presented indicating the layout of the entire development upon completion. Council recessed to the Board of Appeals to reconvene their meeting of May 23, 1977, regarding the Bathey Development request for a variance.

Roll call was again taken with Alderman Wallace being the only Council member absent. The following Resolution was offered and moved for its adoption by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Wood.

RESOLUTION 77-5-4

BE IT RESOLVED, that the proposed salaries for the following non-union personnel be accepted, per the recommendation of the Finance Committee of the City of Charlevoix.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the proposed salaries be made retroactive to March 1, 1977.

TITLE	NAME	PREVIOUS SALARY	PROPOSED SALARY
Fire Chief	John Curtis	10,050	10,900
Police Chief	John Mol	12,600	13,450
Water/Water Supt.	Lloyd Kuebler	12,350	13,200
City Attorney	Donald Berlage	6,550	7,400
Administrator	Allen L. Sandberg	17,000	17,000
Assessor		10,500	11,350

Resolution was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yeas: Aldermen Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Wallace.

Council discussed the application for a SDM License by Frank Smith. Allen Sandberg, City Administrator, advised Council that the request had been verbally withdrawn by Mr. Smith's attorney as they did not have their application back from the State to present at this time. Mr. Van Smith, representing the Charlevoix School Board, appeared before Council to object to the license being granted due to the location being in such close proximity to the school. The following Resolution was offered and moved for its adoption by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Erber.

RESOLUTION 77-5-5

BE IT RESOLVED, that the No Parking restrictions on the East side of Michigan Avenue, from Division Street to Petoskey Avenue be removed, because this street is no longer a part of the Major Street System of the City of Charlevoix.

Resolution was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yeas: Aldermen Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Wallace. George Richardson of Ski and Shore Properties appeared before Council on behalf of Paul Hufford of Hufford Industries to express Mr. Hufford's interest in purchasing a parcel of City owned property on Marin Road in Charlevoix Township. As Harry Hater of the Trison Company had previously expressed a desire to purchase the same parcel of land, Council agreed that the Mayor or City Attorney would contact Mr. Hater to determine if he is still interested in the property and to advise him of Mr. Hufford's interest in it. Mr. Hufford's proposed plans for the property were referred to the Land Use Committee for review.

The Finance Committee having examined bills totaling \$72,883.12 find them correct and recommend the bills be allowed. Moved by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Morris that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for their amounts. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yeas: Aldermen Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Wallace. Council adjourned.

Judy D. Przybylski, City Clerk

BOARD OF APPEALS

The Board of Appeals convened with Alderman Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, and Erber present. Absent: Alderman Wallace. The following Resolution was offered and moved for its adoption by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Wood.

RESOLUTION 77-5-3

WHEREAS, Douglas Bathay has applied for a building permit requiring a side yard variance to zero setback on the East boundary of Lot 5 of Block 20 of Newman's Addition to the City of Charlevoix, and whereas, after submission of a site plan and presentation of the criteria of practical difficulty has been established in that to serve the rejuvenated building with elevator service area and garage it would be undesirable to place it over the water, and it would be an unnecessary hardship to retract the addition of the service area, and it is in the public interest to improve the property, thereby eliminating blight that pre-existed present ownership, and reasonableness of the overall plan persuades the Board of Appeals to act favorably on and hereby does resolve to grant said variance, and recognizes the plan submitted as part of the record of this action.

Resolution was adopted by the following yea and nay vote. Yeas: Aldermen Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, and Erber. Nays: None. Absent: Alderman Wallace.

The Board of Appeals adjourned to the regular Council Meeting.

Judy D. Przybylski, City Clerk

Boyne City student receives funds from Charlevoix Area Hospital

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A Boyne City student was the recipient of the 19th annual Charlevoix Area Hospital Nursing Scholarship.

Lauri Gunderson, a 1977 graduate of Boyne City High School, received the \$700 scholarship last week. Miss Gunderson said she has always enjoyed working with people and that led her to seek a nursing career. She said she hadn't picked a particular area of nursing yet, but she is interested in working with younger people.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gunderson said she will be entering the nurses training program at North Central Michigan College in Petoskey this fall.

The scholarship presentation is made each year to an area high school graduate intending to pursue a career in nursing. Selection of the recipient is made by a hospital board committee and is based

on academic achievement and financial need.

The scholarship fund has been supported every year by Mr. and Mrs. D.D. Walker since it began in 1958.



RICHARD KRUEGER, Charlevoix Area Hospital administrator, congratulates Lauri Gunderson along with Max Novak on winning the 19th Annual Scholarship. Miss Gunderson, a 1977 Boyne City High School student plans on attending the North Central Michigan College nursing program.



C. DANIEL CHRISTNER, president of Northern Michigan University chapter of Phi Alpha Theta presents a membership certificate to Connie Crain of Charlevoix.

Connie Crain initiated into historical group

A Charlevoix student was recently initiated into the Northern Michigan University chapter of Phi Alpha Theta International Honor Society in history. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Crain, Marion Center Road.

COURIER Youth Beat



ANNE HANSON of East Jordan, a freshman at Northern Michigan University in Marquette, has been awarded the Accounting and Finance Club Award by the School of Business & Management at NMU. Making the presentation is Doug Nesbit, member of the club. Miss Hanson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Hanson, Route #1, Peashall Road, East Jordan.

4 students graduate on Beaver Island

Four students received diplomas during commencement exercises May 27 at the Beaver Island Community High School. The senior receiving top honors this year was Lauri A. Cole, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cole. Other seniors graduating were Patti J. Hogan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hogan and Diane S. Kewahkise, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Ken-wahkise. Also receiving a diploma upon completion of credits was Hermetia Moore Ken-wahkise, mother of seven children.



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The engagement of Eileen Vandenberg and Jack Donbert of Ellsworth and Gerald Danbert of Boyne Falls. They will exchange wedding vows on August 20.

Wood-LaCount

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond V. Wood have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Debbie Jean, to Jonathan J. LaCount of Cadillac. The wedding will be an event of June 25 at Holy Childhood Church in Harbor Springs.

Tom, Ella Wynsma celebrate 50th

ELLSWORTH - Tom and Ella Wynsma will be celebrating their golden wedding anniversary at an open house from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday at the home of their son and daughter-in-law, Bill and Donna Wynsma in Ellsworth. The Wynsmas were married June 14, 1927 in Grand Rapids. They moved north three years later to the family farm in the Central Lake area, where Wynsma became a farmer. In 1927, the couple moved to Ellsworth to enjoy their retirement years.

They have four children, Tom and Bill live in Ellsworth area, Bart in Grand Rapids and Betty in Saugetuck. They also have 10 grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wynsma

Jeryl Anne Carey marries Mark Stanley

Christ Episcopal Church was the scene recently of the wedding of Jeryl Anne Carey and Mark Joseph Stanley.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Donald G. Carey of Charlevoix and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stanley of Vernon, Conn.

The Rev. Robert Wilson officiated at the double ring service in the presence of 175 guests on May 28. White wicker baskets of iris, lilacs and baby's breath and lighted tapers in brass candelabra tied with lilacs formed the setting for the ceremony. Blue satin bows and lilacs marked the pews. Mrs. Marion Lehman, at the organ, played a program of traditional and contemporary music and the wedding march and accompanied Thomas Carey, uncle of the bride, who sang "The Wedding Song" and "The Lord's Prayer".

The bride was escorted to the altar by her father. For her wedding she chose a gown of white organza styled with a flower appliqued bodice. V-neckline and long sheer sleeves accented at the wrists with ruffles and bands of appliqued matching the bodice. The skirt fell from an empire waist and was trimmed with sprigs of the apple as was the hem. Her sheer veil of nylon tulle was secured by a picture hat covered with the same appliqued fabric. Her bridal bouquet was of white daisies, blue carnations and baby's breath.

Marjorie Jane Carey attended her sister as maid of honor and Kathy Larson of East Jordan as bridesmaid.

Saginaw, Kim Muncy of Indiana, Ohio, Maryland, Massachusetts and Connecticut. They wore identical sleeveless gowns of blue polyester, and long-sleeved floral chiffon over-blouses and matching blue picture hats. They carried bouquets of blue and white daisies and baby's breath tied with blue ribbons.

John Hoffman assisted the bridegroom as best man. James Slater, Glen Andrews and Timothy Carey, brother of the bride, were groomsmen and ushers. All were former classmates of the bridegroom at Ferris State College.

Mrs. Carey selected a sleeveless, green and brown floral print on white polyester gown and flowing chiffon cape for her daughter's wedding. Her wrist corsage was of miniature roses and baby's breath with green accents. Mrs. Stanley, mother of the bridegroom, wore a slim, green gown fashioned with a cowl neckline. Her purse corsage was of laburnum roses.

A reception, hosted by the bride's parents, followed at the Weatherlane Inn. Jean Carey served the wedding cake. Helen Carey of Cincinnati, Ohio, tended the guest book and Christine Carey of Cincinnati, Ohio, was in charge of the gift table.

The couple left on a wedding trip through the East including a visit to Vernon, Conn.

Wedding guests were present from several

Michigan cities, Colorado, Indiana, Ohio, Maryland, Massachusetts and Connecticut.

On Friday evening, Mr. and

Mrs. Stanley hosted a rehearsal dinner at the Pine River Room of the Weatherlane Inn. (Photo by Luciano)



Mr. and Mrs. Mark Stanley

Don Careys mark 25th anniversary

A surprise party planned by their children marked the silver wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Donald G. Carey recently.

Hosting the event were their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Timothy Carey and daughter, Margie Carey. Another daughter, Anne, had helped plan the event prior to her May 28 marriage to Mark Stanley.

Among those from away who remained for the anniversary party were Mrs. and Mrs. Joseph Stanley and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hauza and two children of Vernon, Conn., and Mrs. Carey's mother, Mrs. Agnes Parsons of Mason and sister, Mrs. John Swanson of Lansing.

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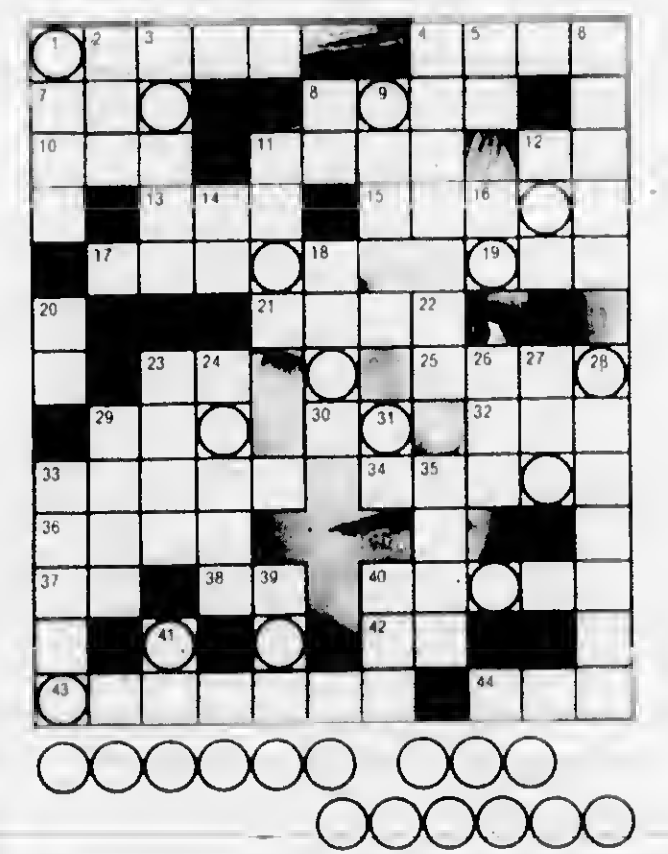
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CHARLEVOIX HIGH SCHOOL Class of 1977 started Graduation Day off with a breakfast at the Weatherline Inn sponsored by the First State Bank of Charlevoix.

Senior class goes out with bang

Graduation ended with a bang for the 140 Charlevoix High School graduates participating in the ceremony Sunday.

Immediately following the last word of the benediction, the class let loose with several party poppers which exploded and sent streamers into the air marking the end of an era for the seniors.

During the ceremonies several students were honored for accomplishments in various fields. The students



TOM FOWLER, Charlevoix High School valedictorian, addresses his classmates and other in the audience during commencement exercises Sunday.



JOHN PIDEK slipped into more comfortable head gear after he was graduated Sunday. Pidek switched the cap for his mortarboard after he received his diploma.



GARY STUTZMAN, band director, leads the band in the traditional graduation music, "Pomp and Circumstance."



LORI HOLLOW reaches to switch her tassel following the receipt of her diploma during Charlevoix High School commencement exercises.



SUSAN GREENE presents her salutatory address during commencement exercises Sunday at the Charlevoix High School gym.

introduced by Roy Fortin, assistant principal, were the following:

Michigan Department of Education, Competitive Scholarship program which is accompanied by either a monetary or honorary scholarship; Randal Bearss, Steven Berlage, Daniel Biss, Edmund Bourke, Mary Jo Buhay, Gregory Chagnon, Mark Cockfield, Kay Curry, Leslie Dussleer, Kyle Ditlow, Walter Drenth, Virginia Eby, Patricia Fels, Thomas



SUSAN GREENE receives her diploma and congratulations from Robert Cook, head of education trustee.



GREG GRUBAUGH receives a handshake from a junior acting as an usher during the Charlevoix High School commencement exercises. Grubaugh was one of 140 graduating seniors.

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Hit, pitch, run winners selected at trial Sat.

Winners and runners-up in the first Pitch, Hit and Run competition held in Charlevoix Saturday will move on to the district competition to be held at Dearborn at 11 a.m. next Saturday, June 13.

The local competition was held at the Carpenter ave. field Saturday.

Pitch, hit and run is a major league baseball's official youth program sponsored by Tom McAn in association with the National Recreation and Park Association and the President's Council on Physical Fitness and Sports.

Thirty-nine boys and girls including some from Kalkaska, competed Saturday.

The Clothing Company is the Tom McAn outfit in this area.



WITHOUT OFFICIALS the Pitch, Hit and Run competition wouldn't have been held for Charlevoix area youth. Pictured here in the front row are (left to right) Jeff Collins, Tony Blissett, Chuck Lehman, Brian Archey and Harvey Cole. In the back row are Bill Joy, Jeff Boss, Mike Reinhart, Jan Mabey, a sponsor of the event, and Gary Brandel.

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By KIP CINNAMON

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DAVE MILLIGAN takes a swing at the ball during the hit part of the Pitch, Hit and Run contest sponsored by Jim Mabey of the Clothing Post and the Charlevoix Recreation Department.



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Middle school boys capture Petoskey invitational title

By FRANK MARTIN

The Charlevoix Middle School track and field team, coached by Jerry Pahl, captured the title in the annual Petoskey Middle School Invitational held Saturday.

This marks the third straight year in the six-year history of the event that Charlevoix has won the meet. This year they did it by posing out Petoskey by three points compiling a total of 74 points to 71 for the host team. Petoskey was leading by two points when Charlevoix won the 220 to take the lead and the meet.

Charlevoix placed third with 48 points followed by Boyne City with 45. Inland Lakes with 11; Harbor Springs, three and Inland Lakes, 0.

In winning the meet, Charlevoix had five first places. Melinda Klooster took the shot put and 100 yd. low hurdles; Debbie Thumre, the 440 yd. run; Liz Keller, the 60 yd. dash and the mile relay team.

Meet results follow:

Shot put: 1. Klooster. Time: 20.77.

High jump: 2. Amy Krall who set a new school record with a jump of 4'8". 3. Hope Maiphe.

Long jump: 3. Sally Westenberg.

Girls team takes invite title, too

The Charlevoix Middle School girls captured the title at the Petoskey Middle School track and field invitational held Saturday.

Charlevoix had an impressive 71 points to take the meet over St Ignace with 45; Petoskey, 36; Boyne City, 35; Cheboygan, 24; Harbor Springs, three and Inland Lakes, 0.

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Tom Jones places 5th in state meet

Tom Jones, Charlevoix junior, was the only Bayder track and field entry in the State Class C-D meet to place his own.

Placing third with a put of 53.77, he also placed fifth among all classes in the state.

Charlevoix participants were among those from 127

Lundteigen in 4 finals

Eric Lundteigen, Charlevoix's only contestant in the State Class C-D tennis finals at Holland Friday, advanced to the quarterfinals in the state meet before losing to the No. 1 seeded Rob Blazeovic of Battle Creek.

Blazeovic's coach, Chuck Wright, reported. Blazeovic went on to win the state title.

Charlevoix took six firsts in the meet including three by Coach Pahl. Only seventh graders among those who earned points Saturday are Gary Drury and Randy Schmuckenberg.

Scoring points in all 16 events Saturday were:

Pole vault: 5. Pete Schmuckenberg (111.8').

High jump: 4. Scott Johnson (HT 4'11").

Shot put: 2. Amy Krall (26.57'). 3. Gary Drury (36.27').

Long jump: 1. Stevens (Distance: 18'4").

800 relay: 1. Charlevoix (Jeff Drury, Jameson, Rob Dyal, Dave Watson) Time: 4:13.

220 yd. run: 1. Stevens. Time: 2:05.4. Ross Gary (2:18).

Mile relay: 1. Charlevoix (Jameson, Johnson, Landon, J. Drury, Johnson) Time: 4:13.

440 yd. relay: 4. Charlevoix (Zadnick, Jeff Daylong, J. Schmuckenberg, Randy Schmuckenberg) 1:54.6.

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MONDAY, JUNE 13, 1977, THE LAST DAY FOR REGISTRATION, FROM 8 A.M. TO 8 P.M. ON SAID DAY FOR THE PURPOSE OF REVIEWING THE REGISTRATION AND REGISTERING SUCH OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS AS SHALL PROPERLY APPLY THEREFOR.

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CHARLEVOIX COUNTY Road Commission wishes to hire a working Shop Foreman to be responsible for maintenance of all trucks and heavy equipment. Write stating qualifications to P.O. Box 33, Boyne City, Michigan. Equal Opportunity Employer.

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RESIDENTIAL ELECTRICIAN needed. Must have a background in production housekeeping and able to handle a service truck. Health insurance and fringe benefits. Call between 8 and 5 p.m. 547-6273. (6-8-1-246)

GENERAL LIGHT automatic repair for service station opening. In Charlevoix. Experienced on Suncoast Model SS300 or similar tune-up machine required. Hours 8-6. Own tools preferred. Salary commensurate with experience and ability. 547-6774 after 6:00 p.m. (6-8-1-246)

PART-TIME HOTEL maid wanted. Apply Villa Moderne Motel. 547-2578. (6-8-1-255)

Situations Wanted

PARTNER WANTED part-time. Will accept qualified family man to manage business in this area; \$1785 investment required; for complete details regarding this area, please call 313-728-0168 or write Michigan Steamway Distributors, 32444 Michigan Ave., Wayne, MI. 48184.

STUDENT - male, wishes to share rent and living expenses with other or others in Petoskey-Charlevoix area. June 19 through Sept. 3. Tidy and employed full-time. Call 616-451-097 after 5 p.m. (6-8-1-275)

ROWE'S GARDEN - 708 Park, Charlevoix. Large selection of perennial plants ready for transplant. Cut flowers - also rhubarb and asparagus. Phone 547-2889. (5-18-11-324)

GARAGE SALE this Saturday, June 11 starting at 9 A.M. 'til 5 P.M. between Conway and Harbor Springs on Mink Road. Follow Signs. Some items: roll-away-bed, antique radio, household goods, yarn & yarn supplies, cereal, baby items, dishes, stereo, motorcycle, car items, and much much more! Phone 547-1116 after 6 p.m. for further information. (6-8-1-340)

SAT. 11th - 93, 102 Eaton St. Misc. clothes, toys, tires. (6-8-1-340)

340 Garage/Yard Sale

JUNE 10-11, 10-5 p.m. No early sales. Pat'sha Lane, North Point. Men's, Women's and children's clothing. Baby items, ski boots, small appliances and misc. Something for everyone. (6-8-1-213)

HORSES Riding Stables. GENTLE MARE 8 years old, excellent with children. Call 547-9378. (6-8-1-245)

DINING ROOM suite, round table, 2 leaves, 4 chairs, buffet. Walnut by American of Martinsville. Also 8 blue sofa. 547-6318 eyes. (6-1-359)

TWIN SINK, yellow, good condition; never-sink light fixture, chrome; antique, including large, hump-back trunk, picture frames, button collection, small bottle collection; electric room heater. Call 547-6719, after 5 p.m. (6-8-1-359)

WAUN ELECTRIC CO. SALE Generators for home standby - Portables including farm PTO generators. 547-6273 or 547-6306. (3-2-359-TFN)

DOHERMAN PUPPIES AKC, 4 female, 4 males. For more information call Aardema's, 388-2421. (6-1-2-368)

WANTED - Old 78 RPM records of radio, jazz and blues. Music. Write to: Howard J. Angus, 9422 Organdy, Portage, MI. 49881. (5-25-8-387)

WANTED - First Historical Charlevoix "plate" and old Charlevoix post cards. 547-6391. (6-8-1-387)

WANTED - Cedar Logs - 100' long, 8" top & up, must be straight. \$5 sound. Will pay \$70.00 a cord delivered to our yard. For further details, call No. 616/549-2421 days, or No. 616/549-2706 evenings. (6-8-1-401)

2 FAMILY INCOME - Plus Office Space on Bridge Street in Charlevoix. High Traffic Area, near proposed shopping center. A1 for home and office, plus Rental Unit. \$15,000 down, 8% per cent contract. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, downtown Charlevoix. 547-9782. (6-8-1-401)

80 ACRES, 4 bedroom, 2 baths, modernized home, plus basement, barn, and 45-115' machine shed. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, downtown Charlevoix. 547-9782. (6-8-1-409)

24 ACRES - Farm with wonderful Garden, Fruit trees, grape vineyards, strawberries, asparagus and others. 12 acres wooded with pond, nice 3 bedroom home plus guest house. Charlevoix School District. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, Charlevoix. 547-9782. (6-8-1-409)

615 Houses for Sale

NEW 2 bedroom home, 24 x 28 garage, large wooded lot, lots of privacy, 2 blocks from town, 1 block from Lake Charlevoix. \$39,500. 547-2572. (5-25-11-415)

Charlevoix unusual executive home with 6 bedrooms, 3 baths, 2 fireplaces, 2 bedroom heated guest house, pool, bath house, 4 car garage and many other outstanding features. Terms. Jim Brannan Auction & Realty, Boyne City, MI. Phone 582-7613. (6-1-5-507)

APARTMENTS for Rent. Parcel Olds 18 runs 14 hits Kim Bolder, W.P. Round Lake Lodge 3 runs Bill Joy, L.P. Michigan Officeways Bruns Jim Buchanan, W.P. Klosser John Deere 0 runs Chris Putman, L.P. Toon Daylight had 3 for 3. (5-2-11-415)

SPACE AVAILABLE for retail store or office across from Post Office in Charlevoix. Phone 547-9337 or 547-2884. (3-9-11-606)

BUSINESS PROPERTY for rent - 4 room office suite, with view, corner of Bridge St. and Pine River Channel, Charlevoix. Available June 1st. 547-9969. (6-8-1-415)

NEW LISTING - Inexpensive home in the city of Charlevoix, 82' x 124' 1/2, natural gas heat, ingested at \$12 a month, approximately 100 sq. ft. of living space and priced to sell at \$15,000. CHARLEVOIX PROPERTIES, INC. 547-4411. (6-8-1-415)

HOUSE, GARAGE, tool shed with 4 acres of land. M-66 frontage and lake Charlevoix view. Call 580-7669. (6-8-1-415)

10 ACRES on high plateau near Charlevoix, terrific view of the lakes, only \$2,000 down. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, Charlevoix. 547-9782. (6-8-1-420)

60 ACRES Fruit orchard, Sweet & Sour Cherries, some prunes, 1 acre strawberry patch, and nice trees coming up. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, Charlevoix. 547-9782. (6-8-1-420)

5 ACRES BUILDING SITE on Maple Grove Road. 400' frontage. Health Department. Approved. Charlevoix School District. Only \$6,900. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, Charlevoix. 547-9782. (6-8-1-420)

10 WOODED rolling acres between Petoskey and Charlevoix. Includes 172 1/2 acre mobile home in excellent condition. Shrub foundation, well and septic. Terms available. SKI AND SHORE. 547-7600. (6-8-1-420)

CHARLEVOIX SCHOOLS, 5 acres on Maple Grove Rd. A Health Dept. approved site, a fine piece of high ground. Offered at \$6900 with 1/2 down or \$500 cash sale. Will furnish title insurance. Call 582-6771. Beganowski & Associates. (6-8-1-401)

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Court News

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix District Court last week by Judge David W. Farnish:

Donald A. Anthony, 40, East Jordan, driving with suspended license. Plead guilty \$65 fine and costs.

Allen R. Barber, 18, Durant, making false police report. Plead guilty. Ten days in county jail, suspended fine and costs.

Thomas H. Wendler, Jr., 18, Charlevoix, careless driving. Found guilty by court. \$65 fine and costs.

Michael A. Damsen, 21, Boyne City, possessing illegal fish. Found guilty by court. \$20 fine and costs and restriction to DNR of \$55.

Michael E. Bayen, 29, Walloon Lake, reckless use of firearms. Plead guilty. \$105 fine and costs.

Richard W. Stangor, Charlevoix, permitting dog to run at large. Plead guilty. \$25 fine and costs.

Timothy A. Vandergrift, 22, Marcellina, speeding. Plead guilty. \$33 fine and costs.

Terry J. Walter, 20, Boyne City, speeding. Found guilty by court. \$24 fine and costs.

John David Lewis, 28, Farmington, obscene phone calls. Plead guilty. Fifteen days in county jail.

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix and Boyne City last week by Magistrates Marilyn Blum and Howard Talbot:

Ricky A. Winowiecki, 24, Empire, speeding \$41.

Richard L. Selasen, 38, Charlevoix, disregarding stop light \$25.

Frank S. Jones, 58, Harbor Springs, speeding \$35.

Leslie D. McFarland, 29, Alanson, speeding \$31.

John J. Connolly, 71, Charlevoix, speeding \$34.

Virgil H. Poirer, 51, Flint, speeding \$35.

Paul J. Casciani, 21, Charlevoix, making improper turn \$25.

Richard L. Manzer, 34, Charlevoix, speeding \$39.

Keith T. Wager, 19, Boyne City, speeding \$30.

Keith S. Bailey, 19, East Jordan, speeding \$28.

Richard A. Landron, 19, Charlevoix, speeding \$49.

Ronald F. Ramee, 19, Traverse City, speeding \$36.

Richard A. Selander, 48, Birmingham, speeding \$36.

Richard L. LaRouche, 22, Charlevoix, no proof of insurance \$25.

Ronald C. Morgan, 20, Elmira, being drunk on public highway \$85.

Jay M. Herman, 20, Elmira, being drunk on public highway \$85.

Peter P. Lewis, 44, East Jordan, speeding \$25.

Jerome N. Dobrowolski, 41, Elmira, speeding \$25.

Steven J. Caperton, 34, East Jordan, speeding \$30.

Virginia Arrington, 54, Chase, speeding \$25.

Albert G. Walden, 51, East Jordan, speeding \$25.

Mary J. Nickels, 29, Boyne City, speeding \$34.

Margaret M. McCutcheon, 57, Charlevoix, speeding \$25.

William C. Klen, 19, Lewistown, speeding \$25.

James H. Shearer, 51, Petoskey, speeding \$25.

Jack E. Moyer, 23, Petoskey, speeding \$28.

Stanley O. Kralik, 36, Warren, speeding \$25.

Kenneth W. Padgett, 19, Walloon Lake, speeding \$50.

Charles E. Jacobs, 19, Richmond, Indiana, violating basic speed law \$25.

Jack F. Oughey, 49, Boyne City, speeding \$34.

Edward J. Elms, 61, Petoskey, speeding \$25.

Lorrie R. McBea, 32, Boyne City, speeding \$31.

Faye J. Brown, 18, Boyne City, speeding \$28.

David J. Kuzmik, 28, Boyne City, speeding \$31.

Glenn L. Coon, 23, Boyne City, speeding \$34.

Leslie A. Waldron, 17, Boyne City, speeding \$28.

Norman D. Kline, 27, Boyne Falls, violating basic speed law (too fast) \$25.

Margaret A. Imel, 50, East Jordan, speeding \$31.

Charles A. Whitman, 23, Boyne City, speeding \$25.

Chester A. Wills, 36, Boyne City, speeding \$28.

Gerard H. Danilist, 45, Boyne Falls, speeding \$25.

Gary L. Wasanen, 34, Boyne City, speeding \$25.

David M. Lee, 19, Warren, speeding \$25.

Robert C. Finout, 54, Petoskey, speeding \$25.

Grace S. Martineck, 53, Stewart, speeding \$25.

John C. Fikema, Jr., 24, Grand Rapids, speeding \$25.

Robert Kulla, 18, Warren, 11 no cycle endorsement on license \$25.

121 no helmet on cycle \$25.

James W. Hudis, 46, Boyne City, speeding \$25.

Gary J. Chasson, 28, Boyne City, speeding \$30.

Lynda S. Kaiser, 25, Sisters Lake, speeding \$32.

James R. Daniels, 20, Boyne Falls, speeding \$25.

Kathleen A. Bakke, 26, Gaylord, speeding \$25.

Bonnie L. Shively, 38, Petoskey, speeding \$30.

Jack D. Nelson, 30, Cadillac, speeding \$25.

William R. Mitting, 39, Boyne City, speeding \$30.

Freeman J. Lambright, 58, Topsis, Indiana, speeding \$22.

Robert M. DeFew, 20, Lansing, speeding \$25.

Donald M. Winowiecki, 22, Boyne City, speeding \$28.

William G. Coover, 47, Charlevoix, speeding \$33.

Patrick V. Hebel, 30, Grand Haven, speeding \$25.



ROBERT TILDEN and Mike Custer examine golf clubs in preparation for the Independent Insurance Agents of Northern Michigan Youth Golf Classic June 16 and 17 at the Petoskey Bay View Country Club. The two golfers are being sponsored by Dick Martin and Don Vason of the Charlevoix Agency. Winners in the Northern Michigan tournament will play in the 36 hole state qualifying round in Bay City June 24.

Humane Society



THESE THREE LIGHT orange male kittens were found in a trash can behind the Boyne City Police Department and brought to the Charlevoix County Humane Society by Lillian Bergmann. Bill Miller of the Society took them home, later trained them and taught them to eat. They are now available for adoption from the Society, which is located adjacent to the Sheriff's Department and is open from 1 to 6 p.m. Monday through Friday.



IT'S hard to imagine what more you could ask for, a panoramic view of Grand Traverse Bay from this newly redecorated three bedroom home with fireplace & water softener. Located in one of the north's most attractive developments, the sportsman will appreciate the availability of the 18 hole golf course, tennis courts, cross country skiing, Lake Michigan access & club house. Ideal for year 'round residence or as a resort home, call today for further details.

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Marriages

The following marriage licenses were issued recently by the Charlevoix County Clerk:

Michael B. Davis, 22, Boyne City, and Catherine J. Pluster, 19, Boyne City.

T. Stewart Backus, 57, Boyne City, and Audrey A. Adamski, 42, Boyne City.

Milton D. Sanford, 41, Boyne City, and Cleo M. Dawson, 52, Boyne City.

Mark J. Stanley, 21, Vernon, Connecticut, and Jeryl Anne Carey, 21, Charlevoix.

Frank J. Fox, 54, Blue Bell, Pennsylvania, and Patricia Doyle Begrow, 46, Charlevoix.

Edmund L. Gujar, 19, Boyne City, and Debra J. Brooks, 19, Boyne City.

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Jim M. Kenny, 20, East Jordan, and Laura P. Gagnon, 16, East Jordan.

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Clinton-Bridge intersection accident prone



THE CORNER of Bridge and Clinton streets is the most dangerous one in the county according to state police statistics. More than 20 accidents took place there last year.

By PAULA HOLMES

Next time you drive through the intersection of Bridge Street and Clinton Street in Charlevoix be careful.

According to Michigan State Police statistics, that intersection is the most dangerous one in Charlevoix County.

Last year, 22 accidents occurred in the intersection, which is the site of the only stop light in town, or within a 150-foot radius of the area. Twelve more accidents occurred at that intersection than at any other intersection in the county.

You don't have to fear for your life when you drive through the Bridge-Clinton intersection, however, not one person was injured in all of the accidents that occurred at the intersection.

Sgt. M. J. Richter, of the state police traffic and safety division, said:

Richter said the second most dangerous intersection in the county is at the corner of M-75 and U.S. 131 in Melrose Township, which is also the site of a traffic light. Last year, 10 accidents took place at the intersection including 4 accidents where 10 people were injured.

The statistics about Charlevoix County traffic accidents are a part of the new Michigan Accident Location Index System operated by the state police. The system started as a pilot project in Kalamazoo County six years ago in response to one of 18 federal government traffic safety standards that required states to know where their high accident locations were.

"We were already getting reports from all of the law enforcement agencies about the types of accidents that were happening, but we didn't know where they were happening," Richter said. "And we couldn't really set up a program to reduce accidents if we didn't know where they were."

So the state police decided to set up a computer program that indexed all of the roads in the state and included measurements of the roads from intersection to intersection.

Now when an officer fills out an accident report, he can state how many feet the accident occurred from which intersection and that information will be fed into the computer and a running tally will be kept on the number of

accidents occurring in that location.

The police are hoping that this information can be used to work out a program that would reduce accidents at the most dangerous intersections.

The computer is not set up to handle accident locations for all of the roads in Charlevoix County yet. Only those roads that intersect with state trunklines have been indexed on the computer. But the department is working on adding the local roads to the index system and anticipates that the work on the Charlevoix County road system should be completed next year.

Richter said that most of the dangerous intersections in the county were located in the City of Charlevoix, however, Charlevoix is the only city in the county with a major federal highway running through it.

Other dangerous intersections in the city include: the corner of Petoskey Avenue and Nichols Street where nine accidents took place including one with one person injured; the corner of Bridge Street and Belvedere Avenue where eight accidents occurred including one where three people were injured; the corner of Bridge Street and Park Avenue where eight accidents took place with no injuries; the corner of Bridge and State streets where six accidents took place including two where two people were injured; the corner of Bridge

and Antrim Streets where six accidents took place with no injuries; the corner of Bridge and Upright streets where five accidents took place with no injuries; the corner of Bridge and Mason streets where five accidents occurred with no injuries; and the corner of Michigan and Dixon avenues where five accidents occurred including two where three persons were injured.

Richter said statistics showed 813 accidents took place in Charlevoix county in 1976 including six fatal accidents that involved the death of eight people. There were 208 accidents involving the injury of 327 people.

Of the 813 accidents 107 accidents involved animals, 14 involved motorcycles, 10

were roll overs, 9 were bicycles and 3 involved pedestrians. In 120 of the accidents someone had been drinking.

Of 1,202 drivers involved in the 813 accidents, 204 drivers were between 20 to 24 years old and 261 were between 25 to 34 years old. Approximately 780 of the drivers were county residents with 340 Michigan residents from other counties involved in the accidents and 36 from out of state. About 45 driver's home residents were not known. Of the fatal accidents, five of the nine drivers were county residents.

Of the 1,202 drivers involved in accidents, only 349 were female, which is about the state average, Richter said.

Auto accidents cost \$1.2 million in county in 1976

Getting into an automobile accident can be pretty expensive.

The latest figures from the Highway Users Federation and others show the annual cost of accidents in Charlevoix County is about \$1,271,000 for the 8,950 passenger cars in operation locally. Included in the cost are: medical expenses, loss of earnings, loss

of production and property damage.

For the State of Michigan, the total cost of automobile accidents annually is given as \$410 million, equivalent to \$142 per registered motor vehicle in the state. This compares with an average of \$114 per vehicle throughout the United States as a whole and with \$132 in the East North Central

states.

The overall cost of automobile accidents amounts to about \$20 billion a year nationally.

Living in a rural area doesn't necessarily mean your chances of getting into an automobile accident are any less, either. Insurance statistics indicate that one car in every ten is involved in a

traffic accident each year.

And according to the National Safety Council, about two out of every three motor vehicle deaths occur in places classified as rural. The victims, in the rural cases, are usually the occupants of the cars. In urban areas, on the other hand, two out of five victims are pedestrians.

New superintendent hired

By FRAN MARTIN assistant to the president of The administrative Kellogg Community College

HOTLINE

Dial 547-8559

Hotline lets others know what you think. Tell us your opinion on anything by calling 547-8559 anytime after 6 p.m. No need to give your name. Selected opinions will appear each week.

I am a mother of five living in Charlevoix and I would like to give you my opinion on something. There is no place in Charlevoix that sells cigarettes that won't sell them to minors. I've seen and heard of middle school children spending their lunch money on cigarettes. A cigarette and a candy bar is what their lunch is, I guess. Please don't say "it's the parents fault," because that's a cop-out for the greedy merchant. Parents can't follow their children around all over town, every waking hour. We preach, we beg, we threaten them not to smoke. But our words don't mean one thing when they can go anywhere and buy cigarettes. I asked one merchant about this and she said she doesn't have time to check I.D.'s. It's really a shame that she can't tell the difference between an 11 year old and an 18 year old. Our show is the same way. No youngster is ever turned away from an 11-rated movie if he or she pays the full price. Also, if the drinking age is raised to 19, so what? One store, in particular, has been selling beer to minors for years and we all know that. Our police department must know all about this, but why hasn't something been done about it? Laws are being broken, crimes are being committed! My youngest children don't smoke or drink yet, but let them tell you about all the burn-outs in the middle school and high school. It's true. Ask the teachers. It's truly pathetic. And we allow this to happen. So, come on folks, help us all to help our kids. Is a sale like that so important to you merchants or is greed the name of the game, even here in Charlevoix.

P.S.

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In answer to a question

has been named superintendent of the Charlevoix Public Schools.

Gordon W. VanWieren, 44, was selected from among 100 applicants for the position being vacated by James A. McKinnis, superintendent for the past three years. McKinnis is leaving Charlevoix to become superintendent of the Cadillac Public Schools.

VanWieren was hired for the position by the Charlevoix Board of Education Monday night. He will receive a three-year contract which was expected to be mailed to him Tuesday for his signature. The terms of the contract include a salary of \$25,545, a car allowance of \$2,400 (using his own vehicle) and the fringe benefits offered all school administrators.

The new superintendent of schools will take office July 1.

In accepting his new position, VanWieren said he and his family had wanted to return to Northern Michigan since living in Indian River where he was a teacher-coach, principal and superintendent.

He explained he had set out for himself to earn his doctorate degree and he had gone to southern Michigan to be near universities where he could work toward obtaining his degree. Now that he will receive his Ph. D. this summer, VanWieren said he wanted to return to the area he liked best.

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regarding salaries, VanWieren said he was willing to take a cut in salary if necessary in order to return to the north country. He added that he had found the "biggest is not always the best" and that he was anxious to return to an area and a smaller school where he felt he would be happier.

A native of Cadillac, VanWieren received his B.A. degree from Central Michigan University in 1958; his M.A. degree in counseling and guidance from Michigan State University in 1962; Ed. S. degree from CMU and will complete his doctorate in education this summer.

His wife, Jean, has a masters degree in reading and is a member of the Reading Association.

They have four children, three daughters and a son. Two daughters are in college, another is in high school and the son will enter high school this fall.

Bus schedules revamped, kids can take it to Ferry Avenue beach

By PAULA HOLMES

Take a bus to the beach? That's right, Charlevoix residents will be able to take a bus from Veterans Memorial Park on Bridge Street to Ferry Avenue Beach for a mere two-bits, thanks to the revised summer schedule of Wolverine Stages.

Pelletier-based bus company that has been running a mass transit system in Northern Michigan from Mackinaw City to Charlevoix to Petoskey a year ago with two runs at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. from Veterans Memorial Park and the Charlevoix Airport.

In addition to the meager revenues the bus run has made, it is supported by a \$34,000 grant from the Department of State Highways and Transportation out of the gasoline tax fund.

Beginning next Wednesday, area residents will be able to ride to the beach from downtown Charlevoix at 11 a.m. and to return to the downtown area at 3 p.m.

"We're adding the beach run as a means of introducing the bus system to Charlevoix residents and visitors," J.J. Rudnick, of the Bureau of Urban Transportation in Lansing, explained. "We thought this run would also help parents who usually have to cart their kids to the beach. This summer the kids can take the bus."

The bus will also be leaving Charlevoix at 7:30 a.m., 11:25 a.m. and 3 p.m. and returning to town at 11 a.m., 2 p.m. and 5:27 p.m. beginning next Wednesday.

"We felt the basic needs of Charlevoix residents for a bus system centered around the college, getting to the doctor's office and shopping," Rudnick explained. "So we tried to adjust our schedule to the travel habits of the majority of the people."

"We're still open to suggestions, however."

The state official stressed the importance of using the bus system.

"The state will subsidize the bus run for two years," Rudnick explained. "After that if the run isn't self-

supporting it will be dropped. "You know what they say—use it or lose it."

Rudnick said the Mackinac City to Boyne City run is now more than two years old and is self-supporting.

"With the energy crisis, buses are going to become more and more important," Rudnick said. "Michigan is way ahead of many other states because we have mass transit systems already in place. We're not like other states who have yet to set the systems up."

"All we're asking people to do is on one out of every 10 trips they take, take the bus. This would represent a fuel savings of 10 percent in our state."

"Some day we may need that fuel."

reading program for students in the middle school who need extra attention was turned down by a vote of 494 to 484 with six ballots spoiled.

The 5 mill tax levy for five years to underwrite the cost of operating the Charlevoix Public Library was renewed by a margin of 26 votes with 502 casting yes votes and 476 casting no votes with six ballots spoiled.

The school district voters also cast their ballots for three trustees to the Charlevoix-Ennet Intermediate School District Board of Education.

The candidates leading in the intermediate school board race at press time were: Clayton Healey, current president of the board, and two newcomers Mary Ann McCullough of Petoskey and Frederick Bruce Bergmann of Charlevoix.

Intermediate school district candidates and the votes they received in the Charlevoix School District follow: Frederick Bruce Bergmann, 11; Clayton Healey, 10; Mary Ann McCullough, 9.

Three public meetings on the proposed charter for the city of Charlevoix have been scheduled by the Charlevoix Charter Commission, according to Chairman Richard Fochtman.

Fochtman said the meetings have been called by ward to familiarize voters with the ward convention system provided for in the new home-rule document.

All of the meetings have been scheduled for 7:30 p.m. at the High School study hall. Ward III voters will meet Tuesday, June 21; Ward II Wednesday, June 22; and Ward I Tuesday, June 28.

Fochtman said voters who are unable to attend their own ward meeting are welcome to sit in on any of the three meetings.

A special city-wide election on the charter will be held July 12 at the city hall from 7 a.m. until 8 p.m. Absent voter applications are available from the city clerk.

If approved, the first ward conventions to nominate aldermen and the city clerk will be held in September, followed by a general city election in November. Terms of office under the new charter begin Jan. 1.

William Fochtman did not seek re-election.

A total of 964 votes including 50 absentee ballots out of a possible 4,000 votes were cast in Monday's election.

Charter commission slates public hearings

Mrs. Pointner, Novak elected in local school board race

Bus Survey

Weather

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Watermelon 10¢ LB.

Plums 79¢ LB.

Calif. Carrots 2# bag 49¢

Chocolate Chip Biggs or Choc. Fudge Sandwich 59¢

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Community Calendar

Wednesday, June 15
 Charlevoix Chapter No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet at the Masonic Temple 8 p.m.
 TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towley, Loeb Rd. 8 p.m.
 Father Charles Antekler, charismatic Roman Catholic priest will speak on the present day move of the Holy Spirit in the Roman Catholic Church at 7 p.m. at the Jordan Valley Assembly of God church, 319 So. M-66 East Jordan.
Thursday, June 16
 Bethany Lutheran Church Women's Guild will sponsor a hot casserole-salad buffet luncheon at church at 1479 Bridge St. 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m.
Friday, June 17
 Al-Anon Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal church at 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For more information call 547-2145.
Saturday, June 18
 Petoskey Whirl-Away Western Square Dance Club will meet at Lincoln school, Petoskey, 8-10:30 p.m. Members are asked to bring sandwiches for refreshments. Visitors welcome.
Sunday, June 19
 Father's Day... He likes to be remembered, too. Straits Area Ostomy Association will meet. Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.
Monday, June 20
 Charlevoix Board of Education will meet at the high school study hall 7:30 p.m.
 Charlevoix Band Boosters will meet at high school band room 7:30 p.m.
 Charlevoix Lalche League will meet at Diane Bowman's home, 705 E. Main, Boyne City at 7:30. For information call Jennie Bellairs, 547-6253.
Tues.-Sat. June 21-25
 Michigan Amateur Golf Championship at Belvedere Golf course. Medal play will begin 7 a.m. Tuesday and Wednesday.
Tuesday, June 21
 American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m.
 Men's Prayer meeting 7 a.m. Community Church of God.
Wed., June 22
 Round Lake Lodge No. 203, I.O.O.F., will hold its last meeting until Sept. 21 at 8 p.m.
June 21-25
 Michigan Amateur Golf Championship will open at the Belvedere and Harbor Point Golf Courses. Medal play Tuesday and Wednesday with tee off time scheduled for 7 a.m. Match 'play' begins Thursday.
Tuesday, June 14
 Charlevoix Board of Education will meet at the high school study hall 7:30 p.m.

Phyllis Loucks joins staff at Charlevoix city hall

A new face will be greeting visitors to the city administrators office from now on.

Phyllis L. Loucks has been hired as secretary to the administrator to replace Barbara Black, who is moving out of the state. Mrs. Black had held the position for one year.

Mrs. Loucks is no stranger to the Charlevoix area. She grew up here, attended Charlevoix schools and has also worked in the area at House Furnishings in Petoskey, at Haskins.



Phyllis Loucks

City crews busy working on street lights

City of Charlevoix electric crews have been busy working on street lights and electric outlets throughout the city.

Crews completed work on replacing bulbs in all but two outlets on Lincoln Street last week. The old bulbs were replaced with high pressure sodium lights, Allen Sandburg, city administrator, said.

During this week the crews will be working on Dixon Avenue and Meek and Prospect Streets installing new posts and eliminating the temporary overhead wires hanging along the streets.

The lights will also be on individual circuits so that if one light goes bad, all of the street lights won't be affected as is now the case.

City crews also installed electrical outlets on the light posts in East Park, Sandberg said. This will eliminate the need to string overhead wires in the park for the special events that will be held in the park this summer.

In the past the wires were needed to bring electricity to the park. Now each pole will be a power source.

Grant for Mt. McSaubia awarded

The Mt. McSaubia recreation area may have a new look this winter or even late this summer.

The City of Charlevoix has received a \$17,000 grant from the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation, part of the federal Department of Interior, Rep. Philip Ruppe, R-Houghton, has announced.

The grant funds, which must be matched with \$17,000 of city funds, will be used to construct hockey and ice skating rinks, a multipurpose building with restroom and shower facilities and a road in the recreation area.

Dwight Boss, recreation director, said he hadn't been notified about the grant yet, but that he would like to get construction started as soon as possible.

Mayor names new standing committees

New standing committees for the Charlevoix Common Council have been appointed by Mayor Edward Hansen.

The committees and their members are: Finance and Budget, George Plumm, chairman, Ivan Whitley, Sue Erber, Utilities and Streets, Joe Morris, George Plumm, Haywood, chairman, George Plumm, Ivan Whitley, Police, Fire and Ordinance, Sue Erber, chairman, Jeanne Wallace, Joe Morris, Marina, Recreation, Public Buildings, Planning, Joe Morris, Jeanne Wallace.

The aldermen will serve on the committees for the 1977-78 fiscal year.

Evangelist to address Assembly of God members

A special series of services will be held at the Charlevoix Assembly of God Church this week.

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Ward convention important charter change

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the second in a series of four articles discussing the proposed new charter and the changes it would make in the operation of government in the City of Charlevoix. This story will cover Article 3 and 4 of the charter which deals with administration and registration, nominations and elections.

The format will be the same as last week including a condensed version of the charter followed by comments from Richard Fochtman, charter commission chairman, and John Michael, charter commission member.

Article 3—Administration
 The administrative officials of the City shall be the City Manager, City Clerk, City Assessor and City Treasurer. All appointments, promotions, and compensation of administrative officials of the City shall be made solely on evidence of merit.

The City Manager shall be appointed by a majority vote of the entire Council for an indefinite term. The appointment shall be subject to the approval of the City Manager, City Clerk, City Assessor and City Treasurer. All appointments, promotions, and compensation of administrative officials of the City shall be made solely on evidence of merit.

The City Manager shall prepare and submit the Annual Operating Budget and Capital program to the Council. The City Manager shall submit to the Council and make available to the public a complete report on the financial and administrative activities of the City for the past year at the annual ward conventions.

The City Clerk shall be elected by a majority vote of the electors at large. The City Attorney shall be appointed by a majority vote of the entire Council.

The City Treasurer shall be appointed by the City Manager with a majority consent of the entire Council. The City Treasurer shall be appointed by a majority vote of the entire Council.

Several changes have been made in the duties of city officials in Article 3, Fochtman and Michael pointed out. The city manager's powers are broadened and the clerk and treasurer's duties are modified.

The two charter commissioners said the city manager's duties and responsibilities have been changed in line with the changes in the charter that make the operation of city government more like the operation of a business.

The city manager's responsibilities are broadened so that he may act like the president of a corporation, the two men explained. Under the new charter, "When you appoint someone you can set qualifications they must meet," Fochtman said.

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Other officials with changed duties include the clerk and treasurer. Under the new charter, the city clerk will be elected by the people to serve as the clerk of the council, Fochtman explained. The clerk will sign ordinances and bonds and keep the minutes of the council.

The city treasurer would become an appointed official and would be the chief financial officer of the city. "When you elect someone you can't set up any qualifications they must meet," Fochtman said.

Fochtman said many people might argue that Richard Austin does not have qualifications to be Secretary of State, but his department runs well and he was elected to his position.

As Secretary of State he can hire professionals to do the job that needs being done," the charter commission chairman said. "The city of Charlevoix cannot afford to hire the number of professionals it needs and pay the salary of an elected official in that department."

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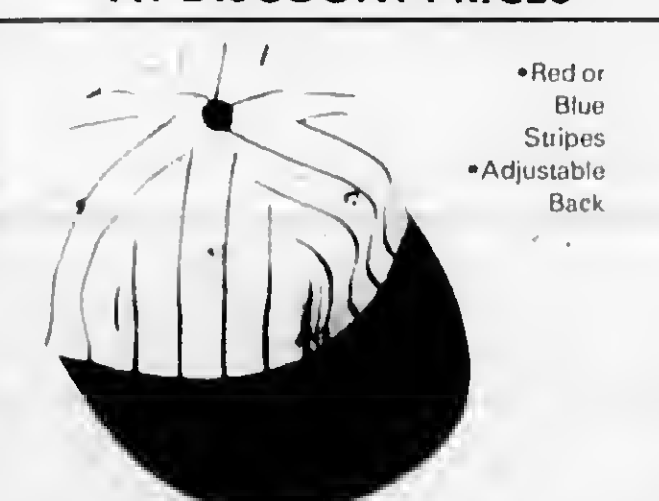


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Council grants variance

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some sort of business on the land within a year or it would revert back to the city.

He did build two buildings, but there is some question about where the buildings are located and if they are on two parcels of land.

Dyksterhouse would now like to sell some of the land to Paul Hufford for the relocation of an industry from East Jordan, but it is now clear who owns the land and the city or Dyksterhouse, according to the title company.

Council is continuing study of the issue.

Council also hired Robert Patter, Marion Township supervisor and assessor, to work part time as city assessor, for \$6,500 a year.



TWO STUDENTS were awarded \$150 scholarships by the Charlevoix Area Hospital Guild this year. Theresa Russell and Laurie Barry receive checks from Janet Friedinger, chairman of the scholarship committee, as other members of the committee, Anne Georgi and Pat Bickerteth look on. Miss Russell will be entering a medical assistant program at North Western Michigan Community College in Traverse City and Miss Barry will study nursing in a four year baccalaureate program at Northern Michigan University in Marquette.

Grandvue auxiliary awards scholarship

The Grandvue Medical Care Facility Auxiliary has awarded its annual scholarship to a Boyne City student.

graduate of Boyne City High School, has been awarded the \$300 scholarship, Johanna Gunn, chairman of the Scholarship Committee, announced. Mrs. Gunn said the scholarship is awarded on the basis of scholastic standing and need.

Miss Gunderson is planning to pursue a nursing career at North-Central Michigan College.

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Editorials/Opinions

It's time to review need for county-wide zoning in Charlevoix

Charlevoix County should mourn the resignation of County Planner Bill Mercer. Mercer has worked hard to protect the county not only from downstate developers and others who saw Charlevoix County as a place to make a quick buck, but also from itself through forward-looking planning and zoning ideas.

At the instruction of the county board of commissioners, Mercer and the county planning commission wrote a county zoning ordinance in 1972 which was in effect for approximately nine months and then was thrown out following a referendum vote.

Since the defeat of county-wide zoning, all of the townships in the county have adopted their own ordinances and with the help of the Office of Planning and Zoning are attempting to administer and enforce them.

Mercer has worked hard to educate the various zoning officials in the county, holding many workshops for them as well as spending long hours on the phone and in person working with individual zoning administrators.

The county planner has also worked hard with the members of the county planning commission trying to help them find an effective direction to follow as they work with planning and zoning projects in the county.

Now as the planning commissioners and the county commissioners prepare to look for a new county planner and zoning administrator, perhaps it is time for all county residents as well as the officials to take a hard look at the state of planning and zoning in the county.

Residents and officials should ask themselves if planning and zoning the way it is currently being handled is doing what it was designed to do. The answer will probably be no.

Because each township has its own ordinance, someone

wishing to build a home or bring a business into the area must run hither and high searching for the proper zoning ordinance for each different parcel of land the buyer may look at. Instead of making it easier for a buyer to find land suited to his or her purpose, this type of zoning makes it harder.

Also because each township has its own ordinance there is some inequity for people who may be living right across the street from each other but in different townships. One township has the land zoned for one use and another township has it zoned for something else. There is no continuity of zoning from township to township.

Administration of the zoning ordinance at the township is also difficult not only because few of the administrators have had any training in planning and zoning but also because many of the administrators and zoning board members are related to people they have to make decisions about. Their decisions are muddled by these conflicts and definite inconsistencies arise in administering the zoning ordinance that probably would not arise if it were done on a county level.

And as people begin to challenge zoning more and more because of the inequities in the administration and enforcement of the ordinances, townships will face financial hardships as they pile up legal bills defending the zoning ordinance. A county at least has more resources to fall back on when a zoning ordinance is challenged.

But the zoning and planning situation in Charlevoix County can never be changed merely by the whim of officials. The changes must come from the people. People who are concerned about protecting the county and make it a place where farmers, businessmen, industrialists, schools and families can live together in harmony in the best use of the land.

At least think about it.



Crew here, willing to buy — providing a presidential yacht doesn't have to observe any 200 mile fishing limit.



Clockwise by Bob Clock

Back in the winter of 1973-74, when Clockwise was still at the altar of the Charlevoix Courier, clouds of economic uncertainty were fast gathering on the horizon.

Inflation was rampant and getting worse. Jobs were becoming fewer and fewer. Interest rates were climbing to record levels. And taxes had started their long march upward.

As the editor of a country weekly I had daily reminders that all was not well on the economic front. I remember one reader calling to say she would have to cancel her subscription after 25 years. "There's just no money left!" she complained.

Others would call the office or drop in looking for a shoulder to cry on. Breadwinners were laid off. Ungodly medical bills had wiped out the savings of a lifetime. A cripple in his seventies was in the process of repairing his own second story roof because he couldn't afford to hire it done. His wife with a failing heart was supposed to stand on the ground and hold the ladder.

"Holy Moses!" I said to Advertising Manager Cheryl Gail one day after a particularly heartrending recitation of economic bills. "Unless they get some help, some of these people are going to go hungry before long."

One immediate effect of the burgeoning recession was a special reduced senior citizens rate for the Courier. But someone that didn't seem to be helped was the disabled. The little savings wouldn't buy a good meal for a midday.

Then we started kicking around the idea of a community garden, sponsored either by the county or the city. Folks at the county building weren't too hot on the idea, the county being as big and as sparsely populated as it is. But city fathers were interested. Hooray!

The Courier arranged a meeting between members of the council and County Agent Ed Rebanan to discuss details of a community garden project. We ran several back-to-back editorials endorsing, honest toll and the

Paula Holmes... Speaking Her Mind

I love children. I think they're really neat no matter what age, size, shape or form they come in.

It's incredible to watch as children begin learning about the world I have lived in for so long. Everything is fresh and new in their eyes. They see something special in things I have walked by many times without even a blink of an eye.

Most of the children I know have a wonderful outlook on life. They usually pick out a good thing and are totally oblivious to the bad. Children have a type of joy about life that is unequalled. Not all children are this way, however, and that's too bad. These few children shouldn't be deprived of a chance to satisfy their curiosity and test their wings as they grow into adults.

I was a tutor once to a first grade boy that had been neglected by his parents. He wasn't beaten or bruised, he was just forgotten. His parents didn't like him or want him.

And this lack of love had turned a mere six-year-old into an emotional wreck. He couldn't do his schoolwork like the other children because he couldn't concentrate on the subject long enough to get the work done.

It was painful to watch as he struggled to prove he could be like the other children and do the work. And he could have done the work, he was actually quite a bright child. But he found it hard to believe in himself because nobody else did.

It's because of this small boy I tutored



Erma Bombeck

One of the chores that was never mentioned in my job description when I became a wife and mother was that of mediator between the Family Doctor and the Family Sicker.

You know how it goes. Your child comes in from play and says, "I don't feel well. My legs feel like they got little ants crawling over them, my head hurts real bad, I got a big pain right here on my side, and I can't see real well. Everything turns black and I'm dizzy and burning up and then I got this real chill and sometimes there's a ringing in my ears and..."

As you herd the child into bed, your blood turns to ice as you hurriedly call the doctor.

"Could you bring him to my office around 3:00?" he asks.

There's not one of them who go, "No, he stands up. 'You are assuming that he will last until 3:00. I want you to come here!'"

Sometimes my performance is so convincing a doctor will actually stop off on his way home, he enters the room of the Sicker.

At the sight of the doctor the kid starts to move about like a Japanese volleyball team. He springs into the air, falls on the mattress on his face, giggling and laughing, hiding behind the pillow, brings out his puppets, turning on the record player, dancing and singing into the doctor's stethoscope.

"Is this the child who is going to that big playroom in the sky?" he asks

Meet Charlevoix ...Mickey Grooters

Mickey Grooters is a newcomer to Charlevoix. She and her husband, the Reverend Larry Grooters of the Community Reformed Church of Charlevoix, arrived February 6 from Scottsdale, Arizona. This week we introduce her to our readers.

COURIER: February wasn't a very good time to come to Northern Michigan from Arizona, was it?

GROOTERS: Well, we left a major part of our income at the mall in Grand Rapids buying jackets, boots and sweaters. Our two youngest children had never seen snow, either. However, the people at Community Reformed have been just super warm and very friendly. Their warmth helped make up for the cold when we arrived and they were patient with me complaining about the cold.

COURIER: How old are your children?

GROOTERS: John is 15, Laura is 11, and Jeff is 10.

COURIER: Tell us something about yourself.

GROOTERS: I grew up in Grand Rapids and graduated from Hope College. I taught English for two years, in Hamilton, Michigan, and Morrison, Illinois. Then we served a church in Rockford, and from there went to Scottsdale, while in Scottsdale I received a Master's degree in English from Arizona State University and taught at Scottsdale Community College.

COURIER: What are your special interests?

GROOTERS: I enjoy teaching the Bible and English and dabbling in small group possibilities. My interests tend to run toward the academic. However, I did take tennis lessons and enjoyed them.

COURIER: What is it like to be a minister's wife?

GROOTERS: It depends on what day you ask. Basically, it does not have to be any different from that of a wife of any other professional man. Doctors' wives have certain functions they must perform, as do lawyers' wives and others. I'm committed to being a minister's wife. I interpret my own role as a minister's wife as that of any other involved lay person. I resist being put on a pedestal. Sometimes I get excited about teaching the Bible or serving the ministry or having my own ministry because I believe that psychology, education, and politics are not the whole answer. Faith in Christ can touch man or society where there is the greatest need. Psychology, education, politics and social action alone are diminutive gods, as Lloyd Ogilvie would say. In the ministry we can use the best of these and add the teachings of Christ.

COURIER: What are the frustrations?

GROOTERS: What plans do you have for the future? I want to be to other people what Jesus has been to me. I want to share where I am with the Lord and show how the Bible is operative in my life.

COURIER: What plans do your husband and you have for the church?

GROOTERS: Larry would like to see the church move in three areas — Bible study, small group experiences, and offering tools to help people be Christians in parenting, at work, and in other day to day activities — psychological and sociological tools. We will institute the Bethel Bible



Mickey Grooters

Series in the Fall. It is an intensive Bible study course, given in groups of eight to 10 people requiring eight to 40 hours of preparation a week. It starts with Genesis and ends with Revelations two years later. Then the people who have taken the course will commit themselves to teach for two years. When we came here we started a small sharing group with the church board. They meet once a week, using the material "Ideas of Adventure" — family prayers, Bible study, etc. We hope the Board members will lead the congregation in the same material. We are going to have a course in parenting, to be taught by a member who is a psychologist. Certain psychological techniques are helpful. Right now I'm going around to see what the resources of the community are — job possibilities, community people to come into the church and share their expertise, for instance. I went to Women's Resource Center in Potosky to see what it has to offer. I think there are many real needs women have and the Bible is the bottom line and you build from there. Larry has always given me freedom to be myself. It's something I'll always treasure.

COURIER: What about the new coffee house?

GROOTERS: Our church, the Methodist church, and the Assembly of God sponsor the coffee house, called Quaker Pass, in the lower level of Kentucky Fried Chicken Saturday nights. We started last Saturday, and each Saturday there will be Christian musical groups. It's one way to serve.

COURIER: What do you see as the task of the church?

GROOTERS: It should be a place for people to come in and find love and acceptance as unique people.



THIS IS HOW THE Pine River Channel looked about 1886. The picture, taken from the Fountain City House, shows a schooner being towed through the lower channel into Lake Michigan. The board sidewalk leads to the catwalk on the North Pier. (Photo, courtesy of Charlevoix Historical Society)

Energy code adds restrictions

By PEG OILE

The Michigan Energy Code, which becomes effective June 22, brings another restriction on homebuilding.

It will require that builders of all one or two-family dwellings to fill in a calculation sheet indicating insulation values for all spaces of the house—walls, windows and doors, ceilings and roofs, and floor assemblies—any space where cold can come in.

The building will then be inspected by the County Building Inspector before covering the walls to determine that enough insulation, according to a formula set by law, has been put in the building.

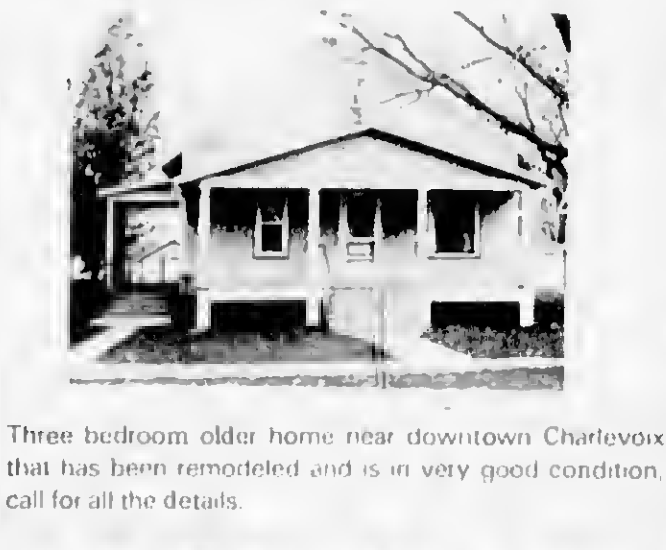
Purpose of the Energy Code is to conserve fuel. Although it applies to one and two-family dwellings, those homes which are heated solely by wood are exempt.

Larger residential buildings such as apartments and condominiums are covered through other regulations.

Presently, the building inspector is making inspections, the rough-in, foundations, the rough-in, and finished buildings. In addition, each building is inspected by a state plumbing inspector, and effective November 11, electrical inspection will become mandatory.

County Building Inspector Dick Mayhew says his office will try to make the calculating of insulation needs as simple as possible.

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Al Edwards to celebrate 80th birthday

Albert Edwards of Charlevoix will celebrate his 80th birthday June 18 with an open house in his home from 7 to 10 p.m. His daughters, Ruth North of Jonia and Elaine Shearer of Phoenix, Arizona, will host the party.

Edwards is a life-long resident of Charlevoix and a former partner of Edwards' Florist, from which he retired in 1961.

Special guests at the party will be his cousin, Franklin Edwards of Kent County, England, and his great-grandson, Jesse North, of Pennsylvania.

Franklin Edwards was born and spent his youth in Charlevoix, where his father managed the Boulder Farm near Mt. McSaba. The family originally lived in England and returned there in 1922.

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Letter to the editor

Little League says thanks

Dear Editor:

The Charlevoix Little League Auxiliary had their Fourth Annual Little League Luncheon May 28th. The luncheon was a great success thanks to the delicious food donated by the Little League mothers and the many items of merchandise donated for door prizes!

A special "THANK YOU" would like to be extended to the American Legion Leslie T. Shapton Post and their Auxiliary for allowing us to use their facilities.

We would also like to thank the following Charlevoix and surrounding area business places for their donations for our door prizes: Cinema III, Paul Bunyan Lanes, Grey Gables, Ron Pair Enterprises, Central Drug Store, Hooker's Cleaners, Lieberman's, Kentucky Fried chicken, Chain O'Lanes Campgrounds, Dockside Pharmacy, Essenberg's Store, Wharf Side Market, Edward's I.G.A., Bartlett's Decorator Center, Charlevoix Co-op, Hess Furniture, Marden's Hobbycraft, Haggard's Bed and Bath, Shop of The Gals, and Kit Carson's Lumber Company.

Sincerely,
Joan Smith,
Chairman
Little League Auxiliary

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If it Fitz
by Jim Fitzgerald

Dear Cousin Al:

Uncle Hank was in Detroit yesterday and he told me the dumb things you said about my column against boxing. You said if I knew how to box, maybe I could protect myself against muggers. You also said you hoped Chuck Davey punched me out.

You always were a jerk, Al, especially when it came to fighting. I can still remember when we were little kids and Joe Louis whipped Jimmy Braddock. You swore Louis had horseshoes in his gloves, otherwise how could a black man beat an Irishman? I told you a lot of good Irishmen were poets and it would be a better world if there were more poetry and less fighting. You said I was a nutty sissy.

That was more than 40 years ago but I still feel the same way today. But you've changed, Al. Last year when we went to Las Vegas, you practically kissed Joe Louis' tanny when you asked for his autograph. Maybe you don't think his tanny is black.

Anyway, Al, I know you'll be interested to know that I had lunch last week with Chuck Davey, one of your favorite Irish fighters. He didn't like my anti-boxing column any more than you did, but he was more polite about it. Davey had good reason to be peeved at me. I wrote that professional

Fighters are okay

prizefighting is barbaric and crooked. As you know, Davey is not only a former boxer, he is Michigan's commissioner of boxing. And I wrote that he had to be a lousy commissioner because it would be impossible to have a good commissioner of boxing, just as it would be impossible to have a good commissioner of cockfighting or mugging.

So, when Davey invited me to lunch, I'll admit I flinched before accepting. I kept remembering what he did a few years ago when he was 50 years old. He looked out his office window and saw some punk trying to steal his car. Davey didn't call the cops. He chased the thief down and made the arrest himself, without breathing hard. That punk would have had an easier time stealing Cobo Hall.

Our lunch was 2 days after Muhammad Ali's dance with that Argentine bum on TV. I asked Davey if he agreed with the experts who claimed Ali had carried his hapless opponent to his knees so the network could show all the commercials it had sold. My point was that such a maneuver could be crooked. If a baseball team can score 10 runs in the first inning, it does, no matter how much beer and hot dogs you don't let to bored spectators who go home early. If Ali could have flattened the Argentine in the first round, he should have done it. Otherwise, the fight was a fraud, not a sport.

Davey said the so-called experts are nuts. He claimed that the Argentine was better than expected and that Ali didn't knock him out early because he couldn't.

Davey also insisted that there was nothing smelly about his long-ago fight with Graziano. And he denied my contention that all boxers want to kill each other. Davey said he fought to score points, like an electronic fence, and never cared about knocking out his opponent. He said boxing is a fine way for young men to gain confidence, to compete against people their own size, and to escape trouble in the streets.

So there you are, Al. Don't ever say I never give space to the other guy's opinion. Chuck Davey refutes the old wheeze about the fighters ending up with ugly faces and scrambled brains. He is sharp, and he is a nice guy.

After lunch, Davey even offered me a ride back to the office. But I refused. I told him I had to keep walking until I found a mugger to send home to my dumb cousin, speaker of scrambled brains. I promised Davey I wouldn't go for a knockout.

-Your Cousin

Permit rules changed

Charlevoix County residents will no longer need a Building Code permit for residential construction work costing under \$500, except for structural work on chimneys.

They also will not have to pay fees for permits to demolish residential class buildings. However, permits must be secured.

These changes in the Building Code schedule of fees were made last week by the County Board of Commissioners.

"The Antrim/Charlevoix/Emmet Nutrition Program for the Elderly is now ACCEPTING BIDS for the preparation and serving of nutritionally balanced meals to persons 60 years of age and older and their spouse. Meals are served in the Central Lake, Ellsworth, Elk Rapids, Mancelona, Boyne Falls, Boyne City, Charlevoix, East Jordan, Alanson, Harbor Springs, Pellston and Potosky areas. Deadline for bids June 22, 1977. For more information please call 533-8429 or 533-8482, ask for Lucille Kayner."

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Cancer Society \$3,900 short of \$13,900 1977 fund goal

The Charlevoix County Unit of the American Cancer Society is just \$3,900 short of its \$13,900 1977 goal. Patty Muma, Crusade chairman, has announced.

Mrs. Muma said the cancer society had collected \$431 on

Beaver Island, \$1,635.66 in East Jordan and \$1,148.38 in Boyne City.

Cancer society volunteers also collected \$4,007.55 in the door-to-door campaign in Charlevoix with county businesses contributing \$1,090. Memorials donations amounted to \$70 and county residents mailed in \$30.

The special projects held this year by the cancer society also resulted in a large amount of the \$10,029.84 collected toward this year's goal. The bake sale netted \$385.50, the VFW Bingo dinner was \$96.80, the Grocery drawing, \$201.50, the Send a Mouse to College program, \$148.57, Legion Bingo, \$15.18, the TV drawing, \$25 and the bookends in taverns netted \$174.

Anyone wishing to contribute to the cancer society should contact Mrs. Muma in Boulder Park.

Potluck dinner to top Atwood reunion fest

Graduates of the Atwood School are planning a reunion for July 2 at the American Legion Hall in Ellsworth.

A potluck dinner will be held at 1 p.m. Please bring a dish to pass and high school counselors on the board providing input into ACT

Graduates are also asked to bring old snapshots and pictures from their school days.

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COUNTY COMMISSIONER Don Meggison helps himself to lunch while Sheriff George Lasater is host to the commissioners at the jail. In the background are Orval Suttill and Oscar Ward.

Commissioners taste jail fair

Members of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners ate jail fare for lunch last Wednesday.

During the lunch break in their regular monthly meeting they traveled to the County Jail, where they were served the same meal served to prisoners that day.

The meal consisted of chili dogs, complete with condiments, potato salad, chocolate tarts with topping, and coffee or lemonade. The county officials all agreed "it was a darned good meal."

Chuck Bentley named to ACT board

A Charlevoix High School teacher has been appointed to the Michigan Secondary School Council for ACT, a college testing service.

Charles Bentley, high school counselor, will serve with seven other high school counselors on the board providing input into ACT programs.

Bentley explained that almost all high school seniors in this state have to take the ACT college board tests in order to get into college. ACT also provides other services such as financial aid programs and career planning.

William Welke completes sheriff training course

William Welke of St. James, Beaver Island, where he is a part-time deputy and operator of the sub-station there, has attended an Advanced Police Training course at Kalamazoo Community College Sheriff

George T. Lasater has announced. The week-long training session is designed to bring veteran officers up to date on new procedures.

Welke has served as part-time deputy for several years at the county's most western outpost.

Trial reset for Bulmann

The trial of Irving Way Bulmann, 39, Detroit police sergeant, scheduled to begin last Wednesday, has been postponed to Friday Roy C. Hayes, Charlevoix County prosecutor, has announced.

Bulmann is expected to plead no contest (no contest) when he appears before Judge Martin B. Breighner on Friday. This would eliminate the necessity of a trial. Bulmann would then be sentenced following a pre-trial investigation by the probation officer.

Bulmann is charged with shooting William Teller, 21, of Berkeley in the parking lot of the Country House in South Arm township following an argument in the bar during a Hunter's Ball. Teller was hospitalized at Little Traverse Hospital and later was transferred to a Berkeley hospital for treatment of the abdominal wound.

Charismatic priest to visit area Assembly churches

The Rev. Fr. Charles Antekier of Belmont, charismatic Roman Catholic priest, will be the guest speaker at Assembly of God churches Tuesday and Wednesday.

He will be at the Boyne City church located at 509 N. East St. at 7 p.m. Tuesday and at the East Jordan church at 319 S. M-66 at 7 p.m. Wednesday.

Father Antekier will be speaking on the present-day meaning of the Holy Spirit in the Roman Catholic Church.

For more information call 582-6022 or 536-2747. Everyone is invited to attend any or all of the meetings.

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PICTURED HERE ARE Charlevoix residents who recently won medals in the statewide Special Olympics competition at Central Michigan University at Mt. Pleasant. In the front row are: (from left to right) David Vaughan, Patsy Zoulek and Kris Breckner. In the back row are Ed Hobbler, Dale Martin and Bernie Evers

Six capture Olympic medals

Six Charlevoix residents captured top honors during the recent state-wide Special Olympics competition at Central Michigan University in Mt. Pleasant.

The group brought home three gold medals and three silver medals as well as a bronze medal and a fourth place.

Medal winners were: Kris Breckner who won a gold medal in the softball throw, Dale Martin who won a gold medal in the 50-yard dash and a silver medal in the standing long jump, Patsy Zoulek who received a gold medal in the 50-yard dash and a silver medal in the standing long jump and a silver medal in the softball throw.

In city slo-pitch play Kit Carson team leads men's league

By KIP CINNAMON
In City Men's Slo-Pitch action on June 10th, the Kit Carson team won an extra innings victory over the Credit Union 10 to 9. Mike Brunett was tagged with the loss giving up 14 hits plus one home run to Terry Miller. Bob Holtzman picked up the win.

The following contest saw the Hawks trounce Erber Auto 15 to 2. Sam McCellan allowed only 10 hits to Erber, while John Greene parted with 17 hits including a homer to Steve McCellan.

Wojan Aluminum barely beat Fred Taylor Inc. in a slugfest that ended 22 to 20. Bill Supermax picked up his second win of the season's letting up 23 hits including a homer to Butch Potter, Ron Kooyer jd Rick Vanstedum. Taking the loss for Taylor, Inc. was Jack Danbert, who gave away 19 hits and 3 home runs struck out by Steve Dunkelberg and 1 by Dean Mikulski.

Erber Auto nicked the Credit Union in a defensive battle 4 to 2 on June 9th. John Greene earned the victory allowing 9 hits, while Mike Bennett took the loss giving away 13 hits. Bob Alger smashed over the left field fence for Erber's.

On the same night, the hospital beat Medusa 10 to 8. This game was called at the 10th inning. Barney Roeder picked up the win, while Hank Archery went down with a loss.

Kit Carson continued their unbeaten streak by dumping the Townhouse 14 to 5. Jim Marsh was tagged with the loss giving up 15 hits including home runs to Bernie DeVries, Terry Bissett and winning pitcher Tim Dean.

Concluding last week's play were three games on Friday night. In the first contest Fred Taylor, Inc. cruised to a 10 to 0 victory over the Hospital behind a vicious hitting attack. Taking the loss for the Hospital was Earl

Perreault, Larry Edwards, Dean Mikulski, Gordon Brock and Steve Dunkelberg. Hit numerous off of Perreault for the victors.

Auto Fleet Commercial Umbrella Workmen's Compensation

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Murdick's Fudge has perfect record in township league

By KIP CINNAMON
After last week's play in the new township league, only one undefeated team remained. This team was Murdick's Fudge, which nearly lost that distinction as it barely nipped McArts 8 to 7. In taking the loss for McArts, Stan Johnston allowed only 4 hits, one of which was a homer punched out by Mike Bartz. Jack Niswander pitched another impressive game for Murdick's to pick up the win.

Later that evening, V.F.W. blew over Koozt Construction 10 to 4. Don Wells, pitching for V.F.W., allowed 7 hits, while Pete Culver took the loss for Koozt giving away 6 hits.

On the following night, June 7th, the Air Force sunk last place Coast Guard, 21 to 14. Ray Daltun gave up 14 hits, most of which were in a last inning rally by the Coast Guard, to keep the Air Force in the running out at the township field. Richard Selissen gave away 25 hits to earn his third loss in as many starts.

Tri-County Well Drilling relied on superior infield play by Jim Alger and Bob Warner, a tremendous debut by Glenn Taylor, and a well balanced hitting attack to upset previously unbeaten Chester's Boat Livery 11 to 7. The game was close until the final inning, when Tri-Co. went on a hitting spree which put them ahead for good. Harold Thorum evened his record at 2 and 2 allowing Chester's 18 hits and

one homer to John Hutchinson while Greg Revoir picked up his first loss of the season.

On the next evening, V.F.W. picked up its second victory of the week edging McArts 11 to 10. Don Wells allowed McArts only 9 hits, while Stan Johnston took his second loss of the week giving up 12 hits.

Murdick's continued leading the league in style by trouncing Koozt Construction 13 to 1. Murdick's power bats went to work on Jerry Derocher, who parted with 17 hits including one round-tripper apiece by Jim Moore, Bob Sandall and Mike Bartz. Jack Niswander gave only 7 hits to keep Murdick's in the win column.

The last two scheduled games were played on Thursday. The first contest saw the Air Force erase Tri-County Well Drilling 27 to 12. In one of his less spectacular performances, Harold Thorum gave 22 hits to the Air Force plus two homers to Frank Noa and Jerome Harris. George Dutton parted with 17 hits to pick up his second win this week.

The hapless Coast Guard in their finest performance this year scared Chester's by coming within one run of extra innings. Greg Revoir earned the win by allowing 14 runs off 18 hits. Losing pitcher Richard Selissen allowed just one more run off as many hits. Hopefully, the Coast Guard is pulling out of their early season scoring slump.

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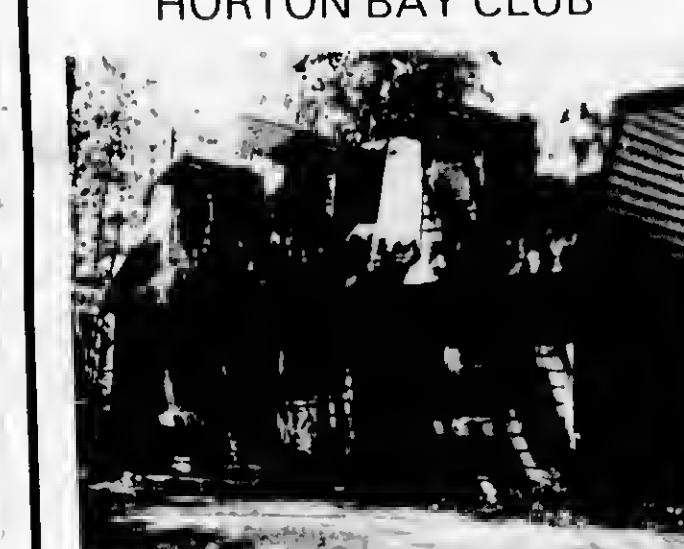


166' of water frontage just begins to describe this comfortable brick home located on the South Arm of Lake Charlevoix. This home has three bedrooms, one bath, patio doors overlooking the lake, underground water sprinkling system, large garden area and a 2 car detached garage. This home could easily be converted into an apartment or guest house. Tons of contract only, call for further details and your own private showing.

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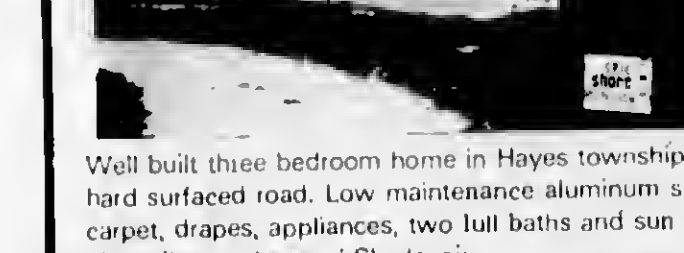
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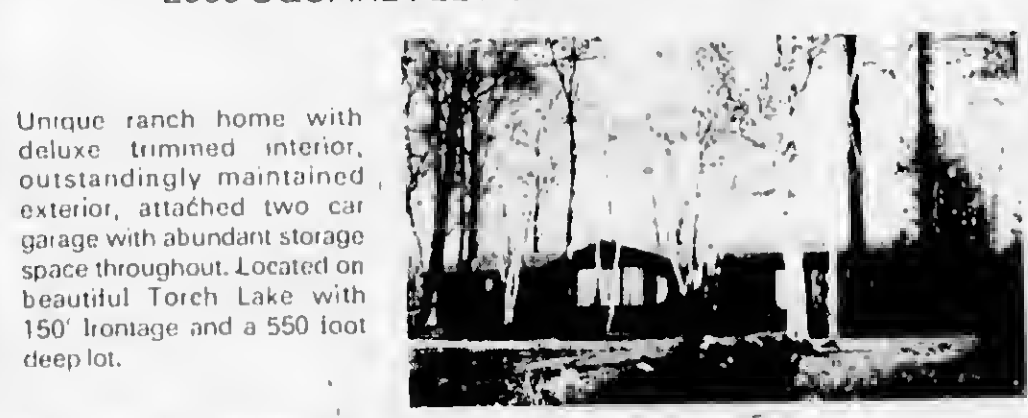
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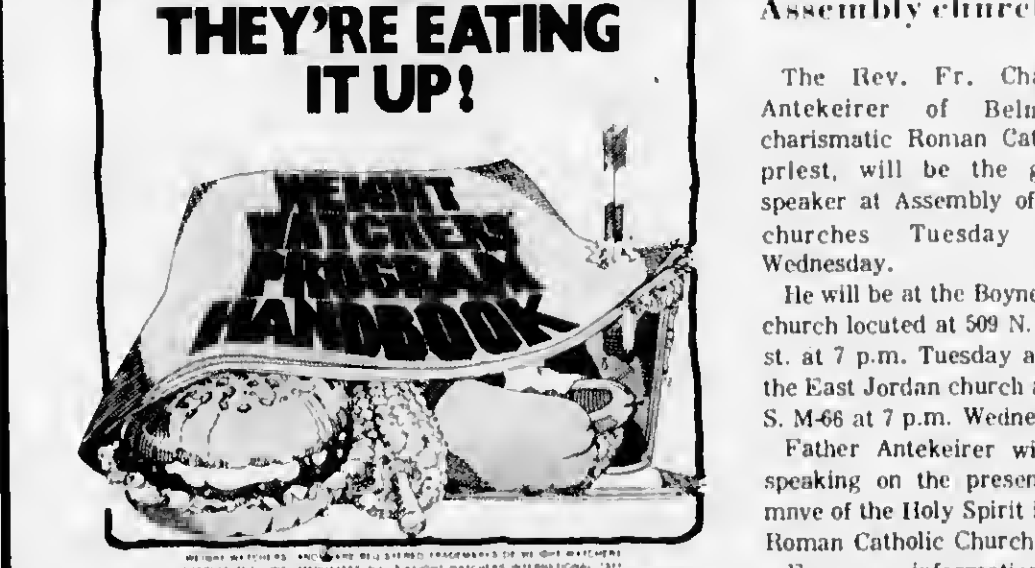
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Births

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Wenzel of St. Louis are the parents of a son born May 25. He weighed nine pounds. Mrs. Wenzel is the former Carla Wells, daughter of Mrs. Steve Gennett and Wilbur Wells, Jr. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wenzel of Merrill and Mrs. Wilbur Wells Sr. and great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Guy Pearl of Yucapla, Calif.

Justin Patrick Marshall, the son of Dave and Sherry Marshall, was born May 31 in Saratoga Springs, N.Y.

Other grandparents include, James and Julie Alsop of Ann Arbor, and great-grandparents Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ouyry of Punta Gorda, Fla.



THESE SIX students recently completed some adult basic education courses offered by the Charlevoix Public Schools. The students received certificates for their hard work. Here the students are pictured with their teacher Mrs. James McGarry (left front).

Village Inn whips Tri-City in women's softball play

By KIP CINNAMON
In Charlevoix Women's Softball action on June 7th, strong hitting and good pitching by Sue Peters helped Village Inn Pizzas whip Tri-City 20 to 11. Peters allowed only 11 hits, while losing pitcher Betty Bergman gave up 12 hits.

Later that evening, County State Bank outlasted the Topside 9 to 8 in one extra inning. Jodi Alger earned the win allowing 13 hits, while Terry Wells took the loss giving up 11 hits. Kentucky Pitcher Chicken has not been able to pull out of the hole.

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Commissioners agree to purchase markers

Property lines for land owners in Charlevoix County should be easier to find when the survey marker replacement system recently authorized by the county board of commissioners is implemented.

Some time ago, the County Surveyor's office brought to the attention of the Commissioners that many of the old government land markers have been lost or destroyed, resulting in considerable costs to land owners for replacement in order to establish their boundaries.

The loss of these public land survey corner markers also results in direct expenditures by the Charlevoix County Road Commission to relocate corners in order to maintain road right-of-ways.

The county will purchase 100 monument markers and caps and 12 monument boxes for distribution to surveyors on request for them from the County Surveyor. They will be employed in marking public land survey corners and center quarter corners. The monument boxes will be used by the Road Commission to protect markers set within a paved roadway area, under the supervision of the registered surveyor doing the work.

The markers will be available to all Registered Land Surveyors upon written request, giving information as to where each corner is to be set.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The Charter Commission will hold public hearings on the proposed new charter on the following dates:

June 21--Third Ward

June 22--Second Ward

June 28--First Ward

All meetings will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the Charlevoix High School study hall.

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Your father was your first line of defense against the perils and hardships of the outside world, yet from your earliest recollections of childhood you always had a dual image of him. You loved and trusted him, while at the same time you feared him as a symbol of authority and a source of punishment, even though your own transgressions were so minor. What you were not aware of then was the burden of care and anxiety he undoubtedly carried with him about the material and spiritual well-being of his family, then and in the future. You learned only in later years that the seemingly harsh, rigid rules he laid down for you were all to the good. Your Church will teach you to appreciate your father's wisdom and to thank him for all the love he has bestowed on you.

"My son, hear the instruction of thy father."
--Proverbs 1:8

One father is more than a hundred school-teachers.
--George Herbert

Charlevoix Church Directory

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

203 E. Upright St. Pastor: Rev. James P. Kessler
Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:00 p.m.

THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

1401 Bridge St. Pastor: Rev. James P. Kessler
Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:00 p.m.

CHRIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH

State St. at Elm. Pastor: Rev. James P. Kessler
Sunday Services 10:00 a.m. and 11:00 a.m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH

West Clinton St. Pastor: Rev. James P. Kessler
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Sunday School 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:00 p.m.

ST. MARY'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Rev. Fr. John J. O'Connell, Pastor
Sunday Masses 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00 a.m.
Evening Mass 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

810 E. East Street. Pastor: Rev. James P. Kessler
Sunday Masses 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00 a.m.
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COMMUNITY CHURCH OF GOD

203 W. Huron St. Pastor: Rev. James P. Kessler
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105 E. East Street. Pastor: Rev. James P. Kessler
Sunday Masses 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00 a.m.
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203 W. Huron St. Pastor: Rev. James P. Kessler
Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service 7:00 p.m.

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A black and white photograph of a man in a military uniform standing next to a horse in a field. The man is wearing a peaked cap and a uniform with buttons. The horse is dark-colored with a white blaze on its face. They are standing in a field with some vegetation.

Here is an excellent income opportunity or large home for a growing family, walking distance from downtown. The main house has 4 bedrooms, 2 baths, large kitchen plus living room and dining room. Guest house needs work. It is suitable for separate summer rental or workshop. Has own utilities and meters. Priced to sell at \$34,500.

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Lawrence W. Hawks, 26, Royal Oak, spending \$28.
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MAX GENNETT attempts to repair one of the clubs at the Club Golf Course during the mad rush to get the Michigan Am

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Two local players

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HOTLINE

Dial 547-6559

Hotline lets others know what you think. Tell us your opinion on anything by calling 547-6559 anytime after 6 p.m. No need to give your name. Selected opinions will appear each week.

Blacktop Cemetery Roads

If Charlevoix seems to have so much extra money, I wonder why it wouldn't be a good idea to blacktop the roads in the cemetery. They seem to be quite in need of repair. Thank you.

Honor Indian Fishing Rights

There is so much controversy regarding the Indian treaty rights to fish. I think the treaty should be honored as long as the fish are taken in the established method for fishing that prevailed at the time of the granting of the treaty, not present day fishing methods. Thank you.

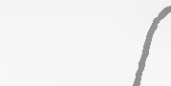
Oleason Replies

In reply to last weeks Hotline regarding the sale of cigarettes to minors. It is strictly against Oleason's policy to sell to minors. We have reviewed this with our employees and will continue to enforce it to the best of our ability.

Don Oleason



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 you'd make the front page!



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Match play in the 15th consecutive tournament played on the Belvedere Golf Course will begin Thursday morning at 10 a.m. The field is expected to draw 64 players. Play is scheduled to start at 10 a.m. on Friday through Saturday with the semi-finals scheduled for Saturday morning and the finals for early afternoon.

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County farmers fight fire with fire

COUNTY EXTENSION Agent Ed Rebman opens a container of parasitized cereal leaf beetles after their arrival from Niles by plane.

By PAULA HOLMES

"Fight fire with fire," the old saying goes.

But in Charlevoix County the battle cry is, "Fight nature with nature."

It sounds like a contradiction, but with one of the worst infestations of cereal leaf beetle in the Northern Michigan area, according to Ed Rehman, director of the Charlevoix County Extension Service.

Rehman says bugs prey on small grain plants such as oats, barley, wheat and rye, scraping and eating the leaves until it takes all of the chlorophyll (the green stuff) out of the plants leaving the fields "frosted" or completely white.

Rehman said:

The bug problem has been so bad in the area that the Plant Protection and Quarantine Division of the U.S. Department of Agriculture called on Rehman up and offered to help set up a battle plan.

In a type of biological warfare, the fields of ax farmers were planted with cereal leaf beetles containing a parasite which the USDA scientists planted in the bug.

The parasitized beetle will lay its eggs next to those of a normal insect in the fields, Rehman explained, when the eggs hatch, the parasite will eat the larva from the regular cereal leaf beetle and from the USDA brand of the bug ending the life cycle of the pest.

"It's like a biological control," Rehman explained. "We're trying to build up a good supply of the parasite

so that we can control the insects.

"The parasite will only feed on the host insects so there's no danger of other bugs in the area. And once the problem of cereal leaf beetles drops the number of parasites will drop, too."

"It's like the cat-and-mouse game when there are a lot of rabbits you can see a lot of foxes around. When the rabbit population drops off, you'll see a decrease in the number of foxes. Too many said the parasite would have eventually run out of food," Charles Rehrman said.

Man and began feeding on the cereal leaf beetle, but by planting the parasites with the help of the USDA years of waiting had been eliminated and money saved, too.

"I'm not trying to get away from relying on just one means of insect control," Rehrman said. "We use a combination of parasites, crop rotation and spraying right now."

Rehrman said that while spraying for insects is quite effective, it can be costly which is why the other two methods of insect control are being used more and more.

The county extension director said officials think the cereal leaf beetle got into Michigan aboard some foreign ships.

"These insects are hitchhikers as they may have come into the country on some other type of plant," Rehrman explained. "Then they worked the way up here."

Rehrman said he has a good year for insects all the way around."

An appeal of the 1977 Charlevoix County equalized valuation has been filed with the State Tax Tribunal.

Harry Griffin, Melrose Township supervisor and assessor, has registered a formal appeal with the tax body. It is the first appeal of county equalization

The burden of proof in the appeal will be on the township and its assessor, she said.

Griffin had been considering making the appeal earlier in the month, but he didn't know at the time if he would complete filing the appeal by the June 15 deadline.

not there. We're being assessed for values that are not there."

Griffin said the factor recommended for Melrose Township in the 1977 equalization report added 7 percent to the township's assessed property valuation. He contends the factor will push the property valuation of the

valuation.

The equalization director's recommendation to place factors on four units was approved by Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners when it approved the 1977 equalization report.

A preliminary hearing on the appeal has been slated for sometime the week of July 5 before the tribunal in Lansing. At that hearing it will be determined if there is enough evidence to warrant a full fledged hearing on the appeal, Mrs. Blanchard said.

Mrs. Blanchard said the outcome of the Melrose Township appeal could result in one of three things. The county assessed valuation may remain the same, Melrose Township may increase in its assessed valuation as all other units in the county lowered, Melrose Township valuation could be lowered and all other units will be raised.

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Community Calendar

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Wednesday, June 22
Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at the County Building annex 7:30 p.m.
Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at airport hanger 8 p.m.
TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towles, Loeb Rd., 8 p.m.
Round Lake Lodge No. 293, I.O.O.F. will meet at the American Legion post room 8 p.m. Last meeting until Sept. 21.
Informational meeting on the proposed new City Charter for residents of the second ward will be held at the high school study hall 7:30 p.m.
Thursday, June 23
Registration for youngsters five years and older who will participate in the annual swimming program sponsored by the Charlevoix Recreation Department at the

will meet at North Bay School 8 p.m.
Saturday and Sunday June 25-26
Charlevoix open tennis tournament for adults at municipal courts under sponsorship of the Charlevoix Recreation Department. Deadline for registering: Sunday, June 26, 9 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.

Thursday, June 25
Semi-finals and finals in the Michigan Amateur Golf Championship at Belvedere Golf Course.
Sunday, June 28
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.

Strata Owners Association will meet at the Doctor's Dining Room, Little Traverse Hospital, Petoskey, 2 p.m.
June 27-July 1
Community Church of God Vacation Bible School at Loeb Road Camp grounds 10 a.m.-3 p.m. daily for children in Kindergarten through the 8th grade. For further information including transportation call 547-3078.
Monday, July 7
Charlevoix City Council will meet at Council Room, City Hall 8 p.m.
Tuesday, June 28
Charlevoix Rebekah Lodge No. 293 will meet at the

American Legion post home 8 a.m. for last meeting until September.
St. Mary's Board of Education will meet at School Hall 6 p.m.
Men's Prayer meeting 7 a.m. Community Church of God.
Informational meeting on the proposed new City Charter for residents of the first ward will be held at the high school study hall 7:30 p.m.
Wednesday, June 29
Charlevoix County Humane Society will meet at the Top O' Michigan Building in Boyne, City 7:30 p.m.
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Ordinances and Resolutions
All legislation of the City shall be by ordinance or by resolution.
All proposed ordinances shall be published in a local newspaper together with a notice setting forth the time and place of a public hearing on said ordinance.
Within three years after the effective date of this Charter, and at least every ten years thereafter, the Council shall provide for a general codification of all City ordinances having the effect of law. The codification shall be known as the Charlevoix City Code, and copies shall be furnished to the public.

Richard Fochtman, charter commission chairman, said the purpose of this section in the new charter was simply to clean up the ordinances and get them organized and printed in a booklet form so that city residents will know what the rules and regulations of the city are.
John Michael, charter commission member, explained that the codification or organization of city ordinances is important to the smooth operation of the city.
"As far as I know, the ordinances in the city have never been codified or organized so that they can be found easily," Michael, a former city attorney, said. "Nobody really knows what the laws of the city are."
"Also about 75 percent of the ordinances are outdated because they haven't been reviewed in several years. We still have ordinances on the books that talk about where to tie up horses."

Article 7—General Finances
Capital Budget
On or before Sept. 1 each year the City Manager shall submit to the Council a Capital Budget for the next five years, which shall state:
1. A clear summary of all its contents.
2. A list of all major capital improvements which are proposed to be undertaken during the ensuing five years, with appropriate supporting information relative to necessity of such improvements.
3. Cost estimates and methods of financing such improvements.
4. Estimated general cost of operating and maintaining the facilities to be constructed or acquired.
Operating Budget
On or before Feb. 15 of each year, the City Manager shall submit to the Council a proposed Annual Operating Budget for the next fiscal year.
The proposed Annual Operating

Budget shall provide a complete financial plan for the next fiscal year of all City funds and activities including Capital expenditures, and, except as required by law or this Charter, shall be in such form as the City Manager deems desirable or the Council may require. The proposed Annual Operating Budget shall begin with a clear summary of its contents, shall show in detail all estimated income, including the proposed property tax levy and all proposed expenditures, including debts for the next fiscal year, and shall be so arranged as to show comparative figures of estimated income and expenditures for the preceding fiscal year, and shall provide such other information as may be required by the Council.
The Council shall provide by resolution appropriate methods and safeguards for the expenditure of funds and the payment of obligations so as to insure that no payment shall be made or obligation incurred without an appropriation having first been approved by the Council, without a sufficient unencumbered balance in the appropriation, and without insuring that sufficient funds are or will be available to cover the claim or meet the obligation when it becomes due and payable. However, except where prohibited by law, nothing in this Charter shall be construed to prevent

the making or authorizing of payments or the making of contracts for Capital improvements to be financed wholly or partly by the issuance of bonds, or to prevent the making of any contract or lease providing for payments beyond the end of the fiscal year. Any such action must be approved by ordinance.
The Council shall prescribe by resolution a general framework of necessary procedures governing financial and contractual dealings with the City. Such resolution shall include a maximum consideration below which purchases may be made by the City officials and employees either without the specific authorization from the Council or without the necessity of competitive bidding, or both. In addition, such resolution shall include a requirement that in all cases of contract by competitive bidding, the Council shall reserve the right to reject any and all bids submitted, and provisions shall be incorporated in all requests for bids.
The main changes the charter commission made in the writing of this budget were in the date of the city's fiscal year, the creation of a separate capital budget and the date that the operating budget must be approved by Fochtman said.
The city's fiscal year was changed so that it ends on a regular quarter, Fochtman said.
"This was just to simplify the accounting for the city employees, he explained.

The establishment of a capital budget is important because it forces the city to do some long range planning for improvements within the city, Michael said.
The capital budget, which will be written to cover five years, sets up a plan for financing improvements on the airport, streets and sewers and also for the purchase of equipment such as firetrucks and snowplows.
"Having a five year capital budget makes it easier to plan to budget now for things that might be needed next year or in two years," Fochtman said. "And then you won't have to come up with the money needed for the improvements all at once, either."
"If needed, the budget can be revised from year to year but at least some planning will be taking place."
Having the operating budget approved before the start of the fiscal year is in line with the charter commission's other attempts to have the city run more like a business, Fochtman explained. Currently the budget doesn't have to be approved before the fiscal year begins.
"Under the new charter, council members will take office in January. That will give them three months to review the operating budget and have it approved by March 1 before the fiscal year begins. "Why have a budget if you don't have it before the fiscal year begins?"
"It just is good business to do it this way," Michael added.

interesting observation about Americans.
"You are so much more patriotic here than we are in England. You see so many flags on display here. You can drive for miles in England and never see one."

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Also the stores seem to be rather sparsely stocked as compared with English stores, the retired shoe salesman said.
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Charter incorporates planning into budget

LoAnne Brown elected bank vice president

LoAnne Brown has been elected vice president of the Charlevoix County State Bank, G.R. Wellman, bank president, announced.
Ms. Brown was elected to the position during a recent board of directors meeting. She has held the position of assistant to the vice president since 1975 with responsibility for bank operations, marketing and personnel. Prior to that she was assistant cashier from 1972 to 1975.
Ms. Brown lives on Petoskey Ave and has three daughters, one enrolled in Charlevoix High School and two attending college in Grand Rapids.

Her early career consisted of training as teller, bookkeeper, clerk, secretary and loan operations. She joined the county state bank staff in the 1960s and after a few years leave returned to her job in 1963.
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LoAnne Brown

Old shoes get new lift from Charlevoix repairman

Do you have a favorite pair of shoes that is headed for the garbage can because you can't find any place to get them repaired? Hold on to those shoes and take them over to Ray Browne at Potter's Appliance on Lincoln Street in Charlevoix.
Browne is in the shoe repair business from 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. at the appliance store. While Browne is in and out, someone will usually be there to take your shoes.
Browne, 29, said he got into the shoe repair business about nine months ago when he was looking for an extra job. A friend mentioned that a local man was thinking of selling his shoe repair equipment and Browne decided to buy it.
A former cobbler, then showed Browne how to use the equipment and gave the aspiring cobbler a book that explained how to make almost any type of repair.
"The books show you how to do all the things you need to know," Browne said, leafing through the pages. "It explains everything including how to set up and work the machines."
Browne also visited other shoe repair stores in the area to get an idea of supplies he might need and to see how they worked their business.



RAY BROWNE mends a strap on a broken shoe. Browne operates a shoe repair shop in Potter's Appliance.

Marrin Best attends insurance seminar

Marrin Best of Ellsworth was among 16 district representatives for the National Brotherhood of Ronald Paluck Agency, headquartered in Midland. The school included intensive concentration on many aspects of fraternal life.

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Area students complete college studies

Janet Dinwiddie earns degree

A Charlevoix student was among 549 students who received bachelor of arts degrees May 29 during Western State University's 145th Commencement.
Janet Lee Dinwiddie received a bachelor's degree in classics. She received her degree cum laude and she also received the Ingham Prize for excellence in Greek.
Janet is a graduate of Charlevoix High School and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Darril Dinwiddie.

Deb Hollow initiated into Phi Kappa Phi

A Charlevoix student was recently initiated into the Michigan State University chapter of Phi Kappa Phi.
Deborah A. Hollow has joined the national honor society which rewards and encourages superior scholarship in all fields of study. Only seniors in the top 10 of their class and juniors in the top 5 percent of their class are considered for membership.

Local students graduate from Interlochen

Two Charlevoix County students graduated from the Interlochen Arts Academy during recent ceremonies.
Mark S. A. Gallagher of Charlevoix and Martin A. Ward of Boyne City both graduated from the academy. Gallagher studied clarinet and Ward studied saxophone.
The two young men were among 165 seniors graduating from the academy.

E.J. woman receives degree

An East Jordan student will be among the record number of graduates to receive diplomas from Patricia Stevens Career College of Milwaukee.
Dawn Bartholomew will be graduating from a nine-month public relations course during the Saturday commencement exercises. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Bartholomew.

Local student honored in Colorado

A Charlevoix student at Western State College in Gunnison, Colo., was recently invited to attend an academic honors dinner hosted by the college.
Trudi Anne Goldstick, a junior psychology major, was among the top 10 percent of the 2,963 students enrolled at the school during spring quarter, qualifying her as an honor student.

2 E.J. students honored by Alma College

Two East Jordan students were among those named to Alma College's Honors List for outstanding academic performance.
Donna M. Arnott, sophomore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Arnott and Bryan E. Graham, freshman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Graham of East Jordan were given the honor for the second term.

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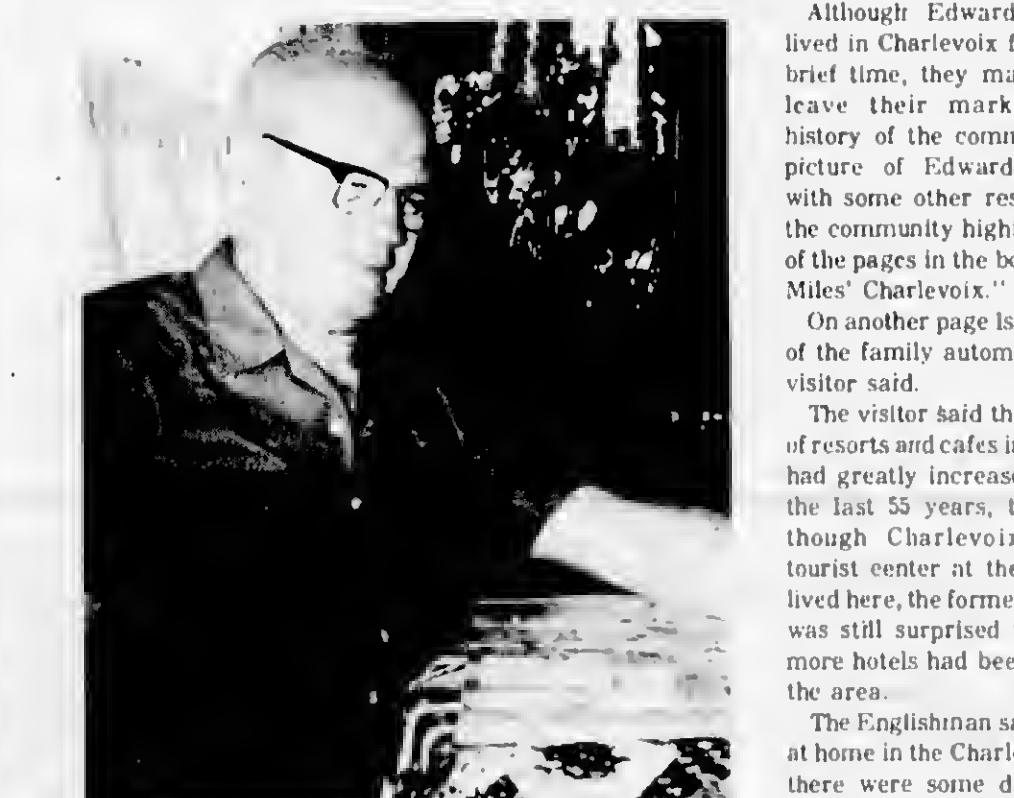
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Horton Bay receives marker indicating historical site

The marker designating Horton Bay as a State Historical Site is now in place in front of the Bay Township Hall in Horton Bay.
The community was awarded the recognition last year on the occasion of its Centennial celebration.
The legend on the marker reads:
"Named for pioneer settler Samuel Horton, this village was founded as a lumbering community in 1876, complete with sawmill, shanty boys, boarding house, company store, blacksmith shop, and draft horses. The store and many early buildings still stand. After the timber was gone, three fine restaurants opened: Dilworth's, The Waffle Shop, and The Red Fox Inn. Young Ernest Hemingway frequently came here to fish and camp on 'The Point.' This area is the setting for several of his famous 'Nick Adams' short stories. Hemingway was married here in 1921."

THIS NEW PLAQUE designates the village of Horton Bay as an official historical site in the State of Michigan



FRANKLIN EDWARDS points to his home of Horton Bay on a map of England. The foreign visitor is in the area seeing relatives.

Englishman visits boyhood home

By PAULA HOLMES
What could make an Englishman come to the United States during the Queen of England's Jubilee celebration?
Why the 80th birthday of one American cousin and the high school graduation of another.
Franklin Edwards of Horton Bay in Kent County, England, is in the Charlevoix area for the next few weeks visiting with relatives and retracing his boyhood.
Edwards, a first cousin to Albert Edwards, who recently celebrated his 80th birthday, is no stranger to the

Charlevoix area. The Englishman lived here until 1922 when his family moved back to the mother country after a brief stay in the States, leaving behind a set of cousins. He was 12 years old at the time.
Now, 55 years later, a new and different Charlevoix greeted the charter commission chairman. The former resident commented through a lilted British accent, "They took me over to see the place where I lived, but I don't think I could find it again by myself things have changed so much."
"Many of the buildings like

the school and the Methodist church are still in the same place, but it is so built up around it.
"Even the bridge has changed. It was a swing bridge when I lived here," Edwards said.
Edwards said the number of landings and the amount of land lying fallow around the city. When he lived in the area as a boy every field was in use, he said. His father was a farmer and he managed the household from near Mt. McSaba, supplying fruits and vegetables to the two main hotels in town.
"In England, any available land is farmed," he added.
The Englishman said he felt at home in the Charlevoix, but there were some differences he had noticed between this country and his homeland.
Clothing and food seem to be cheaper in England than in the

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Editorials/Opinions

Open-minded study of charter necessary before casting vote

Apathy is nowhere to be found as far as the new proposed charter for the City of Charlevoix is concerned. And perhaps politics and single-mindedness will stay out of the issue, too.

Many citizens have picked up copies of the condensed version of the charter and others have gone to the expense of having copies made of the uncut version so that they can study the document even more thoroughly.

A group of interested citizens even had a meeting last week to organize and discuss the questions they had about the charter. The group is talking about meeting again during this week to go over more questions.

Hopefully, members of this citizens group will also attend the meetings the charter commission is planning to hold at 7:30 p.m. in the Charlevoix High School study hall on Tuesday, Wednesday and next Thursday.

The charter commissioners have worked hard on the charter for the last two years and they should be given the chance to explain the ideas behind the document, how they arrived at certain decisions and what their intentions were. They can also clear up any misconceptions people may have about the charter because they know the charter and have studied it thoroughly.

Citizens who have reviewed the charter and those who will be attending the informational meetings with the charter commissioners should also remember to keep an open mind.

Just because the charter commissioners did not write or prepare the charter the way someone else thinks they should have doesn't necessarily mean the charter commissioners didn't know what they were doing when they wrote the proposed charter. Everyone

approaches a problem differently.

Also, just because the charter is new and different does not mean it is bad. Give the charter a chance and remember that it has been different ideas that have shaped the United States of America.

When the colonists decided to write the U.S. Constitution 201 years ago they made some radical changes. Many people at that time asked what was wrong with the English Constitution and why the new country shouldn't use the old document. England has been around a long time and has operated very well under its constitution, they argued. The colonies have even operated fairly smoothly under the English charter, and economically, too.

But the members of the Constitutional convention went ahead and wrote a new document. They wrote something that was specially suited to the ideas of the new country and they wrote a document that would take the country from the growing it had done under the English constitution and help it develop into the great nation it has become today.

In essence this is what the charter commission would like to do with Charlevoix. The present Fourth Class Cities Act has helped Charlevoix grow. And the present strong mayor form of government has helped the city operate economically and efficiently. But the Fourth Class Cities Act is becoming outdated and it no longer meets the needs of the city.

The commissioners tried to write the new charter to incorporate the ideas of Charlevoix residents about what is needed in their town. They also tried to write a document that would help Charlevoix grow into an even better place and into a city that would operate even more economically and efficiently.

Letters to the editor

Lawman praises Sheriff Lasater

Dear Editor: While attending the National Sheriff's Institute in Los Angeles, in April of this year, I had the opportunity to meet your local sheriff, a real gentleman in Mr. George T. Lasater.

Sheriff Lasater was my roommate for approximately 14 days. I was very much impressed by his personal conduct in and out of the classroom, and his interest in law enforcement.

I honestly believe that the people of Charlevoix County are extremely lucky to have a man of the calibre of Sheriff Lasater. He will make your county an outstanding sheriff.

Respectfully yours,

Solomon P. Ortiz, Sheriff
Nueces County, Texas

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Paula Holmes...

...Speaking Her Mind

I always like visiting my family for the weekend, not only because it's nice to see my parents and brothers and sister, but also because they almost always provide me with column material.

Visiting my family means a four-hour trip to Lansing. I dread the drive downstate, but without fail it is worth those long, hot hours on the road when I get there. This last trip for Father's Day was no exception.

A few hours after my arrival Friday night I received the astounding news that one of my three siblings had been named the recipient of an athletic scholarship from the University of Michigan.

What's so unusual or astounding about that, you may ask. Lots of people have siblings that get athletic scholarships to the U of M as well as to many other universities. Why write a whole column on that?

I would be inclined to agree with you if this were an ordinary scholarship going to an ordinary sibling for an ordinary sport. But as it turned out my sister, who just finished her freshman year as a physical therapy major at the Ann Arbor school, was the one who got the scholarship. She was a starter on the maize and blue's varsity women's volleyball team during the last season.

The family had learned some time ago that Lisa might be in line for a scholarship, but we were still surprised when it came.

"I think your father has always



Erma Bombeck

Want me to make your day?

There are 22 million women over size 16 in America.

Although it has been my experience that there's never one around when you need them, I have to believe that somewhere in the world there is a size 16 in the pool. Never encountered another one in the fitting room. Never played tennis with another one or ever shared a loaf of bread personally with one.

However, designers and department stores are finally acknowledging the fact that size 16-and-overs do exist, and like taxes and "I Love Lucy" reruns, will be with us always.

I've seen several ads of clothing designers that have started to put some size 16 in half sizes and department stores are finally getting around to style shows for the woman who regards bathroom scales as art objects.

I don't know if some of you get the impact of this trend, but I do. It means that size 16s are finally coming into their own. And that if 22 million of them would come out of the closets, they could turn this country around. You don't believe it? Listen to this.

In the last election, there were 40 million votes cast for President Carter and 38 million for former President Ford. Realistically, 22 million chubby votes could swing the election one way or another. The 16-and-overs' vote

could be one of the most influential single blocks of votes in the country, and don't think the candidates wouldn't come 'a-courting'.

For the first time, women with thighs and hips could have some demands met before they committed themselves.

1. Legwear. Women are sick and tired of carrying it out of stores in plain brown wrappers.

2. Abolish mirrors in bath houses. There is no need to see oneself with one's skin blemishes.

3. Luxury tax on yogurt. I say put the burden of supporting this nation's programs on the shoulders of those who can afford it - the size 5s.

4. Repeat the A-line dress. When letters of the alphabet were passed out, the women over size 16 got the first letter out of the bag. We'd like to try for an S or an I for a change.

5. Appoint a committee to change the language referring to women size 18 and over. The use of the words "stout," "full-figured," "well-endowed," "matronly" would be a federal offense.

6. A size 16 or over first lady. We haven't had one since Dolly Madison, and we lost ice cream for breakfast and used to eat omelets.

7. An amendment saying that there is life after size 16 and improving the quality of it. (Copyright 1977 Field Enterprises, Inc.)

Want to Write to Your Men in Lansing or DC?

Want to write your man in Washington or Lansing? Here are the addresses of the two U.S. Senators and the U.S. Congressman from Michigan, the State Senator and the two State Representatives from the Charlevoix County's congressional area:

U.S. SENATORS—Donald Riegle (D), 438 Federal Bldg., 231 Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich., 48233; Robert Griffin (R), 1039 Federal Building, 231 Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich., 48233. In Washington D.C., write to the U.S. Senate, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

U.S. CONGRESSMAN—Rep. Philip Ruppe (R), Woodland Road, Houghton, Mich., 49931; or the U.S. House of Representatives, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

STATE SENATOR—Robert Davis (R), 351 E. Fourth St., Gaylord, Mich., 49735; or State Senate Chambers, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE—103rd District—Ralph Osting (R), Route 2, Box 478, Rosemun, Mich., 49853; 104th District—E. Dan Stevens, (R), Atlanta, Mich., 49709. The representatives may also be reached at the House of Representatives, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

We suggest you clip and save this for future references.

If it Fits

by Jim Fitzgerald

A judge has decreed that the trouble with this nation is most people are so selfish that they would rather go to the bathroom than go to court.

The Lapeer County Press recently surveyed its readers, asking them which they wanted to spend tax money on—a public toilet or a new courthouse. The toilet won by a 3-to-1 margin.

District Judge John Spies was outraged. In a letter to the editor, he said:

...Human beings are, for the most part, incapable of seeing beyond their own little egocentric world. They cannot take the broad view, looking to the best interests of their community and the nation. They sit on the throne of their water closet and see only the contents of the bathroom, with no conception of things beyond those four walls. And it is this shortcoming of human nature which will ultimately lead to the destruction of our democracy."

Wow.

In case you haven't been paying attention, Lapeer County is where I used to live and work. It's 80 miles north of Detroit, I still have strong ties

there, including a son who swipes the ties and a house I can't sell. I still care about what happens to the people there.

And I must confess that one of the things I always have cared most about is what happens to the people in downtown Lapeer who have to go to the bathroom but can't find one.

I worry more about them than I do about lawyers and drunks who might sweat on each other because there's no air conditioning in an old court room.

I always figured that my preference for public plumbing over new court rooms was an innocent—even noble—choice, caused by an ordinary compassion for the human condition. I didn't think I was doing any great harm beyond prompting court room employees to grind their teeth at me.

But now Judge Spies says my preference for Johns can lead to the destruction of our democracy. As I said earlier, wow.

Lapeer has the oldest courthouse still in use in Michigan. A distinction noted by a historical marker on the front lawn. Most residents of Lapeer are proud of the wooden building, and they guard it jealously against whippersnappers who would replace it with a monument of bricks and mortar.

It generally is agreed that the ancient courthouse, built in 1839, will always stand and will someday be a museum, after the judges have been moved into new chambers.

But when will that move be made? The judges say it is years overdue. The state's oldest courthouse may be quaint, but it also is cramped and cold in the winter and hot in the summer. When juries need a rest room, they must be marched across the street to a restaurant.

Years ago there was a public rest room in the courthouse basement, but it was closed because of vandalism.

The space was converted into offices for Judge Spies and his staff. One night a troubled soul, irked by the absence of public facilities, used the judge's carport.

The downtown area was renewed recently with millions of federal dollars, but public toilets were not included. The last gas station has closed. A couple of bars offer Johns, but many women go not to parade through their squirming children through

Meet Charlevoix

...Arnold Loper

Arnold ("Arnie") Loper is one of Charlevoix' "telephone men". This week the Courier talks with him about his job, his family, and himself.

COURIER: What exactly is your job with the Telephone Company?

LOPER: I'm an installer-repairman out of Charlevoix. There are three other men who do the same work here.

COURIER: What kinds of trouble do most people call about?

LOPER: Our biggest problems are no dial tone, can't call out, bad cords, etc. Once in a while we'll find a phone left off the hook.

COURIER: How can telephone equipment be damaged?

LOPER: The worst thing that can be done is drop it on the floor. This is bad for the dials and switch hooks. Also, people shouldn't try to stretch

cords any farther than they will go.

COURIER: Are you making more installations than you used to?

LOPER: Yes, when I came here in 1969, there were only two installers-repairmen. Most homes now have two phones, and many of the larger ones have three-two upstairs and one in the basement.

COURIER: How many phones are there in the Charlevoix area?

LOPER: About 4,300 in the city and surrounding area. Of course this drops in the winter time.

COURIER: Do you leave the actual phone equipment in the homes of seasonal residents?

LOPER: Yes, we connect and disconnect from the office. We don't have to go out and do it.

COURIER: By the way, what is in the Telephone Company building downtown?

LOPER: Just equipment. It's not a business office.

COURIER: What about business installations?

LOPER: Of course the number of phones they have depends on the size of the company. The larger ones have PBX switchboards. Probably the biggest switchboard is at Big Rock, which might handle as many as 30 or 35 phones.

COURIER: Do you also do outside repair work?

LOPER: Yes, on the lines and poles. Our biggest problem outdoors is damage done by ice and sleet.

COURIER: Aren't you burying some wires now?

LOPER: We're burying as many as we can. This eliminates storm damage and looks better, too.

COURIER: Do you work only in the Charlevoix area?

LOPER: Most of the time. Sometimes I go to Boyne City or East Jordan, and once in a great while to Petokey.

COURIER: How do you schedule your day's work?

LOPER: I report to the Ferry Avenue garage every morning at eight o'clock and receive my work orders for the day.

COURIER: How many installations do you make a day?

LOPER: Well, today I have 10. This is a busy time of year for us. I probably average 10 or 12 repair orders a day, too.

COURIER: Do most people want colored telephone lines?

LOPER: Yes, they do. COURIER: When are we going to have touch tone telephones in the Charlevoix area?

LOPER: It will be a long time, maybe as long as 12 years. They require all new equipment.

COURIER: How did you receive the training you need for your job?

LOPER: I spent four years in the Air Force as a communications man. That's where I got my basic training. When I got out and went to work for the Telephone Company, they sent me to school in Grand Rapids for 10 days and then I got on-the-job training by working with other installers.

COURIER: Do you have to go back to school occasionally to keep up with the new equipment?

LOPER: No, they supply us with diagrams for the new phones so we can keep up with repair techniques. Probably on some of the new PBX boards we'd have to go back to school.

COURIER: How long have you worked for the Telephone Company?

LOPER: I've been in Charlevoix since 1969 and before that I worked for 14 years in Petokey.

COURIER: Are you a native of Charlevoix?

LOPER: No, I moved here with my family in 1955 when I was five years old. I was born in Flint. I graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1949, spent one year on the farm with my dad, then joined the Air Force.



Charlevoix Yesterday

THIS PICTURE of the downtown residential section of Charlevoix was taken some time before 1886. The Methodist Church is in the left background and the Congregational Church in the right background. In front of the Congregational Church is the Lev Blanchard home and in the center of the picture, the A. T. Washburn home. The white building just beyond the Congregational Church is the school house that burned in 1886. Barely visible in the left center of the picture is a windmill. (Photo, courtesy of Charlevoix Historical Society)

Number of businesses in area higher than national average

According to a Government report, just released, the number of business establishments in Charlevoix County is relatively large.

There are more businesses in being locally, in proportion to population, than in many areas of the country.

The report, which is entitled "County Business Patterns," was compiled by the Department of Commerce in cooperation with the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

Essentially, the data in it is based upon tax reports submitted by employers under the Federal Insurance Contributions Act. It provides information on the number of working people in each community who are covered by Social Security, the amount they earn and the size of the establishments that employ them.

Listed in Charlevoix County are a total of 482 business firms that employ one or more persons. The number is exclusive of "Mom and Pop" operations that are self-

conducted. Of the total, 319 have 4 employees or less, 67 have from 5 to 9 and 34 have 10 to 19.

The predominance of moderate-size businesses in the local area conforms to the pattern in most parts of the country.

Their durability in the face of competition is indicated by the figures, which show that no less than 93 percent of the local establishments have fewer than 20 employees.

With respect to the employment situation, the findings are that Charlevoix County's business firms provide gainful employment for 4,306 people in jobs covered by Social Security.

Not included are farm workers, self-employed persons, domestic workers and people on government payrolls.

Despite the number of people unemployed, wage scales have been on the rise. At the same time, more

workers have been coming out of the Social Security umbrella. As a result, payrolls have been going up locally.

The current report lists the annual payroll for covered workers at \$33,621,000. In 1973, when a similar study was made, it was \$24,708,000.

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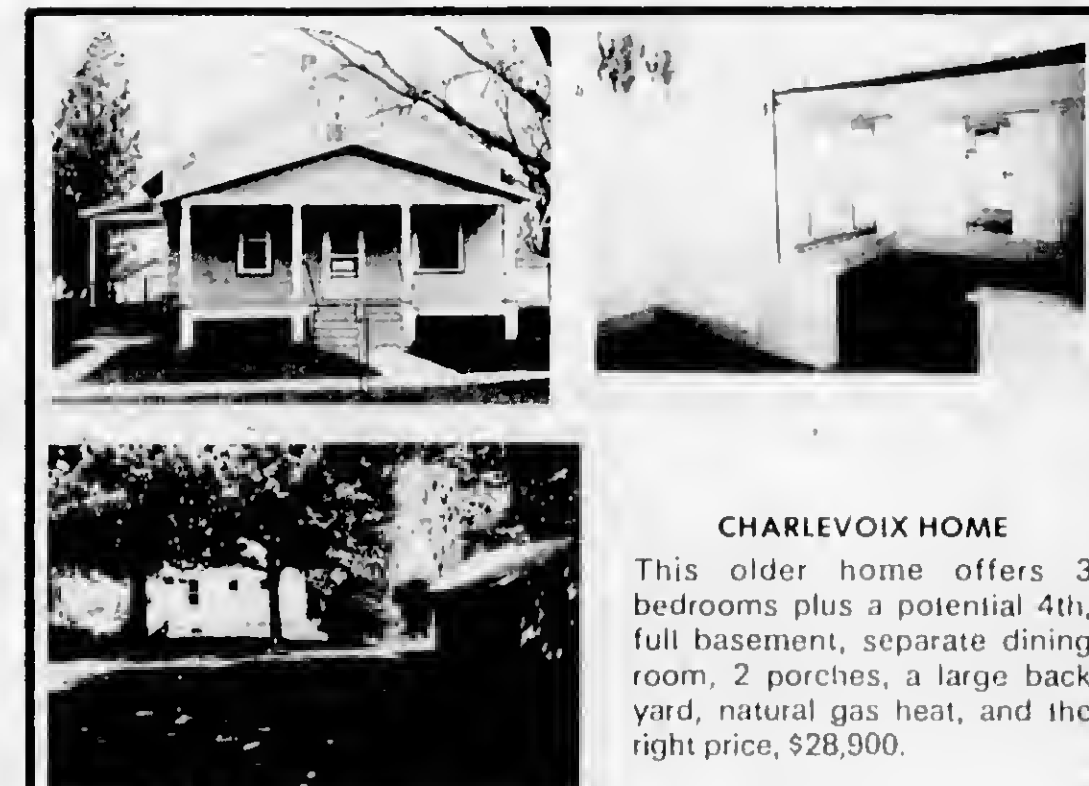
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Sheriff urges boaters to batten hatches on equipment, vessels



Arnie Loper

Boaters are urged to batten down their craft to help prevent theft, Charlevoix County Sheriff George Lasater said.

Lasater said a rash of thefts of boating equipment, small boat engines and the boats themselves have been reported in the county.

Lasater said the sheriff's department recently recovered three boats worth \$5,000 including one boat containing \$1,000 worth of fishing equipment. That boat was reported stolen at 8 a.m. Wednesday and recovered by midnight.

To deter theft, Lasater suggested county residents

and visitors always remove miscellaneous equipment from their boats when they are through using the articles. He also suggested the people with smaller boat engines invest in a motor lock device which would make it almost impossible for thieves to remove the motor and carry it away.

He also suggested that people who own lake front property but live somewhere else chain their boats to trees or other objects when they are away from the property.

"This won't prevent theft entirely," Lasater pointed out. "But it will make it harder."

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The Common Council met on the above date and time with Mayor Hansen presiding. Alderman present: Plunum, Wood, Whitley, Erber and Morris. Absent: Alderman Wallace.

The minutes of the May 31, 1977 regular meeting were approved as presented in writing and as recorded in the Council Minutes Book.

Council recessed in the board of Appeals to discuss a request submitted by William Kusina Helen and Robert

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The following Resolution was offered and moved for its adoption by Alderman Plunum and supported by Alderman Erber.

92 building permits issued

Ninety-two permits were issued by the County Department of Building Inspection during May, a report from the Department indicates.

This compares with 75 permits issued during the

same period last year. The various categories for which permits were supplied were 27 new homes, 18 residential additions, six residential remodeling jobs, 10 garages, four decks and porches, one new commercial

building (the Medical Clinic in East Jordan), three commercial additions, two demolitions, one sign, one location, eight mobile homes or additions thereto, eight residential outbuildings (sheds, and barns).

Jury duty--key to running Democratic system of justice

By PEG OHLE

If you are ever summoned to serve on a jury, you should feel honored because the function of a jury is an extremely important one. The property or the liberty of another human being or group of human beings is at stake and you must make sure that the jury on which you sit returns a verdict which is as fair and impartial as possible.

How are those chosen for jury duty selected? It is really a lottery system, run by the County Jury Board, which is presently made up of Charles Carey, Fran Martin and Ann Hite. The Jury Board is appointed by the Governor, with representation from both major political parties.

The process begins each year when all the township and city clerks in the county turn in their lists of registered voters to the Jury Board. Then the Circuit and District Judges request that the Jury Board select a given number of jurors to serve during the coming term of court.

This is done by dividing the required number of jurors into the number of registered voters for a "key" number. If the key number is, say, 20, then every 20th named person on the voting list is sent a questionnaire containing such questions as occupation, age, whether or not the person has ever been convicted of a felony, physical handicaps, medical problems, and other pertinent facts which might exempt the person from

serving on a jury.

Among those automatically exempt are law enforcement officers, elected public officials, lawyers, and convicted felons. Also, those over 70 years of age have the prerogative of not serving; those with several small children may ask to be excused; those with medical problems such as high blood pressure, heart disease, and some others may, upon presenting a doctor's certificate, request an exemption; those who spend a large part of the year out of the county are usually not called; students attending school away from home also are usually not called.

After all such people are removed from the list of possible jurors, the remaining number are sent another, more lengthy, questionnaire, and it is from the list of these returned questionnaires that the next selection of jurors is made.

As of May of this year, there were 11,815 registered voters in Charlevoix County. The courts requested that they be supplied the names of 300 prospective jurors. The Jury Board decided that to ensure getting that required number of qualified jurors they would draw 650 names, so they took the list of registered voters, started at a chosen number, say 4, and drew the names of every 20th voter on the list. These were the people who received the first questionnaire.

The final selection of jurors is made by putting the 350 names in a barrel-like container, from which panels of 25 are drawn as requested by the courts. Six jurors are needed for jury trials in civil cases and 12 for jury trials in criminal cases. Those called from "the panels" may be dismissed by the judge, the prosecutor, or the attorneys if for any reason it is determined they could not reach a fair and impartial decision in the case.

The importance of the jury system is stressed by Circuit

Judge Martin B. Breighner when he says: "The jury is an important part of this court. In criminal cases, the constitution of both the United States and Michigan provide for the right to be heard by a jury of 12 impartial persons. Ancient tradition and part of our heritage is that a person accused of a crime be afforded the opportunity to be judged not by one person but by a group of 12 of his fellow citizens selected to be impartial and fair."

District Judge David B.

Fershee agrees: "Jury duty is one of the most serious duties that members of a free society are called upon to perform. Self government could not exist without juries."

And as far back as 1779, Thomas Paine, in a letter to Thomas Jefferson, wrote: "I consider trial by jury as the only anchor ever yet imagined by man, by which a government can be held to the principles of its constitution."

Yes, it is an honor to serve on a jury.



Dog catcher's job thankless position

"It's one of the most thankless jobs there is. If the officer does a good job, people complain. And if he doesn't do his job they complain," Sheriff George Lasater said describing some of the difficulties the animal control officer faces.

Lasater said the sheriff department's philosophy toward animal control is to maintain tight control over stray dogs and cats in order to prevent more serious problems from occurring.

"I have read in many downstate newspapers about cases where children have

been mauled and killed by stray dogs," Lasater said. "We haven't had any problems like that in our county, but I feel by maintaining tight control over the stray problem we can prevent this."

"We are trying to be firm but fair."

The animal control officer's duties are varied. Harold Thumure, the current animal control officer (ACO), said. The main responsibility is to investigate complaints from county residents about stray dogs and cats. The animal control officer also investigates all cases of dog and cat bites in the county.

In addition, he makes sure dogs are licensed and works closely with the Charlevoix County Humane Society in maintaining the dog pound facilities. Thumure is responsible for the feeding and cleaning of the large dogs brought into the pound.

Sheriff Lasater pointed out that when the animal control officer is on patrol in the county he is also on patrol as a deputy sheriff.

"All animal control officers are also certified deputy sheriffs," Lasater explained.

"So when the ACO is on patrol the county also has the services of an additional officer on patrol. His truck is completely equipped with lights, radio and siren and he can answer any calls."

Lasater said it is his philosophy to rotate the sheriff's deputies between the road, jail, desk and animal control so that they are better rounded in the various operations of the department.

Thumure, who has served as the animal control officer since Jan. 1, said that most of the complaints he has received are about stray animals and most of the stray animals are dogs.

The most common complaints are about dogs running, barking, destroying property or being in heat and running loose. The majority of the complaints come from the East Jordan and Boyne City areas, Thumure said.

Problems usually start when owners let their dogs run loose without supervision, the six-year veteran said.

"I think a lot of people own dogs that don't care about other people's property," Thumure explained. "They let their dogs run loose and then

they disturb dogs that are tied up or they get into gardens and sometimes they will bite people."

Not all dogs running loose were let out intentionally, however, the animal control officer pointed out.

"You have to use common sense when issuing a summons for a stray dog," he said. "I know that dogs sometimes get out."

Thumure said in these cases the owner is usually out looking for the dog, too.

Thumure said there had been several incidences of dog bites in the county recently, in addition to the complaints about strays.

"The children getting bit are usually between 6 and 12 years old," he said. "And they are the friends of the dog

owner's kids."

The deputy said it is required by law that all dog bites be reported. The complaint is then investigated and the animal must be kept in confinement for a certain period of time to make sure it doesn't have rabies.

Usually dogs can be kept in confinement in the house, although sometimes Thumure will bring them into the dog pound. Cats are usually brought into the pound because they are harder to confine at home.

Dog bites are investigated 24 hours a day. If the animal control officer is off duty, a road officer answers the call, Sheriff Lasater said. Other complaints wait until the animal control officer is on duty.

July 7 Mercer's last meet

Charlevoix County Planner Bill Mercer will attend his last meeting of the Planning Commission on July 7.

Although Mercer's resignation becomes effective July 1, he will attend the meeting to present an up-to-date report on the work of the

Planning Department. The Planning Commission has appointed a committee to hire a replacement for Mercer. It consists of Chairman Walter Thorsen, Arthur Steinbrecher, Thomas Weiland, and Dennis Jason. Ed Rehman will serve as secretary to the committee.

Signs of Summer

The boat feels a little unsteady after the hoist drops it in the lake and you still have bottom point on your elbow.

Last year's tennies won't go another season and the new ones feel much too flashy.

You have to move the snowmobile to mow the lawn.

The nozzle of the hose has vanished.

Worst year ever for mosquitos.

Another summer--it's about time.



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Clint and Barb were both raised in the Detroit area "and have always wanted to return to Michigan." They have four youngsters, three boys and a girl. Clint, Jr. and Clare will attend the Charlevoix Middle School whereas John and Jim will be at St. Mary's School come fall.

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There's plenty to do in Charlevoix

Charlevoix is full of fun things to do during the summer, even if there isn't a special event going on. All you have to do is look around and you'll be swamped with things to do, according to Jaqueline Merta, director of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Merta often gets inquiries at the chamber office from tourists about what

there is for them to do while they are visiting Charlevoix, and many of her suggestions could be used by local people as well.

The chamber director said she usually starts by suggesting sports activities.

"I always mention the beaches," Mrs. Merta said. "You know Charlevoix is lucky to have three really nice public beaches. We're

probably one of the few communities in this area with that many public beaches."

Not only do Charlevoix residents and tourists enjoy the three beaches, but you can often catch residents from other local communities catching some rays from Charlevoix shores.

Fishing is next on the list of things to do. Mrs. Merta said she always mentions the pier

and the railroad bridge as good fishing sites. She added that there are many charter fishing boats and other boats for rent in the city.

Golfing, bicycle riding and horseback riding are also available to residents and visitors to the area. And if you aren't interested in any of that, there is always a good old Petoskey stone hunt for exercise.

Shopping is another suggestion Mrs. Merta often makes to visitors. Once people are through visiting the central business area, the chamber director often suggests that they make a tour of the art stores in the area.

An Arts and Crafts Trials brochure is available at the chamber listing the names and addresses of local artists.

activity," Mrs. Merta said.

She said she also suggests visits to local points of interest such as the Ironport Ferry, where people can get a ride across the south arm of Lake Charlevoix. People don't necessarily need a car for this trip. Enthusiastic bicyclists might enjoy it, too.

She also suggested visits to Greensky Hill Mission Church.

Many special events will be held in Charlevoix throughout the summer through the sponsorship of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce. A rundown of events follows:

This week—Tues.—Sat.—Michigan Amateur Golf Tournament.

July 4—Champagne Cruise to see Boyne City fireworks.

July 9—9th Annual Lakeside Hobbycraft Show.

July 21-24—47th Annual Venetian Festival.

Aug. 5-6—Sidewalk Sale Days.

Aug. 13-19th Annual Waterfront Art Fair.

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Old-fashioned games can keep kids busy

School's been out just a short while, but already young voices can be heard asking, "What can I do? There's nothing to do."

On some of those days parents or babysitters may be hard pressed to think of anything the kids can do. But if they dig deep into their own childhood, they could probably come up with many games they once played during long summer afternoons that can keep the children of the 1970s busy, too.

In case parents have forgotten some of those games which have been passed along for generations, a unique book, Adah Parker Strobel's "Colonial Games 'N' Fun Handbook" offers a potpourri of games and activities to please a wide variety of ages and interests.

Here are a few games for those long afternoons:

COCK FIGHTING
AGE GROUP: 6 or older
PARTICIPANTS: 2 or more
DIRECTIONS: Each player stands on one foot and holds his other leg in one hand; all players hop around and bump into each other, trying to knock each other down. The winner of a round is that player who stays on his feet after the other players are straddling him. When all are lying on their backs, the one at the rear of the

feet on the ground.

VARIATION 1: Players hop on one foot with their arms folded across their chests.

VARIATION 2: Players squat putting their arms around their knees and clasping their hands firmly; players hop, trying to unbalance each other.

SKIN THE SNAKE RELAY
AGE GROUP: 8 or older
PARTICIPANTS: 6-40
DIRECTIONS: Divide players into equal teams, no more than 8 to a team, and line up in file formation. Each player extends his left hand backward between his legs and at the same time grasps, with his right hand, the left hand of the player in front of him. At a signal, members of each file start moving backward. The rear player of each file, as the backward movement starts, lies down on his back, retaining the hand grasp with the player in front of him. The second rear player, after moving backward by straddling the last player, lies down, still maintaining the grasp with his two hands. The backward movement is continued, each player lying down after he passes over the other players by straddling them. When all are lying on their backs, the one at the rear of the

file (the captain) arises and, straddling the prone players, moves forward, pulling the second player from the rear to his feet. This continues until the third player. Action continues until all are on their feet once more. The team wins whose captain first returns all the members of his file to the standing position, provided no hand grasps are broken.

Each player, as he lies down, should keep his legs close against the body of the player in front of him, and turn his toes in. Players who are moving backward should move their legs well apart while straddling. Practice in slow motion before using as a race.

TIERS
AGE GROUP: 10 or older
PARTICIPANTS: 6-20
DIRECTIONS: This game was popular with the Indians of the plains and the Northwest coastal areas. A circle of players is formed, about 50 feet in diameter. One player stands in the center blindfolded. A referee designates which player on the outside circle should proceed slowly toward the center man. The object of the stalker is to touch the center man before he can be detected. If the centerman points to the stalker, the referee indicates right

and the stalker must sit in that spot. The referee then points to another stalker to begin his advance. This continues until a stalker reaches the center man; if no one reaches him, the closest man to the center after everyone has had a turn is declared the winner.

TONGUE TWISTERS
Repeat three times with increasing speed:
Quizzical Quiz, kiss me quick.
Eleven elephants elegantly equipped stopped Eleanor's equipage.
Neddy Noople nipped his neighbor's nutmeg.
Peter Piper picked a peck of pickled peppers and put them on a preased pewter platter.
Sam Slick sawed six slim, slippery, slender sticks.



Many activities in store for 4-H members this summer

By PEG OHLE

The fact that school is out does not mean that the season has ended for 4-H activities in Charlevoix County.

Some of the events scheduled in the next two weeks are:

June 11 — County 4-H Horse Show, 10 a.m. at Boyne City High School Athletic Field.

June 15 — 4-H Family Night at the Peninsula Grange Hall on the East Jordan-Advance Road. Potluck dinner at 6 p.m. Activities will include folk dance instruction, action songs, summer project setup and presentation of winter project award certificates.

June 16 — Meeting for members of the 4-H F.F.A. Market Steer Project, 8 p.m. at the Petoskey School Vocational Agriculture Building.

June 18 — 4-H Bicycle Safety and Riding session. A short bicycle safety session followed by a bicycle trip of about 20 miles. Meet at Whiting Park at 9 a.m. A registration fee will be required to cover refreshments and insurance.

Those wishing to participate must call the Cooperative Extension Service (582-6232) by June 15 to register.

Also, there is still room for campers in the 4-H summer camp, for youngsters 9 to 13, at Camp Oquene near

participate in horse and livestock judging contests and demonstrations, even if you don't own any animals.

b. Have a puppy that will eventually become a leader dog for a blind person.

c. Help handicapped children in the "Horseback for Handicapped Program."

d. Study exotic subjects, like African cultural heritage.

Any parent whose youngster is interested in any 4-H project is asked to contact the Extension Service.

Lifeguards on duty

Lifeguards will be on duty at all Charlevoix beaches beginning Saturday, Dwight Bass, City Recreation director, has announced.

Guards will remain on the beach daily through Sept. 4. Duty hours at the Lake Michigan, Perry ave., and Depot beaches will be from 11 a.m. until 6 p.m. daily throughout the summer.

Joe Kaufman, Erin Arvilla, Joe Left, Steve Michael and Carole Donner will be the guards at the various beaches. Lifeguards will be assigned to the three beaches prior to the official opening Saturday.

Recreation program slated at Charlevoix K-5 school

A full program of fun and games for boys and girls in the six through 13-year age group will be offered during the next six weeks under the sponsorship of the Youth Activities Program in cooperation with the Charlevoix Recreation Department.

Central Michigan University students will be in charge of the program to be held at the Charlevoix Elementary School on Division Street daily Monday through Friday from now through July 29.

Among the activities planned are games such as softball, basketball, volleyball, kickball, soccer and other competitive games; arts and crafts; quiet time games such as card games, checkers and other table games with special events to be scheduled weekly.

The program will be without charge to all youngsters in the Charlevoix School District from 9 a.m. until 12 noon and 1 to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday at the Charlevoix Elementary School.

Kids may join the program at any time. Monday was set aside as registration day, however, youngsters may register and attend at any time. Parents were made aware of the program prior to the end of the school year through information sheets sent home with students.

The program is supported by a state grant through Juvenile Justice Services. Gary Hice is conducting the program. Youth Activities coordinator, for Charlevoix and Emmet counties.

Swimming lessons begin July 5 at Ferry Beach

The Charlevoix Recreation Department will again offer swimming lessons to anyone in the Charlevoix area five years and older Dwight Bass, City Recreation director, has announced.

Lessons will begin Tuesday, July 5 at the Ferry Ave. Beach and will be taught by Water Safety certified personnel. Classes will be held from 10 a.m. until 4 p.m. daily Monday through Friday.

Those interested in participating in the swim program are asked to register at the Recreation Department office in the city hall beginning at 9 a.m. Thursday, June 23. All students must register and pay the designated fee in advance. Those unable to register Thursday may sign up no later than Wednesday, June 29.

There will be a fee of \$5 per student or \$10 per family for residents of Charlevoix and \$8 per student or \$16 per family for non-city residents.

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Court News

The following cases were heard recently in Charlevoix District Court by Judge David B. Forstner:

Houston Van Hooser, 29, Charlevoix, (1) impaired driving, (2) open container in vehicle. Plead guilty. Ninety days in county jail.

Jean Rokus, 36, Boyne City, trespassing. Plead guilty. Ten days in county jail.

Charles W. Saunders, 53, Ellsworth, impaired driving. Plead guilty. \$125 fine and costs.

The following cases were heard recently in Charlevoix District Court by Judge David B. Forstner:

William F. Nelson, 56, Boyne City, speeding. \$25.

James W. Lewis, 20, Oak Park, speeding. \$25.

Michael T. Nichols, 25, Troy, speeding. \$30.

Gary G. Roberts, 31, Union Lake, speeding. \$25.

Joy L. Hardy, 19, Boyne City, speeding. \$41.

Jacob B. Skarr, 42, Flint, speeding. \$25.

William F. Nelson, 56, Boyne City, speeding. \$25.

Robert F. Steen, 34, Ludington, speeding. \$25.

Robert J. Polak, 18, Petoskey, speeding. \$25.

Ronald N. Goldman, 48, Southfield, speeding. \$25.

Jack D. Wingo, 17, Boyne City, speeding. \$25.

Michael A. Smith, 17, Charlevoix, speeding. \$25.

Robert V. Juchow, 23, Hattiesburg, speeding. \$25.

David F. Sadowski, 30, Bay Shore, speeding. \$35.

Clash E. Lewis, 32, Clarkston, speeding. \$25.

Michael A. Ance, 17, Boyne City, speeding. \$25.

Keneth J. Korch, 17, Boyne City, no valid registration plates. \$25.

Andrew R. Blockway, 25, Boyne Falls, no valid registration plates. \$25.

Edith M. Todter, 52, Boyne City, speeding. \$28.

Donald P. Troll, Belle Isle, speeding. \$25.

Jeffrey L. Wajgoner, 19, Boyne City, failing to maintain equipment. \$25.

Joyce A. Gerson, 24, Boyne City, speeding. \$28.

Bartula A. Macdonald, 19, Charlevoix, speeding. \$25.

Pamela A. Morris, 23, Petoskey, speeding. \$25.

Shawn P. Dumond, 17, Petoskey, speeding. \$30.

Jeffrey G. Hedges, 30, Grand Rapids, speeding. \$25.

Gregory A. Young, 30, Traverse City, speeding. \$25.

Mark V. Porell, 17, L'Ansonia, (1) operator's license not on person. \$25. (2) speeding. \$30.

Larry E. Bailey, 35, Edmore, speeding. \$25.

Francis M. Biehl, 20, Waterford, speeding. \$25.

Shirley E. Zeller, 39, Jackson, speeding. \$33.

Francis L. Rogers, 55, Saint Ste Marie, speeding. \$25.

Oscar R. Jones, 39, Petoskey, speeding. \$25.

Larry J. Gross, 21, Detroit, no proof of insurance. \$25.

John T. Spillet, 40, Huntington Woods, speeding. \$25.

Marilyn J. Holder, 20, Midland, speeding. \$30.

25, Charlevoix.

Alfred A. Lander, 18, Boyne City, and Mary J. Carrigan, Boyne City. Michael L. Troost, 29, Charlevoix, and Barbara E. Camp-Wetman, 28, Charlevoix.

Todd A. Malpass, 24, Royal Oak, and Marilyn E. Mosher, 23, East Jordan.

Steven E. Shadwick, 25, Charlevoix, and Mary A. Liddle, 21, Charlevoix.

Floyd P. Gault, 58, Ellsworth, and Marlene M. Jenkins, 41, Ellsworth.

William G. Murray, 30, Charlevoix, and Laurie Jo Lester, 25, Charlevoix.

Cancer society inches toward goal

Charlevoix County's American Cancer Crusade is only \$281 short of its record \$13,900 goal, according to Mrs. Patty Muma, county Crusade chairman.

Mrs. Muma is confident that the remainder of the money will be donated in the next few days to put the county over the top.

As of June 17, door-to-door solicitations, fund-raising projects, memorial contributions and other gifts totaled \$13,618.12, all of which will be used for research into the cause and cure of cancer.

and to relieve the financial burden of cancer victims in Charlevoix County.

The City of Charlevoix paced the campaign divisions, with total contributions of \$7,422.46, followed by Boyne City with \$3,318.98; East Jordan, \$2,325.66 and Beaver Island, \$550.

Assisting Mrs. Muma as chairman were Mrs. Freda Kulik, Boyne Falls; Mrs. Joy Green, St. James; Jane Russell and Jean Zoulek, East Jordan; Mrs. Harvey Varnum, Boyne City; and Mrs. Chris Robinson, Walloon.

Lake, in addition to acting as county chairman, Mrs. Muma also served as Charlevoix chairman.

Mrs. Muma said all of the area chairmen are continuing to accept donations in an effort to meet the 1977 goal. Checks made out to the American Cancer Society also may be sent to Mrs. Dorothy Dixon, County Crusade treasurer, in care of the First State Bank of Charlevoix.

Following is a break-down of the various fund-raising projects conducted in Charlevoix and the amount raised for the annual Crusade:

Door-to-door donations, \$4,071.95; Charlevoix High School Student Council car wash, \$59.00; Business Donations, \$1,105; mail-in donations, \$560; bake sale, \$365.50; VPW Bingo donation, \$96.80; grocery contest, \$201.50; Send-a-Mouse to college, Charlevoix schools, \$148.67; American Legion Bingo donation, \$15.80; color TV contest, \$925; bookboards in bars, \$100; and memorials, \$70.

LAKEFRONT HOMES AND PROPERTY

- LAKE CHARLEVOIX**
1. Three bedroom ranch, 166' frontage
LAKE MICHIGAN
2. Three bedroom, 2 baths 133' frontage.
3. One bedroom A-frame plus loft 100' frontage.
4. Building site - 95' frontage.
5. Building site - 250' frontage 1500' deep.
6. Building site on Lake Marion with 106' lake frontage.

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33¢

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49¢

PIXIE SMOKED PICNIC
SPECIAL TRIM 4-6 LB. AVG.
LB. 59¢

SLICED SMOKED PICNIC
LB. 65¢

TURKEY DRUMSTICKS
BULK BY THE POUND
29¢

SEEDLESS GRAPES
79¢ LB.

California Lemons
6/49¢

California Nectarines
59¢ LB.

SHURFINE CANNED POP
ASSORTED FLAVORS
8/\$1

TIP TOP LEMONADE
4/88¢

JENO'S FROZEN PIZZA
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59¢

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48¢

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Marriages

The following marriage licenses were issued recently by the Charlevoix County Clerk:

Lindsay A. Friss, 23, Fenton, and Renee V. Givovich, 20, Charlevoix.

Todd A. Malpass, 24, Royal Oak, and Marilyn E. Mosher, 23, East Jordan.

Steven E. Shadwick, 25, Charlevoix, and Mary A. Liddle, 21, Charlevoix.

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William G. Murray, 30, Charlevoix, and Laurie Jo Lester, 25, Charlevoix.

Proposed Charter for the City of Charlevoix

Quo-noj-won an-dah-noo-kee-ing
baa-kad beh-mot-zee-ing.
Keen-nah-weh-sah an-dah-noo-kee-ing
Shang-gwok-o-zee-beeng
bok-san-dah-meh chee-ish-pan-dah-mong
O-geh-ma-win.

(Ottawa)

Nature achieves beauty through order. The Citizens of Charlevoix desire to insure beauty in their lives through the good order of their government.

Approved by the
Charlevoix Charter Commission
May 3, 1977

Special Election
July 12, 1977

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Board of Review, the City Assessor shall give notice to each such property owner of the decision of the Board of Review. This notice shall be mailed to the address of each owner not later than seven (7) days before the second meeting of the Board of Review.

Section 8.11 Board of Review - Second Meeting.

The second meeting of the Board of Review shall be held at the times and places set by the Board of Review for the purpose of hearing any further complaints by persons considering themselves aggrieved by the assessments. The assessment review shall be completed by the first Monday in April.

Section 8.12 Board of Review - Endorsement of Roll.

After the Board of Review completes its review of the assessment roll, the majority of its members shall immediately endorse thereon and sign a statement to the effect that the same is the assessment roll of the City for the year in which it has been prepared. The omission of this endorsement shall not affect the validity of this roll. Upon completion, the roll shall be the assessment roll of the City for County, School, and City taxes and for any other taxes on real or personal property that may be authorized by law. The assessment roll shall be conclusively presumed by all Courts and tribunals to be valid and shall not be set aside except for causes set forth in general tax laws of the State.

Section 8.13 Certification to Assessor.

After the Council has adopted the budget for the ensuing year, the City Clerk shall certify to the City Assessor the total amount which the Council determines shall be raised by general taxes, all amounts of special assessments which the Council requires to be assessed or reassessed upon any property or against any person, and all other amounts which the Council may determine shall be charged, assessed, or reassessed against any person or property.

Section 8.14 Spreading of the Taxes.

After the confirmation of the assessment roll, the City Assessor shall certify a copy of the assessment to the City Treasurer. The assessment roll shall be delivered to the Treasurer before May 1st each year. Thereafter, the City Treasurer shall spread the several taxes to be raised upon this certified copy of the assessment roll and this shall constitute the City tax roll for the current year. To avoid fractions and computations on any tax roll, the City Treasurer may add to the amount of the several taxes to be raised an amount prescribed by statute. This added amount, when collected, shall belong to the City.

Section 8.15 Taxes - Collection of.

After spreading the taxes, the City Treasurer shall collect from the persons named in the tax roll the various sums stated. The City Treasurer is granted, for the purpose of collecting the taxes, assessments, and charges on the tax roll, all the powers and immunities possessed by township treasurers for the collection of taxes under the general tax laws of the State. The City Council may provide for the collection of delinquent taxes by ordinance.

Section 8.16 Taxes - Due - Liens.

The City taxes assessed shall become due on June 1st of each year, and the amounts assessed on any interest in real property shall become a lien upon such property at the time provided by the federal tax laws of the State, and the lien for these amounts and for all interest and other charges shall continue until these sums are paid. All personal property taxes shall be a first lien, prior, superior, and paramount, upon all personal property of the persons assessed at the time provided by the general tax laws of the State and shall

necessary to protect the lien of the City for taxes or special assessments. The City may hold, lease, or sell this property. Any such procedure exercised by the City in the protection of its lien shall be deemed to be public purpose.

Section 8.22 Tax Collection - County, School, and State.

For the purpose of assessing and collecting taxes in the City for State, County and School purposes, the City shall be considered the same as a Township and shall collect and account for these taxes, penalties and interest in the method provided by the general tax laws of the State.

Section 8.17 Taxes - Power of Treasurer.

The City Treasurer shall have the same power and authority as conferred by law upon township treasurers for collecting taxes by suit, by distraint, or by the sale of goods and chattels. All proceedings for the return and collection of unpaid taxes, the sale of goods and chattels, and all other proceedings necessary in the enforcement of these taxes, shall be in all respects, so far as applicable, the same as are set by the general tax laws of the State.

Section 8.23 Changes - Additions.

In all matters where this Charter does not fully or adequately provide for the levy and collection of the City, County, School, and other taxes, the City Council shall have the power and authority to adopt additional ordinances necessary to carry out and enforce the general tax laws of the State.

ARTICLE IX
Special Assessments

Section 9.1 Determination.

The Council shall have the power to determine the necessity of any local or public improvement, including any public parking facilities and boulevard lighting systems, and to determine that the whole or any part of the costs thereof shall be defrayed by special assessments upon the property to be benefited, and may also specially benefited, and shall so declare by resolution, provided that all special assessments levied shall be based upon or be in proportion to the benefit derived or to be derived. Such resolution shall state the estimated cost of the improvement, what proportion of the cost shall be paid by special assessment, what part, if any, shall be a general obligation of the City, the number of installments in which assessments may be paid, the interest on any unpaid assessments, if any, the date on which the assessments shall commence, and shall designate the districts or land and property on which special assessments shall be levied.

Section 9.2 Procedure.

The Council shall prescribe by general ordinance the complete special assessment procedure concerning the initiation of projects, plans and specifications, estimates of cost, notice of hearings, making and confirming assessment rolls for the improvement, the correction of errors in the assessment rolls, collection of special assessments, the assessment of single lots or parcels, and any other matters concerning the making of improvements by the special assessment method, subject to the provisions of this Charter and the laws of the State. The ordinance shall authorize additional assessments, if the prior assessment proves insufficient to pay for the improvement or is determined to be invalid, in whole or in part.

Section 9.3 Confirmation.

Confirmation of any special assessment must be made by a majority vote of the entire Council. This section shall not apply to sidewalk improvement.

Section 9.4 Refund.

The excess by which any special assessment proves larger than the actual cost of the improvement and expenses incidental thereto shall be refunded to the owners of the property assessed. This refund shall be made by credit against future unpaid installments to the extent that installments are still owing, and the balance of the refund shall be in cash. No refunds may be made which contravene the provisions of any outstanding evidence of indebtedness secured in whole or in part by the special assessment. Minimum refund shall be of \$5.00.

Section 9.5 Liens.

From the date of confirmation of any roll levying any special assessment, the full amount of any special assessment and any interest thereon shall be a lien upon the property subject to the assessment, and the lien for these amounts and for all interest and other charges shall continue until these sums are paid. All personal property taxes shall be a first lien, prior, superior, and paramount, upon all personal property of the persons assessed at the time provided by the general tax laws of the State and shall

other evidence of indebtedness issued by the City shall be kept by the City Clerk. Upon the payment of any bond or other evidence of indebtedness, the same shall be marked "Cancelled".

Section 10.8 Unleased Bonds.

No unleased bonds of the City shall be issued or sold to secure funds for any purpose other than that for which they were specifically authorized, and if such bonds are not sold within three (3) years after authorization shall be null and void.

ARTICLE XI
Franchises

Section 11.1 Franchise.

The City Council may grant a franchise or license by or to exceed 5 (five) years.

ARTICLE XII
Utility - Franchises and Municipal Ownership

Section 12.1 General Powers.

The City shall possess and hereby reserves to itself all the powers granted to cities by law to acquire, construct, own, operate, improve, enlarge, extend, repair, and maintain, either within or without its corporate limits, including, but not by the way of limitation, public utilities for supplying water, light, heat, power, gas, sewerage treatment, and garbage disposal facilities, or any of them, to the municipality and the inhabitants thereof; and also to sell and deliver water, light, heat, power, gas and other public utility services without its corporate limits as authorized by law.

Section 12.2 Management.

All municipally owned or operated utilities shall be administered by regular departments of the City government, under the management and supervision of the City Manager. The City Manager shall appoint and remove department supervisors solely on the basis of merit.

Section 12.3 Rates.

(a) The Council shall have the power to fix, from time to time, such just and reasonable rates and other charges as may be deemed advisable for supplying the inhabitants of the City and others with such public utility services as the City may provide. There shall be no discrimination in such rates within any classification of users thereof, nor shall free service be permitted. Higher rates may be charged for service outside the corporate limits of the City.

Section 12.4 Conditions of Public Utility Franchises.

All public utility franchises granted after the adoption of this Charter, whether it be so provided in the granting ordinance or not, shall be subject to the following rights of the City, but this enumeration shall not be exclusive or impair the right of the Council to insert in its franchise any provision within the power of the City to impose or require:

Section 12.5 Status of Taxes and Assessments.

All taxes and assessments levied or assessed and all charges thereon and all fines and penalties imposed, which are uncollected at the time this Charter becomes effective, shall be collected as if such change had not been made. If a different remedy is provided by this Charter, or by any ordinance, resolution, or resolution, the remedy shall be deemed cumulative to the remedies under the existing Charter.

Section 12.6 Transitional Authority.

In all cases not covered by this Charter, the Council shall supply necessary details and procedures for the transition from the existing Charter to the City under the existing Charter to that under this Charter, and may adopt such rules, regulations, and ordinances as may be required therefor.

Section 12.7 Regulation of Rates.

All public utility franchises shall make provision therein for fixing rates, fares, and charges and may provide for readjustment of rates at periodic intervals. The value of the property of the utility used as a basis for fixing such rates, fares, and charges shall, in no event, include "a value predicated upon the franchise, good-will or prospective profits."

Section 12.8 Use of Public Places by Utilities.

Every public utility, whether it has a franchise or not, shall pay such part of the cost of improvement, or maintenance of streets, alleys, bridges, and other public places as shall arise from its use thereof and shall protect and save the City harmless from all damages arising from said use. Every public utility may be required by the City to permit joint use of its property and appurtenances located in the streets, alleys, and other public places of the City by the City and by other public utilities insofar as such joint use may be reasonably practicable and upon payment of reasonable rental therefor. In the absence of agreement and upon application by any public utility, the Council shall provide for arbitration of the terms and conditions of such joint use and the compensation to be paid therefor, and the arbitration award shall be final, prior to the effective date of this Charter, as though they had been appointed or employed in the manner herein provided. They shall in all respects be subject to the provisions of this Charter, except that any officials or employees who hold an office or employment which is provided for in this Charter shall continue in their office or employment at the pleasure of the appointing official or body, regardless of the term for which originally appointed.

Section 12.9 Sale and Assignment of Franchises.

The grantee of a franchise may not sell, assign, sublet, or allow another to use the same, unless the council consents. Nothing in this Section shall limit the right of the grantee of any public utility franchise to mortgage its property or franchise nor shall restrict the right of the purchaser, upon foreclosure sale, to operate the same, except that such mortgage or purchaser shall be subject to the terms of the franchise and provisions of this Charter.

ARTICLE XIII
Planning and Zoning

Section 13.1.

The City Council shall create a planning commission in accordance with statute.

Section 13.2 Zoning.

The City Council shall prescribe the zoning laws for the City.

Section 13.3 Zoning Variances.

All applications for Zoning variances shall be submitted to the City Manager in writing. The City Manager shall review the applications and refer said applications to the Planning Commission. The Planning Commission shall hear the matter and make a recommendation to the Zoning Board of Appeals in writing.

ARTICLE XIV
Transition

Section 14.1 Purpose.

The purpose of this Article is to assist the transition from the existing Charter to this Charter and it shall constitute a part of this Charter only to the extent and for the time required to accomplish this end.

Section 14.2 Effective Date.

Except as otherwise provided herein, this Charter shall take effect and become law on January 1, 1978, at 12:01 a.m.

Section 14.3 Initial Caucus, Initial Election and Terms of Office.

a. The first election of ward council members under the Charter shall take place on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in the month of November, 1977. Three (3) shall be elected at this election, being one (1) alderman from each ward of the City for a two (2) year term, which alderman shall take office on January 1, 1978. The nomination and election of such alderman shall be in accordance with the provisions of this Charter. The first meeting of the City shall be held on the second Monday in January, 1978.

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Section 14.17 Transitional Authority.

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They'll be back for Michigan Amateur

By PAULA HOLMES

"I'll be back" was the sentiment of most of the 370 golfers who participated



Pat Paul

Following dismissal

LeFavour considering suit

A fired Charlevoix city policeman says he may sue the city for dismissing him last week.

Peter C. LeFavour claims he was treated unjustly when City Police Chief Jack Mol fired him Thursday for conduct unbecoming a police officer.

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In the Michigan Amateur Golf Tournament at the Belvedere Club Golf Course last week.

It was also the sentiment of two Charlevoix High School students, the only local players in the amateur tournament.

"Oh, I'm going to try again next year, definitely," Pat Paul, 16, said following his first exposure to the weeklong tournament.

"I think we could make the cut next year," Mike Custer, 15, added. "We could have made it this year."

For both young men, playing in the Michigan Am was something they have always wanted to do.

"I live up here and I wanted to try it," Paul explained. "And that's the whole idea behind getting a season ticket to the Belvedere Club. Get your handicaps

down so that you can qualify for the Michigan Am."

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SPINAL INJURIES

Injuries to the back and spinal column receive the best and most effective care from those who are accustomed to dealing with injuries involving the spinal column. No medicine, drug injection, or surgery which removes spinal parts can correct injuries to the spine. The only way to bring permanent lasting relief is to correct the cause. Without drugs or surgery, Chiropractors correct spinal injuries with spinal adjustments. Chiropractic adjustments are gentle and painless.

Do not delay, as in the case of all illness and injuries, "Time is a friend to disease." Even though your injury may seem small at first, see your Chiropractor right away. A simple Chiropractic check up can save you hours of pain and suffering later. If you injure your spine on a fall, car or other accident, see a Chiropractor at once. Enjoy good health. Consult a Chiropractor today.



Dr. Jeffrey Ricks
1101 S. Bridge
Charlevoix
547-4691
Mon-Sat.

Community Calendar

Fran Martin
547-4433

Wednesday, June 29

Charlevoix County Humane Society will meet at the Top O' Michigan Building in Boyne City 7:30 p.m.

TOPS, Mrs. Harold Towsley, Loeb Rd. 6 p.m.

Friday, July 1

Charlevoix Softball Association Invitational tournament at Carpenter ave. field with games scheduled Friday evening through Monday. (See story and Petoskey Whirl-Aways Western Square Dance Group

schedule).

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Al-Anon Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal Church at Clinton and State sts. 8 p.m.

For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.

Maple Grove Grange will meet at Grange Hall 8 p.m.

Saturday, July 2

Petoskey Whirl-Aways Western Square Dance Group

will meet at the Lincoln School in Petoskey 8 until 10:30 p.m. Members are asked to bring sandwiches for refreshments.

Sunday, July 3

Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.

Monday, July 4

Independence Day...Happy 201st birthday to the U.S.!

Champagne Cruise aboard the MS Beaver Islander leaving the municipal dock at 8:30 p.m. to witness the

fireworks display at Boyne City at nightfall (see story for details). Tickets must be purchased in advance at Beaver Island Boat Co. office or the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, sponsors of the cruise.

Tuesday, July 5

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Women of the Church of God will meet at Fellowship Hall 7:30 p.m. Hostesses: Mrs. David Fowler and Mrs. William Peck; Program: Mrs. Charles A. Duerr, "Our Church Library."

Charlevoix Soaring Club will meet at the airport hangar 7:30 p.m.

Coast Guard Wives Club will meet at the Community Room of the First State Bank 7:30 p.m.

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Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational Church

City band to begin concert schedule

The Charlevoix City Band will open its weekly concerts in East Park beginning this week according to Mike Davis, summer director of the 50-piece instrumental group. However, for the first time

in many years, the concerts which begin this week and continue until mid-August, will be presented at 8 p.m. on Thursday evening. Davis said the schedule was changed because Wednesday was designated as "church night" in the community and to allow musicians who play with other groups an opportunity to play with the Charlevoix City Band.

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Shopping Center

A BUILDING PERMIT has been issued and heavy equipment moved in to begin clearing the land for the proposed new shopping center that is being developed on M-66. The developers plan on having ground breaking ceremonies at 11 a.m. July 8. So far Glen's Markets, Ben Franklin and Wagon Electric have signed leases for store space in the new shopping complex.

William Ratigan to address historical society on lakes

Dr. William Ratigan, Great Lakes author and historian, former NBC managing news editor, World War II supervisor of correspondents in the Pacific, and editor-scriptwriter for the first United Nations Conference, will speak at the monthly meeting of the Charlevoix Historical Society on Tuesday, July 5, at 8 p.m. in the Community Room of the First State Bank.

He will discuss his chronicles about the Great Lakes, including three major shipwrecks of modern times, and the loss of "Cedarville" in a fog in the Straits of Mackinac in 1965.

Dr. Ratigan will include in his informal comments not only the shipping tragedies but also more recent developments on the Lakes, such as "Operation Taconite," the code name for "Winter Run," subject of much controversy in the recent attempts to establish year-round full calendar seasons of navigation.

All who are interested in Great Lakes history are invited to attend this meeting and share Dr. Ratigan's views of navigation past and present. There will be time for a question period.



William Ratigan

Candidate finance forms due in clerk's office

Candidates in the recent school board elections, both those who were successful and those who were not, must file post-election campaign statements of money and spent by their candidate committees.

This recent clarification of the law by the State's Attorney General states, however, that

the statements need only include receipts and disbursements made after June 1, 1977. These post-election campaign statements must be filed with the county clerk within 30 days following the election (by July 13).

Candidates are also reminded that they must file Statements of Organization of their candidate committees with the county clerk if they haven't already done so.

Charter sets tax limitation at 15 mills

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the last in a series of four articles discussing the proposed new charter and the changes it would make in the operation of government in the City of Charlevoix. This story will cover Articles 8, 12, 13 and 14 of the charter which deal with taxation, utility franchises and municipal ownership, planning and zoning and transition.

The format will be the same as last week including a condensed version of the charter followed by comments from Richard Fochtman, charter commission chairman, and John Michael, charter commissioner.

Article 8-Taxation

In order to carry out the purposes, powers, and duties of the City Government established by this Charter, the City shall have the power to assess taxes and to lay and collect rents, tolls, and excises. The annual general ad valorem tax levy for municipal purposes shall not exceed one and one half percent (1 1/2%) of the state equalized value of all real and personal property.

In each case where the assessed value is increased or property is added to the rolls, the City Assessor shall give notice thereof to the respective property owners. This notice shall be mailed to the addresses of such owners as shown on the last assessment roll, and shall be mailed not later than one week before the first meeting of the Board of Review. The City Assessor shall file an affidavit with the Board of Review verifying this mailing, and this affidavit shall create a presumption of this mailing. Failure to send this notice as herein provided shall nullify the assessment change for the individual piece of property affected thereby for that year, and the assessment of the affected property shall remain unchanged.

In each case where there is an appeal by a property owner heard at the first

meeting of the Board of Review, the City Assessor shall give notice to each such property owner of the decision of the Board of Review. This notice shall be mailed to the address of each owner not later than seven days before the second meeting of the Board of Review.

The charter commission members discussed the number of mills that could be levied in the city at length, Richard Fochtman, commission chairman, said. The commission waived between setting the millage rate at 10 mills or 15 mills.

They finally settled at 15 as a reasonable and desirable amount of millage because it would allow for some increase but the 15 mill limit would not allow such a great increase in taxes that it would overburden city residents, he said.

The commissioners also decided to change the composition of the Board of Review to increase the number of members. It will consist of five members, including three members appointed by the council and two members of the council.

The charter commission members felt the five-member board would be more familiar with the city and various properties.

Article 12-Utility Franchises and Municipal Ownership

The City shall have the power to acquire, construct, and operate, including, but not by way of limitation, public utilities for supplying water, light, heat, power, gas, sewage treatment and garbage disposal facilities, and to sell and deliver such services.

The rates and charges of any municipal utility for the furnishing of services shall be no higher than necessary to cover the costs of such utilities including depreciation, capital improvements, and the creating and maintaining of an emergency fund.

The City Council shall create an emergency fund for the electric, sewer and water utilities to meet any emergency that may occur. This fund shall not be less than \$75,000 nor more than 1 percent of the true cash value of such utility.

Unless approved by the affirmative vote of two-thirds of the registered electors at the election, the City shall not sell, exchange or lease any asset belonging to and appertaining to any municipally owned public utility which is needed to continue operating such utility.

One of the main changes the charter commission made in the section discussing the utilities was to create an emergency fund for the various operations, Fochtman and Michael said.

The funds are not to exceed one percent of the total value of the specific utility and the funds can be created over a five-year period.

"We felt the funds should be created over a five-year period so that the utility rates would not have to be increased excessively to create the funds," Fochtman said.

Fochtman and Michael pointed out that the utility section also puts a limit on the amount of reserve that can be kept in each fund. The men said they wanted the utilities to operate on a break-even basis. The charter commission felt by limiting the amount of reserve for the utilities, the rates could be kept at reasonable rates.

Article 13-Planning and Zoning

The City Council shall create a planning commission in accordance with statute.

All applications for zoning variances shall be submitted to the City Administrator in writing. The City Administrator shall review the application and refer the same to the

Planning Commission, who shall weigh the merits of the application and make recommendations to the Zoning Board of Appeals in writing.

The charter commission members established a planning commission so that the future of the city and its zoning would be studied as well as the current zoning requests, Fochtman and Michael said.

"As it stands now there's no one that really looks into the future to plan for the city," Fochtman said. "Council is busy with so many things they don't have the time to devote to it that a planning commission would."

"We felt an independent body of concerned interested citizens would

take the time to investigate zoning requests and to plan for future growth."

Under the new charter after the planning commission finishes investigating a zoning request written recommendations will be sent to the city council. Council will then decide how the issue will be handled. They can either follow the commissions recommendation or turn it down.

The city council will have the final say on any decisions the planning commission might take, Fochtman said.

Article 14-Transition

Except as otherwise provided herein, this Charter shall take effect and become law on Jan. 1, 1978 at 12:01 a.m.

The first election of ward council members under this Charter shall elect three aldermen, being one alderman from each ward of the City for a two-year term, which alderman shall take office on Jan. 1, 1978.

The office of elected Mayor under the Fourth Class Cities Act shall be abolished and terminated at the first meeting of the Council in the year 1978, at which time said council shall elect the Mayor as hereinafter provided.

This Charter shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the City of Charlevoix on July 12, 1977. This Charter shall be adopted if a majority of the ballots cast thereon are in favor of the adoption.

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Charlevoix Yesterday

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CHARLEVOIX
COURIER
The Second Front Page

For sheriff's deputies

Board approves contract

A two-year contract for the deputy sheriffs was approved by the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners last week.

The commissioners and Teamsters Local 214 approved a contract which kept starting salaries at the current level but provided for an 8.5 percent increase at the two-year level for deputies and a 6 percent increase at the two-year level for dispatchers.

The deputies salary was increased from \$10,600 at the two-year level to \$11,500. The dispatcher salaries were increased from \$8,500 to \$9,200. The deputies salaries will be increased another 8.7 percent in 1978 and dispatchers salaries will jump 6.7 percent.

Other changes in the contract allowed the sheriff's employees to accumulate up to 56 days of sick leave, an additional 12 days over the current 44 days.

The vacation and holiday schedule is the same except the deputies can now have their birthday off instead of Columbus Day.

In other action, the commissioners hired Marjorie Warner as the new cook for the jail. Mike Webb will be the new custodian at the county building and Tim Day will be hired as a CETA custodian.

Plan commissioners to study emergency drought relief act

The Charlevoix County Planning Commission will consider the Community Emergency Drought Relief Act of 1977 at its July 7 meeting and decide whether or not to suggest to the County Board of Commissioners that they make application for assistance under the act.

Purpose of the act is to provide grants and loans to

alleviate health and safety hazards, reduce economic hardship, and promote water conservation.

Projects to be funded are to be for the improvement, expansion, or construction of water supplies; purchase and transportation of water; water conservation measures; and other projects which will mitigate the effects

of the drought of the last two years.

Funds in the amount of \$175 million have been appropriated nationally. This will provide for loans, up to 100 percent of project costs; and grants, up to 50 percent of project cost. The loans will be for a 40 year term at a five percent interest rate.



DAN BOSS, Charlevoix High School senior, receives a scholarship check from Ralph Hamilton, Kwanan Club secretary. Boss was selected to receive the club's service and scholarship award. He graduated 11th in his class and participated in football, track, basketball, concert band and symphony band. He plans to go to Michigan Technological University and major in forestry.

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Residents express views on new charter

Clock explains charter changes

By Bob Clock, member
Charlevoix Charter Commission

The voters of Charlevoix will queue up at the polls July 12 to decide whether their city should adopt a home-rule form of government as proposed by the Charlevoix Charter Commission or to remain under the Fourth Class City Act.

As expected, opponents to change of any kind have not hesitated to make the proposed charter appear to be the work of the Devil and Adolph Hitler working in league with one another.

One such opponent has even gone so far as to rewrite American history by condemning a section of the charter which calls for non-partisan elections.

At a recent anti-charter meeting at city hall, he said that political parties date back to 1776 and are as American as apple pie.

Which is luncheon as any student of history will tell you. If anything, the founding fathers feared the republic would degenerate into a party system.

They warned repeatedly against the formation and influence of parties. And they didn't even make mention of political parties in the Constitution or the Bill of Rights.

Listen to George Washington's farewell address to the American people, dated Sept. 17, 1796, as published in the "American Daily Advertiser."

"One of the expedients of party to acquire influence within particular districts is to misrepresent the opinions and aims of other districts. You cannot shield yourselves too much against the jealousies and heartburnings which tend to render alien to each other those who ought to be bound together by fraternal affection."

"I have already intimated to you the danger of parties in the state, with particular reference to the founding of them on geographical discriminations. Let me now take a more comprehensive view and warn you in the most solemn manner against the baneful effects of the spirit of party generally."

"This spirit, unfortunately, is inseparable from our nature, having its root in the strongest passions of the human mind. It exists under different shapes in all governments which are more or less stifled, controlled, or repressed; but in those of the popular form it is seen in its worst rankness and is truly their greatest enemy."

"It serves always to distract the public councils and enfeeble the public administration. It agitates the community with ill-founded jealousies and false alarms; kindles the animosity of one part against another; fomentes occasionally riot and insurrection."

There is more, but you get the idea. President Washington didn't want to have anything to do with political parties and he thought they would be bad for the country, as did other early leaders.

So the Charter Commission is on pretty firm ground when it endorses non-partisan elections for the City of Charlevoix. The commissioners point out that too often in the past many talented Democrats have been denied an opportunity to serve Charlevoix in an official capacity simply because they were the label of an unpopular party and were unwilling to run under false stripes.

Foes of change also are wide-eyed over the false assumption that under the proposed charter the city manager would be responsible to no one—not even the council. This is the story going around town, and of course it's poppycock as a cursory review of the charter will show.

The city manager is hired by the council and does the council's bidding. If he blunders badly, it is the council which writes him a pink slip.

Under policies established by the council, the city manager is responsible for day-to-day operations of the city. And since he's in charge he must be held fully accountable when things go wrong. The buck stops with him. That is why under the proposed charter an individual councilman would not be in a position to tell the street superintendent what avenues he wants torred and chipped. He would have to work through the city manager. The mayor will not be able to fire a city employee as has happened in the past. But he will be able to pass his complaints on to the city manager who will see his workers shape up or ship out (if he is interested in keeping his own job).

What the new charter does is to impose a chain of command on city government, something which has been lacking in the past. City workers answer to their department heads, department heads answer to the city manager, the city manager answers to the council and the council answers to the voters. And the same process works in reverse.

It's as simple as that.

City government under the proposed charter has been likened to a corporate structure, which is a good analogy because the city is indeed a multi-million dollar municipal corporation which should be operated in a business-like manner. The citizens of Charlevoix are stockholders in the corporation, charged with making sure everything runs smoothly.

Another argument advanced by foes of the new charter centers around the city's \$750,000 surplus. They point to New York City, Detroit and other municipal giants which have been on the financial ropes for years and argue that Charlevoix must be doing something right under the Fourth Class City Act. And on the surface their argument makes sense.

Yet cities are not supposed to be in the business of making money or flashing big bankrolls. Ideally a municipal corporation should end the fiscal year with a zero bank balance, excluding monies set aside for capital expansion and emergencies. When a revenue surplus reaches unrealistic proportions, it means either that the city has been overtaxed or that they have paid too dearly for their city utilities. It is also a sign that more scrupulous attention should be paid toward matching anticipated revenues and expenditures when drawing up the city budget. By rights, that \$750,000 city bill looks to crowd about should be in the bank accounts of Charlevoix taxpayers, if it is a true revenue surplus.

Now on to some of the positive, exciting things about the proposed charter, including the ward conventions.

When the Charter Commission was elected two years ago, many members thought it might be a good idea to get rid of the wards altogether and switch to at-large elections. The ward system seemed to do more to divide Charlevoix than to bring them together for their mutual good.

Then the commissioners attended Potosky's ward conventions in September of 1975 and their thinking about wards changed markedly. They found, transported to the heart of Northern Michigan, a type of colonial town meeting at which friends and neighbors got together, discussed the political issues of the day and nominated council candidates and city convention delegates.

The system was such a refreshing departure from the sterile petition system of nominating candidates that the commissioners returned to Charlevoix determined that a place exists for the ward in modern city government.

If you vote "yes" on the proposed charter, you might as well cancel all other social and civic engagements for the second Wednesday in September for the rest of your life.

Here's what will happen: At 7:30 p.m., political animals from all three wards will convene at one spot—possibly the high school gymnasium—to receive copies of the city's financial position as prepared by the city manager and to hear a brief report by the mayor on the "State of the City."

At 8:00 p.m., delegates will adjourn to their ward conventions where they will nominate candidates to city council and the clerk's office and hear statements by the candidates themselves as well as endorsements by their supporters.

When the election is over, ward delegates will elect by secret ballot two nominees for city council from that ward, guaranteeing a contest at the general election, and one nominee for city clerk from the city at large.

Delegates will then return to the central meeting place where the mayor will introduce all of the candidates, who in turn will have a chance to present their platforms before all of the assembled delegates.

Anyone who feels he should have been elected but wasn't will have a chance to get on the ballot by filing a petition with the city clerk and a primary election will be called in that ward only on the first Monday in October. The names of the two surviving candidates will appear on the ballot at the November general election. All the winners will take office Jan. 1.

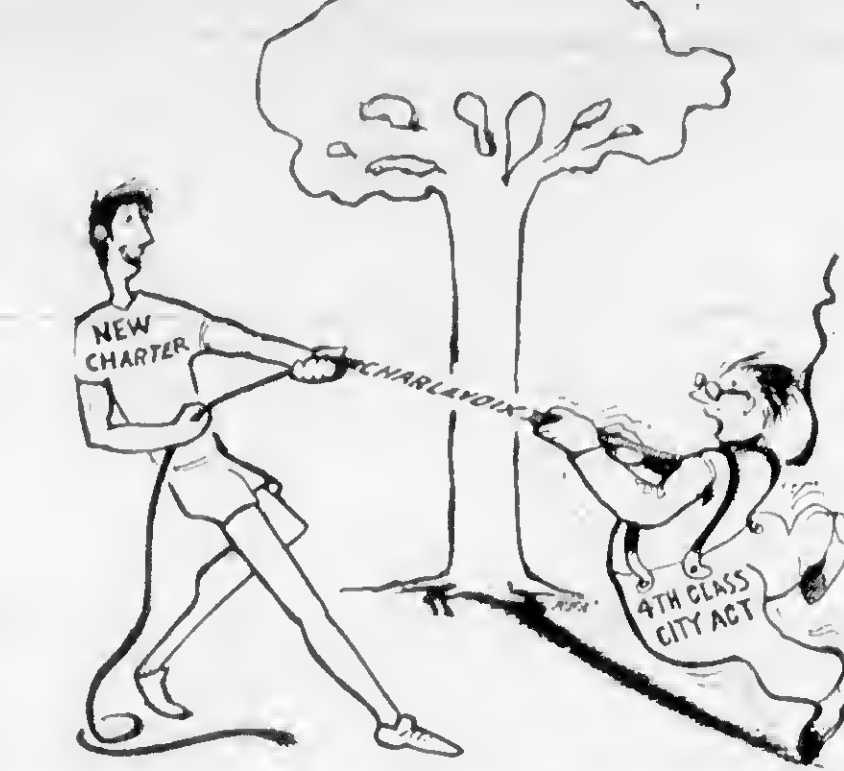
The ward convention system not only will eliminate the cost of primary elections most years, but also will give residents of each ward a chance to see their nominees in action and to evaluate them personally before voting.

The Charter Commission believes the second Wednesday of September will become one of the liveliest days on the calendar for Charlevoix residents—a return to the town meetings that were held behind American moved from the densely populated Midwest into the Plains and forests of the Midwest.

However after deciding on ward conventions, commissioners were still reluctant to abandon all of the advantages of an at-large system. So they decided that although candidates are nominated by ward, they shall be elected at large—a move which underscores each councilman's responsibility to the city as a whole.

One of the biggest changes under the proposed charter is the election of the mayor by the council rather than by all of the voters in the city. The commission knew this would be a tough feature to sell, but many of the members remembered one fellow who was elected mayor in a popular give-em-hell issue who was almost a total stranger to city government. Charlevoix didn't move off dead center until his successor was elected the following year.

The proposed charter practically guarantees that the mayor will have spent a few years on the council before taking over as top man. It also gives the mayor a vote on all issues—something denied him under the Fourth Class City Act. In the case of tie (and there will be some with a six-member council), the verdict is automatically "no," since a tie vote obviously requires more data and more discussion.



delegates.

The proposed Charlevoix City charter is an imperfect document at best. There are many areas, including conflict of interest, that the commissioners would like to have dealt with in detail. But these are areas in which state law takes precedence and it would be pointless to include statutory limits or prohibitions in the new charter which are subject to change at the whim of the state legislature.

If it is any consolation, Michigan has one of the toughest conflict of interest laws in the country. State law also provides for the recall of public officials who fall down on the job, limits the penalties of ordinance violators, dictates accounting procedures, provides for the collection of taxes and assumes full responsibility in other areas of city government.

Why change? Why abandon the Fourth Class City Act under which Charlevoix has operated for so many years?

Probably one of the best reasons is that the Fourth Class City Act may be getting ready to abandon the residents of Charlevoix. A move is afoot in the state legislature to have cities of Charlevoix's class either drop up home-rule charters or adopt the 1895 Fourth Class City Act as their charter.

And as valuable as it has been over the years, the Fourth Class City Act today has been superseded by so much state law that it is a veritable jungle of inconsistencies and inapplicable provisions.

Another good reason is that home rule will give Charlevoix an opportunity to amend their charter whenever the need arises. There is little the city can presently do to amend the Fourth Class City Act, which is, after all, a state document. It can be done, but it isn't easy.

Another important reason for change is the fact that the Fourth Class City Act virtually ignores the duties and responsibilities of the city manager or administrator. One can be hired, all right, but the law is vague when it comes to spelling out his duties and responsibilities. Remember, the Fourth Class City Act was born 82 years ago and was designed primarily to meet the needs of small rural communities with a minimum of relatively unsophisticated problems. The mayor and council could handle the job very well by themselves, thank you, without the assistance of a skilled administrator and staff. After all, that was in the days when city accounts could be kept on a thumb nail and a handful of city employees were paid wages from a muffin tin.

Just think: When the Fourth Class City Act was drafted the automobile hadn't even been invented. The mere mention of a "parking lot" would have aroused quizzical expressions. The Wright Brothers flight at Kitty Hawk was still eight years in the future. Electricity was a relatively new gadget, a plaything of the rich. The first road had yet to be paved. Sewage systems and indoor plumbing were just beginning to win acceptance.

Yet your mayor and council must deal everyday with traffic problems, parking problems, airport problems, electrical distribution problems, paving problems and sewage problems—areas of responsibility which didn't even exist when the Fourth Class City Act was born.

The proposed charter takes into consideration the fact that Charlevoix has grown, whether we like it or not, and is continuing to grow. The commissioners feel the new charter will make that growth as orderly and as painless as possible. They also feel that more residents will develop a keener interest in serving Charlevoix under a more people-oriented form of government.

Think it over. And vote July 12.

I greatly appreciate the invitation to write regarding the proposed City Charter. As I stated to you two weeks ago I preferred to remain neutral, however, time and circumstance has deprived me of that luxury.

It bothered me when John Michaels pushed the council to vote approval of the Charter when none of us had time to evaluate the document. It pleased me that the Council, in their wisdom voted only to put the question on the ballot, emphasizing that they showed, no preference.

At the presentation of the Charter to the Third Ward it soon became apparent that I would be remiss in my duty to the voters of Charlevoix not to explain the potential of the proposal. Article II section 2.17 Council Limitations-paragraph C states "The Council and its members shall deal solely through the City Manager with officials and employees who are subject to the direction and supervision of the City Manager. Neither the City Council nor its members individually shall give orders to any official or employee either publicly or privately." There is no way under the proposed charter to direct the Manager except by suspension and discharge, and we have not seen how difficult and unlikely that is.

The Charter provides that utility service charges include depreciation costs, capital improvement costs and a \$75,000 emergency fund in each utility to be reached in five years. This means that your sewer service charges of last year \$101,339 total would be raised by \$95,031 for depreciation and capital costs plus \$15,000 for emergency fund.

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This would make your total sewer service charges total \$21,370 over double last year's costs. I have resisted in the past, and strongly object to the charging of depreciation on utilities that have been paid for with bond money and operation revenues. It is a double charge, we must all say no to this.

Why all the increased cost provision? The only hint was at the June 21st presentation when Mr. Michaels alluded to numerous department heads and advisors, described a bureaucratic machine under one man control. What we know of that system is that the big cities that have it have gone bankrupt. Do we want the same? "no".

The present City Council under your proven efficient form of voter control, has held down your utility rates, reduced your City tax rate to the lowest in our history, half of what it was five years ago. At the presentation meeting Chairman Mr. Richard Foeltman explained that after a no vote the Charter commission could go back and revise the proposed charter, this is a ten mile tax limit, we could consider a conflict of interest act prohibiting bribery, extortion, kickbacks, payola and conversion, we could consider electing some of the people that are in City Hall all day, we should come up with the procedure to amend a charter, we could put some "Home Rule" in it.

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If it Fittz
by Jim Fitzgerald

It is a known fact that most lawyers are unfaithful to their spouses. This fact became known last week during a hearing before a Michigan State Bar Grievance Board panel.

Lawyer Milton Henry said: "If they started disbaring lawyers who were having extra-marital affairs, there wouldn't be too many of us around."

Of course, there are different opinions on how many lawyers are "too many."

Some malcontents insist one lawyer is too many.

These people are typified by the man who was content until he inherited a \$3 million estate and had to pay 16 lawyers \$3.1 million to get the estate probated. The case took 32 years to settle and the lawyers explained that their fee was not

unreasonable when figured on an hourly basis.

They justified their hourly rate by pointing out that it was the same amount charged by every other lawyer in the United States.

This was not price fixing, they said, it was reciprocity.

On the other hand, there are some people who insist there cannot be too many lawyers, otherwise they all wouldn't be so d— busy.

This group is typified by the accused shoplifter who was in jail 5 years waiting for trial.

His trial had to be postponed 62 times because his lawyer always had to be in Washington to plead a case before the U.S. Supreme Court.

When the alleged shoplifter's case

finally got to court, his lawyer showed up 5 minutes late because he had to pause on the courthouse steps to prepare his defense.

The accused wore a tin cup in his lapel buttonhole so his lawyer would recognize him.

But it seems legally correct to assume that when Milton Henry said there aren't too many lawyers who don't have extramarital affairs, he meant too many lawyers are chasing more than ambulances.

Henry made his startling admission in defense of suspended Recorder's Court Judge James Del Rio. The purpose of the grievance board hearing is to determine, among other things, whether Del Rio should lose his license to practice law.

Louis Rosenzweig, a lawyer for the grievance board, accused Del Rio of lying when he applied for admittance to the bar. The State Bar Board of Examiners had to pass on Del Rio's moral fitness.

The examiners asked if he had ever been charged with immorality during a divorce proceeding. Del Rio did not reveal that he had been accused of adultery by his second wife when she divorced him.

Rosenzweig implied that a member of the bar should not be unfaithful to his (or her) spouse. But Henry said heck, most of us do it.

This debate was held before a cluster of lawyers, including the 3 members of the grievance panel who will judge Judge Del Rio. There is no record of any of these lawyers rising in

loud protest against Henry's arithmetic.

None of them denied that a lawyer is likely to amend his (or her) marriage contract so that subparagraph III (c) contains sufficient fine print in which to hide an understanding companion and 2 nights a week in a judicial retreat, hereafter known as the Holiday Inn.

I hope you've noticed I have inserted "or her" in the appropriate spots in previous paragraphs. All lawyers are not men.

I suspect Milton Henry was speaking only for male lawyers, but he didn't make this perfectly clear. I do not want to be unfair to him or to women lawyers who deserve equal adulterers.

If you suggest that Judge Del Rio should hire a lawyer who does make things perfectly clear, you should be informed that Del Rio can't afford to hire any lawyer at all.

He told the grievance panel he has no money and must represent himself and accept free services from such generous lawyers as Henry.

Judge Del Rio continues to be paid \$45,000 a year, even while on suspension. In most households, this is considered a fair income.

The sad fact that a \$45,000-a-year man cannot afford legal representation gives you a good idea how much lawyers must charge in order to support their extramarital affairs.

That's probably why lawyers have most of the affairs. They are the only ones who can afford a divorce in case they get caught.

Onward and Upward.



Erma Bombeck
...Speaking Her Mind

To my husband, being late for work isn't just a minor inconvenience, it's a conspiracy.

He doesn't know names, but he knows that there's a group of us out there who have dedicated our lives and talents to making him late. Frankly, I'd rather sleep next to a space missile than be abducted three seconds before launch.

"Well, I hope you're all happy," he said, fighting off the covers. "You've done it again. I'm going to be late for work."

"No wonder," I said. "The alarm is set for 8:30."

"Wasn't that the plan?" he asked bitterly. "Hide his glasses and he won't know what he's doing with the alarm."

"On no you don't. The last time I was late you laid out the socks with the lint pattern, the underwear with the broken

elastic and the shirt that you never notice needs a button until you start to put on your tie."

"Okay," I said. "Do it yourself."

Minutes later, "What have you done to my feet? I can't get them into my socks! These socks have been laminated together. Just throw them into my briefcase and I'll put them on in the car. What do you mean what did I do to my face? Good Lord, woman, have you never seen a man wrapped in toilet tissue before? I cut myself! What did you expect when you look out the old razor blade you scraped paint off the garage windows with and replace it with a new one?"

"Do you want any breakfast?"

"No. Thanks to the kids, I've already guzzled a glass of water from a tumbler

the kids had poured creme rinse into. Tell me, what else do you all have in store to make my day more miserable than it began? Let me guess. My car won't start. At the end of the drive I'll get behind a camper caravan. My street at the office will be blocked off for a parade and I'll have to park and take a bus. The air conditioning will go off and I'll have to remove my coat to reveal my bowling shirt. I'll have onion rings for lunch and a dental appointment at 2:30. I'll have to write a check for a pack of gum and my first appointment of the day will be to fire Miss Mahoney for her tardiness."

"Does that mean you can't drop the children off at school on your way to the office?"

"I don't believe you can be so cruel," he said and stomped toward the car. He loped in for a paper towel within seconds, having stepped in the dog's contribution to ecological warfare, and leaned over to the dog and shouted, "You're in on it too, aren't you?"

When I left Charlevoix to head down to the Jordan Valley I thought I would probably take a couple pictures of the Jordan Valley area and explain how the pathway had been constructed and

marked. He even took the group on a short side trip to see a beaver dam and house.

I enjoyed every minute of the hike and I urge you to take the time to try out either the three-mile pathway or the 20-mile loop, which is complete with campground facilities.

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Clint, Barb Fogle buy Haggards shop

Clint and Barbara Fogle are the new owners of Haggard's Hat and Bed, "The Unique Boutique".

They came to Charlevoix from Sister Bay, Wis., in the Door County resort area, where they owned a bakery with coffee shop and a women's apparel shop.

"We came from a beautiful area in Wisconsin, but my wife and I feel this is even more beautiful," he added. "Here we have the inland lakes and hills which we didn't have in Sister Bay."

Bath and Bed will continue to stock "a beautiful line of bed linens-sheets, spreads, comforters, blankets, and pillows-color coordinated towels and fancy towels, throw pillows, table linens, bath and bedroom accessories, and the most complete line of shower curtains in the north, according to Clint.

Bath and Bed will gift wrap any purchase and also has a bridal registry.

Meet Charlevoix ...Frank Ochs

The Central Retail Drug Store in Charlevoix has operated longer under the same name than any other business in the city. This week we asked Frank Ochs, proprietor of the pharmacy, to tell us about the past and present of the business.

COURIER: Checking into the past history of this southwest corner of Clinton and Bridge Streets, we found that the first building was erected in 1868 as a boarding house, then it was a bakery and grocery store, and finally a hotel until it was partially burned in 1895. When did it become a drug store?

OCHS: About 1897. A man by the name of B.A. Herman had the first pharmacy here. He called it the Central Drug Store, which it is today. My father, Harry Ochs, went to work in the store in 1919 and bought it out in 1923.

COURIER: When did you classify a pharmacy like yours?

OCHS: It's a community pharmacy. We handle prescriptions, over-the-counter drugs, cosmetics, health aids, sundries, newspapers and magazines, greeting cards, gifts, tobacco, etc.

COURIER: How do you take it out when we rebuild the store in 1967?

OCHS: Yes, we did, but we took it out when we rebuilt the same size it was before you rebuilt.

OCHS: It takes up the same amount of land because that's all the land there is, but the old building had three stories instead of the one story we now have. I remember when there were offices above the store in the old building.

COURIER: How many people do you employ?

OCHS: Seven altogether, including one full-time and one part-time pharmacist.

COURIER: What are your hobbies-what do you do in your spare time?

OCHS: I don't have any hobbies and I don't have that much time.

COURIER: Do you take vacations?

OCHS: I usually go to Florida for two or three weeks each winter for a vacation.

COURIER: There are other pharmacists in your family, aren't there?

OCHS: Our daughter, Virginia, and son, John, are both pharmacists. They live in Kalamazoo. John is in the research department of Upjohn. Virginia was recently married to Michael Walton. They are third generation pharmacists.

COURIER: Were you born in Charlevoix?

OCHS: Yes, and I graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1937.

COURIER: Does Mrs. Ochs help you with the store?

OCHS: Yes, Doris helps with the office work.

Food expenditures rank at top of Charlevoix County budgets

The Charlevoix County economy gained in strength during the past year, according to a survey of business activity locally and in other communities across the county.

Figures for the area, just released, show that consumer spending for goods and services was relatively strong, reflecting the fact that most families had higher incomes than before and were spending more.

The larger sales volume in local retail stores also reflected the higher price tags on most merchandise.

In a comprehensive market study made by the Standard Rate and Date Service. It details, for each locality, the amount that was spent in the past year for food, clothing, cars, household equipment and other products.

In Charlevoix County, the figures show, food was in the number one spot. More money was spent in that direction than in any other.

Expenditures in local grocery stores, delicatessens, supermarkets, bakeries, butcher shops and other food stores accounted for 10.45 percent of the total.

In addition to this outlay, a considerable amount was spent in local restaurants and in other eating and drinking places.

In effect, about 22 cents out of every dollar spent in local retail stores went for take-home food.

Elsewhere throughout the United States, the average was 21 cents, and in the East North Central states, 20 cents.

The report indicates that the home food bill, if distributed equally among the people in the area, would figure out to \$1.69 per family.

Also detailed in the study are the expenditures for various other commodities.

Sales of cars, motorcycles, boats and related equipment amounted to \$10,394,000 in the year.

In general merchandise and variety shops a total of \$1,570,000 was recorded.

Those selling shoes, clothing hats and other wearing apparel grossed \$1,033,000.

Local furniture and home furnishings stores accounted for \$1,434,000.

This far this year, the national reports indicate, business continues on the upswing, with consumers spending more freely.

PBB found in New Jersey area

By PEG OHLE

For some time, the only known contamination by polychlorinated biphenyl (PBB) has been in the state of Michigan, but there are now reports that the toxic chemical has been found in plant and animal life near two PBB manufacturing plants in Northern New Jersey.

The Environmental Protection Agency reported recently that PBB has been found in human hair, fish, plants, soil, and water near the White Chemical Company in Bayville and the Hexcel Corporation in Sayreville.

In 1976, both plants manufactured PBB—the toxic fire retardant which was accidentally mixed with Michigan cattle feed in 1973, resulting in what has been called the largest agricultural chemical disaster in U.S. history. The most serious aspect of the contamination was traced through the food chain.

It is estimated that millions of Michigan people have some PBB in their systems.

Commenting on the recent PBB discovery, U.S. Senator Don Riegle said, "Immediate steps must now be taken to make sure that the kind of PBB disaster which occurred in the state of Michigan is not repeated in New Jersey. Although the two incidents are distinctly different, the scope of the contamination in New Jersey must be rapidly determined."

Last March, Senator Riegle chaired Senate subcommittee hearings on the PBB incident and then introduced legislation to create a Chemical Emergency Response Team which would "immediately move into any given area at the first sign of possible contamination to begin control and elimination of the chemical."

Booklet describes postal procedures

When you have something special to mail, you probably wonder about the kinds of mailings offered by the Postal Service.

Since the Postal Service wants you to select what best meets your needs, they've put out a booklet called, "Consumer's Guide to Postal Services and Products, that spells everything out. For your free copy of Consumer's Guide to Postal Services and Products, send a postcard to the Consumer Information Center, Dept. 65E, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

If you're sending something and you want proof that you mailed it, ask for a Certificate of Mailing. It doesn't provide insurance coverage for loss or damage. The cost is nominal and no record is kept at the Post Office.

Certified mail will give you a mailing receipt and record of delivery at the addressee's post office.

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City hall blooms all summer with help of Anna Klooster

By PAULA HOLMES

Visiting Charlevoix City Hall is like visiting a flower shop.

Several bouquets of whatever flowers are in season always decorate the receiving counter and various desks of the first floor offices. And the flowers of every size, shape and color brighten up the office and seem to put smiles on the faces of city employees and make even the most irate customer a little less angry.

Are city residents supporting such an extravagance with their hard earned tax dollars?

Not hardly. The flowers are brought in fresh from the garden of Anna Klooster, who works in the billing department at city hall.

"I'm the type of person if I have a little extra of something I like to give it to other people," Mrs. Klooster explained in a voice as soft as a rose petal. "I figure I've got the flowers, so why not share them?"

And share them she has. For many years, Mrs. Klooster has shared her garden with the city.

Mrs. Klooster said the care of cut flowers should begin the second they are cut. She suggested people carry a bucket of water with them when they go into their gardens to cut flowers. This way the flower won't lose any moisture at all.

She said that flowers with woody stalks such as lilacs and roses need to have the stems crushed so that they will be able to soak up the water they need.

Other flowers such as peonies and poppies need to be sealed. This is done by placing the stalk tip in hot water for a few minutes. The searing keeps the liquid in the flower stem from coming out, she explained.

Gladioli should be cut on a slant and roses should be kept in warm water.

The flower-lover said that the water of a bouquet should be changed daily and the stems should be recut, too.

"I don't do that," she said. "It just takes too much time. But if you really want to keep your bouquets, that's what should be done. I just change the water every day."

Mrs. Klooster said some flowers will naturally last longer than others. Day lilies and iris have blossoms that will only last one day. And usually it will not bloom once they have been cut.

Gladioli on the other hand will bloom right down to the last bud as long as you keep cutting the stem.

"I used to have a lady I would take gladioli to that would keep cutting them until she just had a few flowers floating in water," Mrs. Klooster said. "But she got the flowers to bloom down to the last stem."

Churches in the state to participate in the program with them.

The program, which teaches the children about their heritage and stresses religious faith, was so successful the group decided to hold it again.

This year the 30 students, who range in age from 8 to 14 years old, come mostly from the Mt. Pleasant area. They represent the Chippewa and Ottawa tribes and there is one Cherokee Indian student in the group, too.

In addition to outdoor activities such as hiking, swimming and fishing, the students have also been attending classes in Indian basketry, bead work, weaving and cooking. Oliver also



SCOTT MOSES of Mt. Pleasant takes some time out to work on a bead project he started. Scott was one of 30 Native American students attending an Indian heritage workshop at Greensky Hill Indian Church last week.

"It always added to the beauty of the service," she said. "And the people appreciated it."

But lately, due to poor health, Mrs. Klooster hasn't been able to pay as much attention to her garden as she would like and she has not been able to prepare flowers for the church.

"My garden used to be much prettier than it is now," she said sadly. "It was bigger, too."

The city employee said she tried to have a flower for every part of the season so that something would always be in bloom in the yard. She started out the season with daffodils and end with mums.

In between, visitors could find lily of the valley, lilac

magazine and newspaper articles on flower gardening and on trying out the suggestions the articles contained. In addition she has tilled many hours in her garden, too.

"It's a constant battle," she said. "There's a bug for every flower."

With all that devotion to her gardens, one would think Mrs. Klooster's home would be packed with bouquets. Actually, she can't stand to have flowers in the house.

"I'm allergic to them," she recalled. "People from the Belvedere Club would come and get them. 'But I never raised flowers professionally. I'm an amateur.'"

She said her favorite flower was the rose because of its sweet gentle smell.



ANNA KLOOSTER arranges some Canterbury Bells to decorate city hall offices, she keeps the offices looking summery.

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Kathy Martin represents city at Cherry Fest

Kathleen Martin, who will be a sophomore in the School of Nursing at Michigan State University this fall, was in Traverse City last weekend to represent the city as Miss Charlevoix in the National Cherry Queen Pageant according to Mrs. Jacquie Merta, executive director of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce.

The daughter of Mrs. Mary Martin of Charlevoix and Roy C. Martin of Mt. Clemens, she was among the many candidates from throughout the state vying for the title of National Cherry Queen.

Kathleen was runner-up for the title of Venetian Queen in 1976 and was named to represent Charlevoix when Heidi Dove was not available to fill the obligation.

Kathleen is 5'7" in height and has brown hair and green eyes. She likes to ski, both on snow and in the water, swim (her talent was a synecopated swimming film), bike ride, sail and play softball.

Michael Hawkins completes basic training in Navy

Navy Airman Apprentice Michael C. Hawkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Hawkins of P.O. Box 144, Route 2, East Jordan, Mich., has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

Included in his studies were seamanship, close-order drill, Naval history and first aid.

He joined the Navy in March 1977.

Michael Bartlett finishes school for Navy recruits

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A 1976 graduate of Twin Valley High School, he joined the Navy in March 1977.

Winchester graduates from Western Michigan

Randall Wayne Winchester of Charlevoix was one of approximately 1,300 persons receiving bachelor's degrees at Western Michigan University's recent second semester commencement.

Other Charlevoix County residents receiving degrees were Melvin Bruce of Boyne City, Jeffrey W. Van Treese of Boyne Falls, and Steven J. Bruch and Gary G. Uman of Wallon Lake.



JAN PENCE and Laura Baldwin put KP duty and clean up the dishes during a recent camping trip by their Cadette Girl Scout Troop.



DEBBIE SONNENBERG and Patti Smith display the crafts they made during a recent camp out by their Cadette Girl Scout troop. The crafts were made out of pieces of nature the girls collected.

Scouts get taste of camping

A week of camping ended a year of Cadette Girl Scout activities for eight members of Charlevoix Troop 255.

The girls and their leaders Kate Smith and Bonnie Lenhart stayed at Windmill Farms Campground on the Boyne City Road and spent a typical week camping.

"We had to set up camp in the rain, which is typical," Mrs. Smith said. "But we are virtually rainproof in case it rains again."

The group spent their time swimming, hiking, bike riding, playing tennis and working on craft projects.

The Scouts earned money for their camping trip through the sale of Girl Scout cookies and calendars and the raffish of a quilt they made themselves.



Mr. and Mrs. William Murray

Laurie Lesser weds William Murray

Laurie Jo Lesser and William G. Murray, both of Charlevoix, were married June 16 at Birchwood Farm Country Club in Harbor Springs.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lesser, Jr. of Charlevoix and the bridegroom is the son of Hugh Allen Murray of Roseville and Mary Louise Murray of Flint.

Judge Glenn S. Allen, Jr. performed the double-ring ceremony.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her twin sisters, Amy and Meg, served as maids of honor. Suzanne Murray Gough and Mrs. Kenneth Cheloni, Richard N. Eastman, Lloyd Abrams, and Edwin Cook served as groomsmen.

A reception, given by the bride's parents at Birchwood, followed the ceremony. The bridegroom's mother hosted the rehearsal dinner June 17.

Both the bride and bridegroom are professional artists. He teaches at Charlevoix High School and she has a studio shop.

Debbie Jean Wood marries Jonathan LaCount in Harbor

Gerald Dvorak.

Debbie Jean Wood of Charlevoix and Jonathan James LaCount of Cadillac were joined in marriage Saturday at the Holy Childhood Church in Harbor Springs.

Parents of the newlyweds are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond V. Wood of Charlevoix and Mr. and Mrs. Paul R. Young of Petoskey.

The bride chose a dress of cluny lace for the afternoon wedding in a sleeveless style, with a scoop neckline, a ruffle decorated the neckline and a fitted bodice dipped into a full gathered skirt with a deep ruffled flounce which ended in a chapel train.

Her chapel length veil was made of English silk and was attached to a band of white silk flowers. She carried a bouquet of white roses, daisies, lily of the valley and baby's breath.

Cindy Fasset of Charlevoix was the maid of honor and Linda Kimble served her sister as matron of honor. Other attendants were Annette Young of Petoskey and Shelley Wood of Charlevoix.

The bridesmaids wore mint green polyester dresses in an Empire style with a colonial sleeve trimmed in candlelight cluny lace. All of the dresses were designed and made by the groom's mother.

Jerome Kimble served as best man in the double ring ceremonies before Father

groom's mother chose an elegant floor length polyester chiffon dress with matching veil lace trimmed with a red and pink rose corsage.

Following the wedding a reception was given at the American Legion Post Home by the brides parents. Kathy Novotny served and cut the

wedding cake with Nancy and Heather Emerson taking care of the guest book and Mrs. Theodore Emerson and Mrs. Vance Wood managing the gift table.

A rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents at their home in Petoskey Friday night.

Following the wedding, the couple will be at home in Cadillac where the groom is a news cameraman for Channel 9.10. The bride is attending North Central Michigan College.

(Photo by Mick Smith)



Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan LaCount

Mabel Spence celebrates 90th

A celebration honoring Mabel Spence on her 90th birthday was held at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Edwin Loop, Sunday.

Mrs. Spence of London, Ontario, Canada, is visiting relatives in Charlevoix including her granddaughter Jeanne, Wallace and grandchildren Murphy and Becca Wallace.

The nonagenarian has led a busy life including holding a position as piano player for the silent movies while her husband was in a vaudeville performance.

She also raised two children and has six grandchildren, 13 great grandchildren, and 18 great great grandchildren.

Mrs. Spence said she had some advice on how to live a long life, but she felt most people would live their lives the way they wanted no matter what she said, so she didn't offer any hints.



Mabel Spence

Committee begins search for queen

Plans for the 1977 Venetian Queen Pageant have been announced by Mrs. Gary Hice and Mrs. Dan Kaczynski, co-chairmen for the event to be held July 21.

"Entries in the contest will be accepted until July 11. Entry blanks may be obtained at the Chamber of Commerce office Mrs. Hice said.

The candidates must be 17 years old by June 1, a resident of the Charlevoix area, and never been married. She must also be willing to fulfill the obligations of the Venetian Queen during the year following the pageant.

The 1977 Venetian Queen candidates will have lunch or dinner with the judges who will attend the pageant to select the Venetian Queen as well as the first and second runners-up, Miss Congeniality and the talent winner. The queen will reign over the Venetian Festival which will begin with the Queen's Pageant on July 21 and continue through Friday and Saturday.

The thrilling Pageant of Drums will be featured Friday evening and the Venetian Festival street parade on Saturday with the Venetian Boat parade and fireworks scheduled for Saturday evening.

Assisting Mrs. Hice and Mrs. Kaczynski on the Queen's committee will be Marilyn Engle, Jan Elliott, Mrs. Thomas Schaperkotter and Mrs. Richard Kenney.

Births

Christophers weighed 9 pounds 1 ounce.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schuch of Charlevoix and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Gustafson of Newaygo.

Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Lutz of Charlevoix announce the engagement of their daughter, Peggy, to Kirk Wilson, also of Charlevoix.

Wilson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Wilson of Minnetonka, Minn., and is presently stationed at the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Sundew in Charlevoix.

The bride-to-be is a 1975 graduate of Charlevoix High School and her fiancé graduated from Lindberg High School in 1973.

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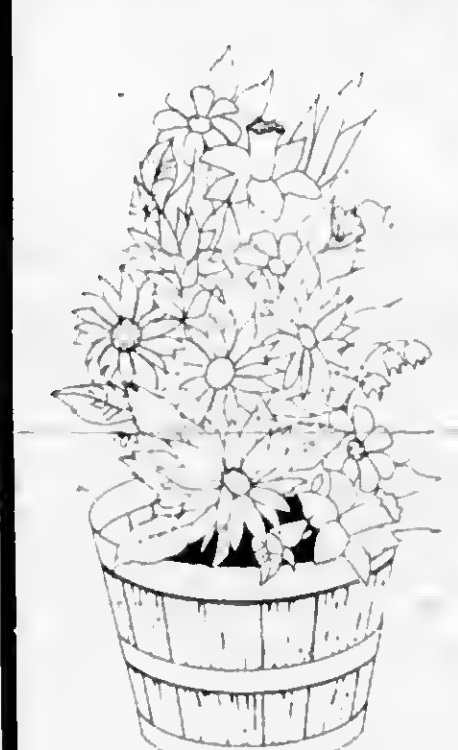
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Dan Pohl

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Michigan Am-- Dream of a lifetime

Sunshine and rain dressed the Belvedere Club and Harbor Point golf courses as more than 360 amateur golfers descended on the Northern Michigan area for the Michigan Amateur Golf Tournament.

Natives and visitors alike watched as golfer after golfer fell by the wayside until only 64 were left in the running for the match play at the end of the week.

And then on Saturday there were just two left battling it out for the coveted crown. Dan Pohl, the 1975 Michigan

Amateur champion from Mt. Pleasant, and Mark Spiekerman, a talented challenger from Saginaw.

It was a battle to the finish for the two well disciplined golfers. At first it looked like Pohl's chance to become only the 11th golfer in the tournament's 66-year history would remain out of reach behind the accurate shooting of Spiekerman.

But then the tide changed and behind his excellent tee shots and steady putting, Pohl came out from behind for the win.



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Fourth of July activities set in area

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Commerce in cooperation with the Beaver Island Boat Co., Jacques Merla, executive director of the chamber, suggested.

The cruise will be aboard the motorship Beaver Islander leaving the municipal dock at 8:30 p.m.

Monday for a trip the length of Lake Charlevoix to witness the spectacular fireworks display at Boyne City.

Tickets for the cruise will include the champagne from which the cruise gets its name. Tickets may be purchased in advance at the

Chamber office.

Other Fourth of July activities in the area include a parade at 10:30 a.m. Monday in Boyne City with an art fair, folk and rock music, a beer tent, an ice cream social, a bake sale and chicken barbecue at Memorial Park throughout

the afternoon.

In East Jordan a kiddie parade is slated for 11 a.m. Monday, but most the July 4 celebration will take place on Saturday. The main parade Street with a flea market on the downtown lakefront all day Saturday.

will be at 2 p.m. down Main Petoskey will hold its annual celebrations Monday

beginning with a 10 a.m. parade followed by the annual chicken barbecue at 11:30

a.m. with bingo and kid games in the park throughout the afternoon.

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Hiking trail opens up Jordan Valley



THESE NEW SIGNS mark the entrance to the two new hiking trails in the Jordan River Valley. Brochures describing the various points of interest along the trail are also available at the trail entrance.

The wonders and beauty of the Jordan River Valley are now open for inspection and enjoyment.

Two new hiking trails, complete with map-brochures describing points of interest, beckon the nature lover and outdoor enthusiast into the valley.

The trails—a three-mile day

use path and an 18-mile overnight camping-hiking trail—begin at Dead Man's Hill and wind down, around and through the valley along the Jordan River and its tributaries.

"The views and terrain made this area ideal for hiking paths," Bill Mittig, area forester and trail designer,

said. Hikers are treated to visions of fields of wildflowers, beaver dams and pieces of history from the bygone lumber era in the valley.

Mittig said he combined his general knowledge of the valley and the designated natural river area with topographical maps and aerial photos to decide where the trail would be located. However, when the forester actually got down to walking in the area where the path was going to be, many changes were made.

"We spent one whole day trying to find the easiest way up this hill," Mittig said as he walked along with a group of huffing and puffing reporters behind him.

Construction of the path and campground area was completed by three local men through funding by the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation of the U.S. Department of Interior and matching state and local funds.

Mittig said the men attempted to keep the path as natural looking as possible. The bridges built across the creeks and tributaries were made out of natural materials from the valley. There are several foot bridges including one with a span of 25 feet over a major creek.

The crew also had to build treadways in the marshy areas of the trail. About one-half mile of cedar and hemlock wedges had to be constructed along the trails to make them passable.

Mittig also took pains to make the campground and its 10 sites look as natural as possible. Instead of the poured concrete fire rings, Mittig constructed natural ones out of rocks. The campground also contains a water pump and latrine.

The trail is marked with

blue paint dots to keep the hikers going in the right direction and several numbered posts also dot the trail. The brochure contains corresponding numbers and explains the points of interest. "We did this to try and get away from a lot of signs," the forester explained.



BILL MITTIG, area forester, pauses for a moment at the river study area on the new three-mile hiking trail in the Jordan River Valley area. Mittig helped design and lay out the trail and an 18-mile, two-day hiking path.



JUNE BIRTHSTONE

The common birthstone for June is Pearl or the rare Alexandrite. The old stone for this month, however is Adgate and the most enticing of these is the Fire Agate. This stone is also more desirable for men's jewelry, being both attractive and durable. Fire Agate has color zoning something akin to opal, but in a dark brown background. These stones are generally cut in non-uniform shapes to take best advantage of the color highlights. Fire Agates seem to be found in areas of previous volcanic activity and hot springs. Most of these lovely fire colored stones come from the southwestern United States and Mexico. The finer qualities, Peacock and Royal, are as rare as fine diamonds, however, as with most genuine stones, there is a larger quantity of the more popular priced varieties. Over the last ten years as more of these stones have been located, there has become great interest in the jewelry and lapidary field as this stone gains importance in the industry and with the consumer.



Guest preacher to speak at Congregational

A guest speaker will preach at the 10 a.m. worship service of the First Congregational Church of Charlevoix Sunday.

Dr. George A. Buttrick, who is a gunner resident on Lake Charlevoix, is well known for his editorship of "The Interpreters' Bible," a set of commentaries on the Bible, and for the many books he has written.

He was pastor of the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church in New York City for many years and has been a professor at several seminaries.

CHARTER FACTS

- 1895 Every Michigan city was given the 4th Class Cities Charter.
- 1905 Charlevoix was incorporated as a city. It had to use the 4th Class cities charter.
- 1909 The State of Michigan would not permit new cities to use the 4th Class Cities Charter.
- 1910 Had Charlevoix been incorporated in 1910 it would have had to appoint a Charter Commission to frame its own Home Rule Charter. (Similar to the present Charter Commission)
- 1918 Charlevoix attempted to adopt a Home Rule Charter...it lost by 20 votes.
- 1974 The Charlevoix City Council gave the people the right to consider having a Charter Commission drawn up a proposed Home Rule Charter.
- 1975 Charlevoix voters elected members of the Charter Commission.
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Sheriff's department to hold bike inspection

Charlevoix County residents will have a chance to learn more about bicycle safety next week, thanks to the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department.

Sheriff's deputies will be conducting a Bicycle Safety Inspection and Traffic Control Course at 10 different locations in the county.

Participants in the event will have their bicycles checked by a deputy sheriff for steering and braking safety. In addition each participant will be given an identification card with in-

formation on the owners bicycles that will be helpful to a law enforcement agency if the bicycle is stolen or lost. The ID card can also be used as an ID card for the operator.

The course will be held according to the following schedule:

- July 5: 9 a.m. at the end of Pa-Ba-Shan Trail in the North Point Area.
- 11 a.m. at the Archambault Res in Pine Point area.
- July 6: 10 a.m. at the Boyne Falls Fire Station.
- 2 p.m. Walston Lake School.
- July 7: Noon at the Advance Chamber of Commerce.
- 3 p.m. at Barkley's Total Station in Clarion.
- July 8: 9 a.m. between McArt's Market and the Bay Shore Food Market in Bay Shore.
- 11 a.m. at the Intron School parking lot.
- 1 p.m. at the Horton Bay General Store.
- July 9: 9 a.m. at the church parking lot in the Norwood area.

James Riggle awarded WSU law degree

Airman First Class James I. Donaldson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Donaldson of 5 Thistle Downs, Charlevoix, Mich., is now wearing a distinctive service ribbon as a member of an organization which recently received the

U.S. Air Force Outstanding Unit Award.

Airman Donaldson is a security specialist at Kincheloe AFB, Mich., with the 49th Bomb Wing that earned

the award for meritorious service from July 1, 1974 to June 30, 1976.

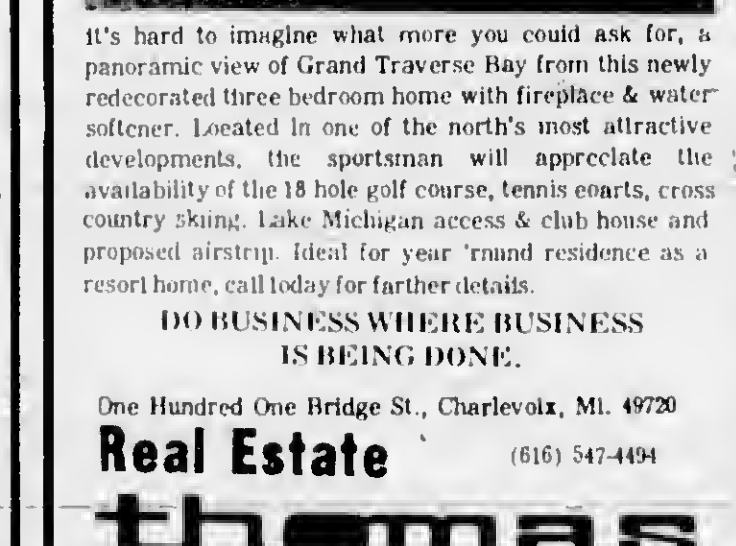
The airman is a 1975 graduate of Charlevoix High School.

Laura Staublin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Staublin, was graduated with honors from Michigan State University recently.

Andrew Young, U.S. ambassador to the United

Nations was the commencement speaker.

Miss Staublin is a 1973 graduate of the Charlevoix. She received a Bachelor of Arts degree in English Education.



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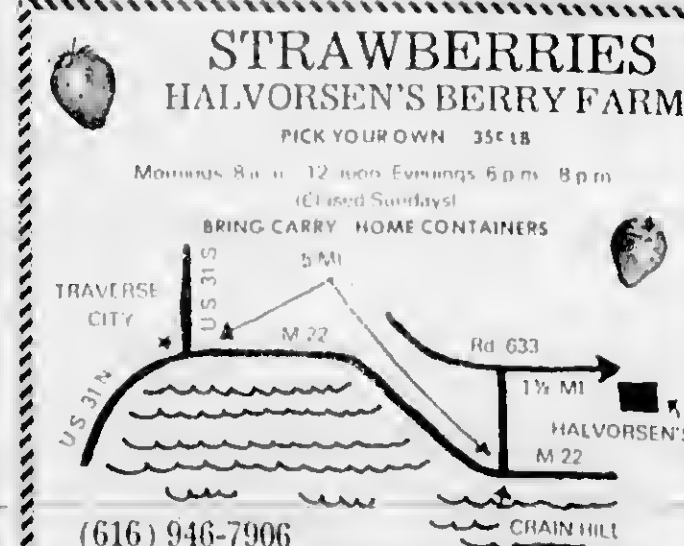
Erin Arvilla earns M.D. degree at MSU

Erin Arvilla was awarded a Doctor of Medicine degree from the Michigan State University College of Human Medicine at recent Commencement exercises held at East Lansing.

Dr. Arvilla completed her studies at the close of the spring term of the 1976-77 academic year. She is the second daughter of Mrs. Lyla M. Arvilla to earn her Doctorate in the field of Medicine.

Her twin sister, Ellen, was awarded her degree earlier. Dr. Arvilla completed her pre-med studies at Michigan State University, receiving a B.S. degree in Zoology. As a medical student she took community clerkships at MSU-associated hospitals in Grand Rapids. Electives included Clinical Health

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T-ball fun for all

With the call of batter-up, the Kiwanis Youth League T-ball season got off to a rolling start Thursday.

Richard Krueger, president of the Kiwanis Club, and Ralph Hamilton, secretary, were on hand to throw out the first ball and to hand out the first bat at the opening game of the Red Sox and the Yellow Sox.

More than 135 children signed up for nine teams in the league. The T-ball league is open to 6, 7 and 8 year old boys and 6, 7, 8 and 9 year old girls, Boss said.



IT WAS A CLOSE PLAY, but the Yellow Sox runner was called out at first base during the opening game of the T-ball season Thursday.

Chesters, Coast Guard teams win 2 in township slo-pitch league play

Charlevoix Township Slo-Pitch Softball League action opened with Chester's Boat Livery dumping Tri-County Well Drilling 17-4. Tri-County only made 11 hits off of Chester's pitcher Greg Revoir, who gave up one out of the park home run to Phil Skeel. The ball flew 275 feet. Cheaters batman had 20 hits off of losing pitcher Harold Thomare including a home run by John Hatchson.

In Monday's second game, Air Force speakeyed by McArt's Mart 9-8. Winning pitcher George Datsion gave up 16 hits while losing pitcher John Barths let only 14 hits go by. There were no home runs during the game.

Tuesday's play opened with league-leading Mardick's Fudge dumping VFW 26-14. Losing pitcher Don Wells gave up 22 hits including a home run to Darrin VanLoose while winning pitcher Jack Niswander let only 15 hits go by one of which resulted in a home run.

The Coast Guard also picked up a win in Tuesday's play when they sank Kozt's Construction 24-9. Chris White took the win letting 16 hits go by. Pete Calver was the losing pitcher with 10 hits including home runs to Kelly Leis and Cory Campbell.

Chesters Boat Livery was back with another win during Wednesday's play when they dumped McArt's Mart 25-7. Winning pitcher Greg Revoir let 15 hits go with no home runs.

Stan Johnston, pitching for McArt's let 30 hits go by including home runs to Ed Buday and Ron Swiarga. The Air Force won another close one defeating Tri-County Well Drilling 7-6. George Datsion took the win with 9 hits while Phil Skeel was saddled with a loss on 6 hits.

Kozt's Construction rallied from their earlier defeat to drop Mardick's Fudge 14-10. Jack Niswander took the loss giving up 19 hits including home run to Dave Boss. Pete Calver added the win to his credit giving up 13 hits.

Coast Guard also had a second win last week running by VFW 19-9. Dick Sellisen took the win letting 13 hits go by with a home run to Mike Kane. Don Wells took the loss with 14 hits and a home run to Bob Miller.

Michigan was second only to California in the number of fishing licenses, tags, permits, and stamps sold during 1976, a report from the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service shows.

Some 1,254,682 fishermen bought over 1.6 million such licenses at a cost of \$8.6 million. Of these licenses, over 1.3 million went to residents of the state and 287,000 to non-residents.

Michigan was also high in the number of hunting licenses sold in 1976. A total of over 945,000 hunters bought over 1.2 million tags, permits, and stamps. Residents bought 1.2 million and non-residents, 26,000.

Nationwide, a record 60 million Americans spent close to \$218 million on State hunting and fishing licenses in 1976.

"Both figures are record highs," Director Lynn A. Greenwalt of the Wildlife Service says, "and they show that Americans continue to find hunting and fishing major pastimes." One of every five Americans enjoys the outdoors this way. The figures represent an increase of \$25 million in State sales throughout the country and 500,000 in license holders over 1975.

12 teams to compete in July 4 tourney sponsored by Charlevoix Slo-pitch Assn.

Plans for the fourth annual Fourth of July Slo-pitch tournament sponsored by the Charlevoix Slo-pitch Assn. scheduled to open Friday, July 1, have been announced by Terry Blissett, tournament manager.

The tournament will feature 12 teams from throughout the state who will meet in a double elimination tourney beginning Friday night.

Tournament trophies will be awarded to the top three teams as well as to the Most Valuable Player, Home Run and Batting champions.

The defending champion, the powerful Johnston Sport Shop out of St. Clair Shores, will not be returning to defend its title. However, the second and third place winners, Blue Star Homes, the former Lookout Bar of Manton, and Sieder's Family Tavern of Traverse City will be returning for a crack at the title.

Charlevoix will have two teams in the tournament, both composed of players from all the teams in the Charlevoix Slo-pitch league, in order to give players from more teams an opportunity to play. They will be known as Charlevoix Townhouse and Charlevoix teams.

Other teams participating in the invitational tournament will be Miller High Life out of Mt. Pleasant, Big Rapids Merchants, McNaughton-McKay of Madison Heights, Bazan Well Drilling of Lewiston; Mt. Pleasant Merchants; Denny's Southside Sunoco of Big Rapids; Airport Tavern of Lansing and Manchester Tool & Die of Manchester.

The tournament will take place on area teams in the opening games of the tournament on Friday night. Charlevoix Townhouse will meet Bazan Well Drilling of Lewiston in the opener at 6:30 p.m. Friday and the Charlevoix team will take on Sieder's Family Tavern of Traverse City in the nightcap at 8 p.m.

Action on Saturday will open at 8:30 a.m. when the Big Rapids Merchants take on

Miller High Life of Mt. Pleasant. Denny's Southside Sunoco of Big Rapids will meet Blue Star Homes of Manton in Game No. 4 at 10 a.m. followed by Manchester Tool & Die vs. the winner of the opening game, Charlevoix Townhouse-Bazan of Lewiston at 11:30 a.m.

In the first game of the afternoon, Mt. Pleasant Merchants will meet the winner of the Charlevoix Sieder's Tavern game at 1 p.m. with the winner of the Big Rapids Merchants-Miller High Life game playing McNaughton-McKay at 2:30 p.m. The third game of the afternoon, scheduled for 4 p.m., will feature the winner of the Denny's Southside Sunoco-Blue Star Home game meeting Airport Tavern of Lansing in Game No. 8.

The first games in the lower bracket will be played at 5:30, 7 and 8:30 p.m. Saturday.

On Sunday play will begin at 8:30 a.m. and continue all day with games scheduled for 10

go to the victors including a home run for Pam Parsel. Village Inn Pizen also chalked up a win against Tupsie Lounge, 11-4. Sue Peters took the win letting six hits go by including a home run for Sue Meier. Carol Vassello took the loss with only seven hits going to the winners.

Medusa had a win in Thursday's action, defeating Tri-County 12-5. Carol White took the win letting 10 hits go by with Betty Bergmann taking the loss with 11 hits going to the Medusa team.

It was Kasina Motors in the winners bracket again Thursday night as they dropped Kentucky Fried Chicken 18-3. Tammy Mitchell was on the mound for Kasina and she let only three runs go to the challengers. Billie Eddings again took the loss for Kentucky Fried letting 15 hits

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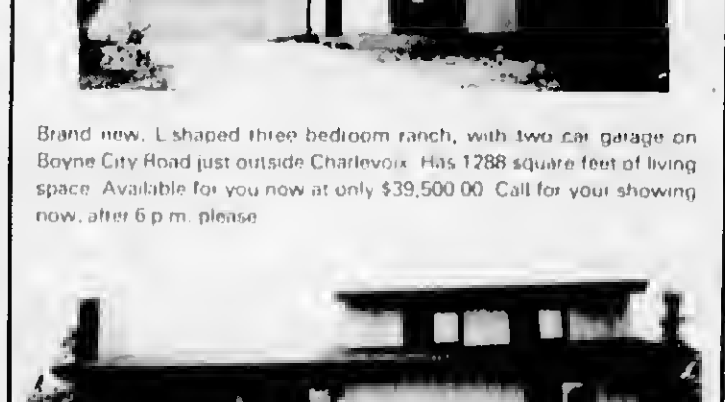
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Court News

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix and Boyne City last week by Magistrates Marilyn Bauman and Howard Talbot.

William J. Curtis, 27, Charlevoix, failing to sound horn \$25.

Shelia M. Warner, 23, Charlevoix, speeding \$33.

Maria W. Carmichael, 20, Grand Rapids, speeding \$36.

Randy S. Woods, 22, Charlevoix, speeding \$33.

Mark W. Dean, 21, Rockford, speeding \$28.

David C. Aten, 30, Petoskey, failing to equal for turning \$25.

Brian D. Thomas, 20, East Jordan, speeding \$30.

Stephen J. Brennan, 38, East Jordan, speeding \$30.

Steven W. Foulk, 23, Chicago, speeding \$25.

Wiles E. Parck, 43, Walloon Lake, speeding \$28.

Timothy C. Roel, 25, Boyne City, speeding \$30.

Carl A. Dridway, 34, Elmira, speeding \$30.

Luffy A. Wright, 47, Traverse City, speeding \$30.

William H. Scott, 49, Boyne City, speeding \$25.

Max L. Tulgastke, 19, Gaylord, speeding \$25.

William A. McCully, Jr., 74, Rapid City, speeding \$25.

Alan J. Dix, 26, Harbor Springs, speeding \$25.

Danny R. McConnell, 23, Gaylord, failing to stop at stop sign \$25.

Tedevor Dobrowski, 74, Charlevoix, speeding \$25.

Fred E. Nelson, 60, Petoskey, speeding \$25.

James L. Card, 31, Rose City, speeding \$25.

Robert K. Goshen, 38, Charlevoix, speeding \$25.

Donald A. Henderson, 42, Gaylord, speeding \$25.

Johnny L. Stradling, 22, Prudenville, speeding \$25.

Gale W. Spiering, 19, Leverage, speeding \$25.

Jon C. Ferguson, 34, Hartley Springs, speeding \$25.

Dennis J. Merrill, 18, Boyne Falls, careless driving \$85.

Charles H. Renfro, 35, Grand Rapids, speeding \$25.

Kay J. Seick, 43, Waters, speeding \$30.

Leonard B. Thompson, 26, Clio, speeding \$29.

James A. Holiday, 41, Portage, speeding \$25.

William P. Seibert, 52, Charlevoix, speeding \$30.

Barbara K. Rebec, 35, East Jordan, leaving scene of property damage accident \$85.

Simeon E. Maier, 11, 25, Caledonia, speeding \$25.

Cheri L. Massey, 26, Gaylord, speeding \$33.

Terry L. DeGraw, 26, East Jordan, speeding \$30.

Allan D. Stocker, 30, Washington, Illinois, improper passing \$25.

Evelyn M. Boden, 48, Boyne Falls, failing to report property damage accident \$85.

Mark A. Vanover, 18, Boyne City, speeding \$29.

Warren J. Solgot, 37, Boyne City, speeding \$38.

Anne L. Ryan, 20, Boyne City, speeding \$25.

Ellen L. Massey, 36, Boyne Falls, speeding \$23.

James A. Roama, 18, Janison, speeding \$25.

James D. Marsh, 43, Charlevoix, speeding \$25.

Edward E. Fochman, 61, Alpena, speeding \$25.

Gregory L. Chappuis, 18, Charlevoix, speeding \$46.

Richard A. Stoops, 20, Kalkaska, speeding \$25.

Peter E. Rignall, 68, Bloomfield Hills, speeding \$33.

Steve A. Martin, 24, Charlevoix, failing to maintain equipment \$25.

Steven A. Leaman, 19, East Jordan, violating basic speed law \$25.

Norman A. Roisenberg, 38, Saginaw, speeding \$34.

Joseph C. Dimsnowski, 22, Charlevoix, speeding \$35.

Lawrence R. Brodin, 32, Charlevoix, open container in vehicle \$55.

George E. Bearlan, 58, Grand Rapids, no license \$100.

Paula L. Bolton, 22, St. James, careless driving \$85.

Robert W. Young, 29, Elk Rapids, speeding \$25.

James L. Masters, Jr., 23, Charlevoix, speeding \$35.

Luana E. Mason, 19, Charlevoix, S.C. No registration \$25.

Alvin W. Pals, Boyne City, speeding \$50.

Susan L. Kowaczewski, 34, Gaylord, speeding \$25.

Lee P. Bagrow, 18, Charlevoix, speeding \$25.

Vernon E. Mathews, 31, Frankfort, speeding \$28.

Jerald E. Wardell, 42, Boyne City, speeding \$25.

Ralph W. Parker, 47, Saginaw, speeding \$25.

Carol R. Shaggrud, 43, Frederic, speeding \$25.

Walter A. Seiver, 45, Livonia, speeding \$33.

Gerald E. Pesko, 37, Flushing, speeding \$33.

Ronald B. Kennan, 44, Boyne City, speeding \$25.

Terry End, Boyne City, no dog license \$25.

Steven R. Smith, 26, Charlevoix, improper registration \$25.

Mary E. Barrett, 25, Marquette, speeding \$25.

Kathryn R. Huelsner, 39, Indianapolis, speeding \$25.

Michael J. Knight, 32, Charlevoix, speeding \$25.

Preston D. Bullock, 35, Boyne City, failing to stop at stop sign \$25.

Marvin Puske, 40, Maion, speeding \$25.

George W. Wilkinson, 19, Detroit, speeding \$25.

Donald R. Anderson, 21, East Jordan, speeding \$25.

Guy C. Conkle, III, Boyne City, speeding \$25.

Margarette M. Hull, 31, Boyne City, speeding \$28.

Charles A. Witte, 23, Boyne City, failing to provide the proper number of life saving devices \$25.

Clara J. Marier, 44, Charlevoix, speeding \$25.

Ronald G. Bendi, 24, Charlevoix, speeding \$25.

Paul F. Jarvis, 30, Cheboygan, speeding \$25.

Robert A. Jingles, 24, Grand Rapids, speeding \$25.

Bruce H. McPhillips, 25, Charlevoix, speeding \$25.

Charles J. Itzell, 49, Howell, speeding \$31.

Karl J. Bundy, 36, East Jordan, speeding \$25.

Daniel L. Hummel, 28, Southfield, speeding \$25.

Richard A. Romanik, 25, Mt. Clemens, speeding \$30.

Grady F. McNair, 33, Midland, speeding \$29.

Elmer H. Kuh, 46, Muskegon, speeding \$25.

Clarence B. Smith, Petoskey, (I) speeding \$25 (2) driving with expired operator's license \$25.

John F. Dilling, 62, Loganport, Indiana, speeding \$25.

Andrew H. Fisher, 20, Gross Pointe Farms, speeding \$25.

James R. Luttrell, Jr., 19, Kinceloe A. Base, speeding \$25.

Harold J. Cosgrove, 50, Inster, speeding \$30.

Maria A. Scherbas, 24, Westland, speeding \$25.

Diane A. LaCombe, 41, Sheboygan, speeding \$25.

Eleanor E. King, 54, Saginaw, speeding \$34.

Russell C. Caddison, 26, Harbor Springs, speeding \$25.

Edgar J. Jensen, 47, Boyne City, speeding \$25.

Only one case was held in Charlevoix District Court last week by Judge David W. Fresha.

Frank W. Glibbard, 31, of East Jordan, was sentenced on three charges. After pleading guilty to all three, he was sentenced to ten days in the county jail for careless driving, 20 days in the county jail for being drunk and disorderly, and ten days in the county jail for speeding.



New license bureau

THE CHARLEVOIX County branch of the Secretary of State's office will soon have a new home in this building under construction by William Kusina on Harbor Street. The licensing bureau is slated to move into its new quarters June 29 and open for business on June 30.

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Penny isn't worth a red cent any more

By PAULA HOLMES

The penny isn't worth a red cent any more.

As inflation skyrockets, increasing the cost of most everything, the value of the copper piece is plummeting until it is worth almost nothing.

Practically gone are the days of penny nails, penny candy, penny postcards, penny ante and those penny items in the "Five and Dime."

To find out exactly what a penny is worth these days, the Courier surveyed Charlevoix merchants to find out what is in going for a cent.

There were, of course, some obvious things. One cent will buy 12 minutes on the parking meter.

And a penny will still buy a piece of candy. In fact, at the Wharfside Market, there are two brands of penny candy.

"When I heard about them, I almost died of shock," Mike Greeley, co-owner of the store, quipped. "They're hard to find."

Greeley said most of his penny candy customers were in the 8 to 12 year age bracket.

The Candy Dock also had penny candies in its stock.

"Many of our hard candies sell for a penny," Gretchen Olson, clerk at the store, said. "And you can get a penny's worth of candy we sell by the pound."

Miss Olson said a lot of people come in the store looking for penny bargains. "People come in all the time and ask what they can get for a penny," she said. "Sometimes it's kids and sometimes it's older people kidding around."

Oleson's Variety Store also had one cent candies for sale but the store was completely out of stock when the

Courier visited it. A clerk said the sale of one-cent candies were made to everybody.

Investigating further in the food area, the Courier found that the Village Milkhouse had cookies for three cents.

"I guess that's the lowest price we have," Debbie Kujawa, co-owner, said. "Oh, wait. You can have a penny's worth of anything from the deli case."

At Boags Bakery, the cheapest item was a cookie for nine cents.

A visit to Bridge St. Hardware resulted in the discovery of a wealth of items that you can still buy for a penny. For one red cent, you can get 28 finished nails and two of certain types of washers. Other washers cost a cent a piece as does one yard of fishing line.

In the two to three cent range a person can purchase sinkers, hooks and electrical twist connectors, Dave Hand, owner of the store, said.

Gum balls were the only things for sale for one cent at the County Seat General Store in the Market Mall.

"Poor kids these days," Bert Curtis said. "Hardly anything costs a penny anymore."

A piece of wire goes for a penny at Charlevoix Floral in the Market Mall. "There's just not much you can get for a penny any more," the clerk said apologetically.

"Sales tax," the clerk at Dahlquist's replied when asked what could be bought in the store for a penny.

These days are long gone," a salesman at Cass Supply said.

"I don't think we have anything for sale for a penny," Elaine Tompkins of the Chelsea Cloth Shop, said. "But the advice is free."

"And we'll give you the time of day for the same price."

field onto your pennies, folks. They may be worth something as collector's items someday.



BONNIE HAND displays a handful of finishing nails that can be purchased for a penny.



JEAN MILLIGAN pours some one-cent gum balls into a sack for Gert Curtis.

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City ponders McSauba changes

To improve Mt. McSauba or not to improve Mt. McSauba. That is the question before the Charlevoix Common Council.

Charter vote next Tues.

A special election on the proposed new charter for the City of Charlevoix will be held July 12.

The election is being held to determine whether city residents would prefer to operate under a new home rule charter and city council-manager form of government as is being proposed by the Charlevoix Charter Commission, in the newly written charter, or if the city residents would like to remain under the Fourth Class City Act which it has operated under since 1905.

Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 8 p.m. at the Charlevoix City Hall on State Street. Absentee ballots for the election can be obtained at the city clerk's office in city hall until 2 p.m. Saturday.

The Charlevoix Courier will be published one day late in order to bring its readers the results of this important election.

The city was recently awarded a \$7,800 grant from the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation for the construction of a multipurpose building, skating rink and hockey rink at the recreation area. The federal grant must be matched with city funds.

But the council isn't jumping at the chance to use the funds. The question of even accepting the grant has been placed in the Recreation, Public Building and Planning Committee, chaired by Alderman Joe Morris, for further study.

According to Morris there are several questions council wants answered before it decides to go ahead with improvements at the recreation complex north of town.

"One thing we're looking at is the cost of maintenance," Morris explained. "We want to keep the building and other improvements from becoming something that hangs around the city's neck. We want to insure that it won't be a financial burden in the future."

City Recreation Director Dwight Boss estimated that in addition to the heat, electric and maintenance costs of the multipurpose building, an additional city employee would be needed to man the rink during the winter.

Morris said common council is also concerned that the recreation complex is outside city limits and cannot be

paired by city police and that the complex is located away from the core of the city and is not readily accessible.

Another underlying concern that council has about the entire city recreation program and not just the Mt. McSauba complex, is that many non-city residents are using recreation facilities without paying any tax dollars toward the support of the program, Morris said.

"The amount of money spent on recreation for noncity people is considerable," Morris said.

Morris said his committee is working closely with the Recreation Commission composed of Max Novak, Laurie Murray and George Lusk to determine how city residents feel about the program in general and about the Mt. McSauba area improvements.

"We do have some time before we have to definitely decide about the plans for the area thoroughly."

"The city is not trying to make money off its recreation programs, but we do want to make it so we don't get burned either," he added.

Recreation director Boss said he thought most of the problems common council is considering could be overcome. Boss is concerned that if the city doesn't accept the funds, it may never get another chance.

"We've got the funds now, if we turn them down, I feel it will be harder to get any money in the future," he said.

Hobby fair slated for Saturday

The ninth annual Lakeside Hobbycraft Fair will be staged in East Park Saturday. Jacquie Merita, executive director of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, has announced.

So far 78 entries had been received and others were expected before the deadline on Friday.

Featured in the fair, the first major event to be held in East Park this summer, will be a wide array of hobby-type entries from collector's items to gift items.

In announcing the event, Mrs. Merita said that many new and different hobbies will be exhibited this year which should make this the most exciting event to date.

The exhibits will be on display in the park from 10 a.m. until 5 p.m.

Little signs lead to big things for Ms. Alden

By PAULA HOLMES

It's hard to get lost in the offices of the Charlevoix County Building Department.

Everything in the office is well marked with poster-sized signs, neatly-lettered signs tell visitors what the office hours are, what codes are in

effect and who to make the checks out to.

Others signs with fancy letters and artistic borders offer statements of policy and advice to visitors of the building department.

"This office runs on the 'Hplan,'" one sign announces. "We are here to Help

not findler or Harass."

Another sign advises, "Life is hard by the yard. By the inch it's a cinch."

The creator of all the signs is Swanee Lee Alden, clerk-typist in the department, who got her start in sign and poster making as a child in Erie, Pa.

"I was quite sick when I was younger (with rheumatic fever), so instead of taking gym classes I ended up in art classes," Ms. Alden explained.

After several years of art classes, she found herself making posters to advertise high school events, painting portraits and lettering diplomas.

She continued her drawing following graduation from high school and took some additional art classes, too. She began designing her own Christmas cards and it was only natural that she would make signs to decorate the building department office.

"I got the sayings from newspapers and magazines and sometimes I just copy down things people in the office say," Ms. Alden explained.

From those little signs in the basement office of the county department have come big things for Ms. Alden. She now spends some of her free time moonlighting in the sign pointing business.

"I more or less got pushed into it," the mother of three said. "People would see the signs in the office and then ask me if I would do things for them."

During the three and one-half years she has lived in Charlevoix she has

designed a crest for the Grey Gables, painted names on boats, learned sides of trucks and designed a flag for the City of Charlevoix.

One of the bigger assignments Ms. Alden has had is the Syfer's Marina sign. The sign was 50 feet by 8 1/2 feet and it was located 30 feet in the air.

"The boards were already erected on top of the building and they didn't want to take them down," the sign painter explained. "So I painted the sign up in the air. I had to bend sideways and bend upside down."

Shades of Michelangelo.

"I planned out the sign with the adding machine before I started it," she explained. "And then with a yardstick and pencil I drew in the letters. They were 6 feet by 3 feet."

"I always put something of my own on the signs," she said with a giggle. "I made the apostrophe in Syfer's a sailboat."

Currently she is repainting the sign for the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department and she is painting 2 feet by 4 feet advertising signs for the new Charlevoix Township ball field.

While she enjoys the sign painting and poster making, Ms. Alden likes drawing pictures, too.

"Art work comes from here," she said pointing to her heart. "Something is there that is a mystery. You have to feel it."

"You have to love what you are doing."



SWANEE LEE ALDEN displays some of the art work from her sketchbook. The signs she makes for the building code department have drawn attention to her artistic skills.

City Charter

Regarding the new City Charter: If the Fourth Class City Act under which Charlevoix (and 16 other cities in Michigan) operate is so great, why is that type of city government being phased out by 1979 and why is Mayor Hansen, at his own admission at the recent public meetings about the charter, taking credit for pushing the legislation to bring this about?

Treat City Like Business

At a recent meeting to acquaint the public with the new charter on which they will vote July 12, Dick Fochtman of the Charter Commission said that the operation of the city was "big business" stating it was a \$3 million business. Mayor Hansen corrected his statement, saying it was a \$60 million dollar business. Isn't it time that we start treating it as a business instead of operating it out of a cigar box? The new city charter would provide the proper checks and balances to operate as a business instead of a penny ante operation.

Use of Track

Can somebody please answer a question for me? Why is the track at the high school locked other than for athletes who have keys in the town of Charlevoix and why the taxpayers can't use the track when they want to. And why don't the city fathers in our community please do something about the parking in downtown Charlevoix. It has gotten completely out of hand in the last few years. Thank you very much.

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Community Calendar

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Wednesday, July 6
Norwood United Methodist Women will meet with Mrs. Stanley Lord 7:30 p.m.
Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational church will meet at the church 1:30 p.m.
Hostesses: Mrs. David Fowler and Mrs. William Paddock; Devotions: Mrs. Charles A. Duerr, "Our Church Library".
Charlevoix Soaring Club will meet at the airport hanger 8 p.m.
Coast Guard Wives Club will meet at the Community Room, First State Bank 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, July 7
TOPS, Christ Episcopal Church at Clinton and State-sts. 8 p.m. followed by business meeting at 8:30 p.m.
Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Services Board will meet at the Gaylord Opportunity Center at Gaylord 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club pancake supper at club house 6:30 p.m. Business meeting at 8 p.m.
Charlevoix County Planning Commission will meet at county building annex 7:30 p.m.
V.F.W. Auxiliary will meet at the post home 8 p.m.
Hostesses: Mrs. Clarence Goldstick and Mrs. Bert Hazel.

Charlevoix Parents Committee will meet at the Native American Recovery Center, 206 Bridge-st. 8 p.m. The budget for the next fiscal year will be discussed.

Friday, July 8
Al-Anon Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal church, at Clinton and State-sts. 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.

Saturday, July 9
Ninth annual Lakeside Hobbycraft Fair in East Park beginning at 10 a.m. and continuing until 8 p.m.

Sunday, July 10
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.

Monday, July 11
Charlevoix Board of Education will meet at the high school study hall for its organizational meeting 7:30 p.m.
Women's Guild of the Charlevoix Area Hospital will meet at the hospital 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club Auxiliary Family potluck supper at clubhouse 8:30 p.m. Business meeting at 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Township board will meet at township hall 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, July 12
Charlevoix Hebeke Lodge No. 290 will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m. for last meeting until Sept. 27.
Men's prayer meeting 7 a.m. Community Church of God.
Charlevoix Garden Club will meet with Mrs. Orval Hicks, US 31 South 1 p.m. Co-

hostesses: Mrs. Harold Totten and Mrs. C. R. Ringler; Program: "Share your Hobbies" by Mrs. Gordon Rower.

Wednesday, July 13
Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at County Building Annex 9:30 a.m.
Charlevoix County Chapter, Michigan Association for the Blind, will meet at the First State Bank Community Room, Charlevoix, 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Flying Club will

meet at tack room, airport hangar 8 p.m.

Mary Brewster Circle of the First Congregational Church will meet with Mrs. Woodbury Ransom, Belvedere Club, 9:30 a.m. Co-hostess: Mrs. Forrest Fowler; Program: Oren Schroeder of the Chip Counseling Center.

Margaret Parker circle of the First Congregational church will meet at the Ferry-are, beach for a 1:30 p.m. picnic.



Lifeguards

THE NEW LIFEGUARDS for the Charlevoix beaches practice some lifesaving on dry land. Pictured here from left to right are: Steve Michael, Chris Davenport, Joe Kaufman and Carole Donner. Missing are: Joe Left, Erin Arvilla and Kim Mahoney.

East Jordan suits attorney just fine

By PAULA HOLMES

"We have to, here in Little East Jordan, take our mail to the post office when we want it sent out," the businesswoman said energetically passing a stamp on the envelope corner. "It takes a lot of time away from work," the woman said mentally calculating the minutes lost going to the post office.

"But there is one good thing about it," she continued, a faint smile dancing across her lips. "When you go to the post office, everybody's there and you get all the scuttlebutt from town."

For Madeline Dinu, attorney at law, the postal service was just one of the many changes in lifestyle she faced when she decided eight years ago to exchange her suite of offices in Detroit's prestigious Penobscot

Building for offices and an apartment in a converted gas station-diner in East Jordan.

Miss Dinu lives quietly in East Jordan, away from the hubbub of the city that once surrounded her, tending to her law practice, her garden and her office building.

She says she has fallen in love with the tiny town on the shores of Lake Charlevoix. And the attorney doesn't regret her decision to leave Detroit and a law practice of 21 years to start from scratch in a town with a population that is a mere drop in the bucket when compared with that of her former home.

For Miss Dinu, business and life are busier than ever in Northern Michigan. The attorney decided to move north on the advice of her physician.

"I was living in downtown Detroit and breathing all of that pollution," the woman explained. "Finally my doctor, after taking care of my sinuses for some time said the only thing left was surgery or moving to state where the air was fresh."

"It took me two years to make a survey and find a place to move to," she said. "You don't just move your law practice."

Finally after visiting communities on the east and west coasts of the state, Miss Dinu began researching communities in the center of the state. She was driving down M-66 with a friend when she saw East Jordan across the lake and was charmed by the town.

"My sinuses opened up that first weekend, but I thought it was just a fluke with the weather," the attorney

recalled. "By the fourth weekend I had decided to move to East Jordan."

Miss Dinu has never heard of the town before she opened her practice there on April 1, 1969, and neither had most of her friends.

"They asked me what I was going to do in the boonies, but I found myself going every night," she said.

"My office is open six days a week. I have to keep it open on Saturdays because there are a number of people from down below who want to tend to legal matters when they get here."

"I thought I was going to slow down

here and take things easy."

While the pace may not have changed, the nature of her practice has. Miss Dinu has gone from being one of the foremost experts in the field of aviation law, and from a position as assistant attorney general for the State of Michigan, to a general practice of will writing, property matters, contracts and foreclosures.

But the changes haven't phased her a bit.

"I love law, all of it," she explained. "I read law like some women read women's magazines."

The attorney said she enjoys the closer relationship she had with her clients in Northern Michigan.

"My clients are much more apt to remember me," she said smiling. "If they are farmers they will usually bring me produce when they are in town. There's a much more personal feeling between attorney and client here."

"When I took my oath I said I would use my profession to help people, not as a money making proposition. And that's what I've tried to do, help people."

CHARLEVOIX COURIER

The Second Front Page



BETH ROLOFF demonstrates how quickly hermit crabs can move to a friend Susan Annis. The crabs were participants in the recent pet show.



PHIL MARTIN pets his three week old puppy just before the pet show started at the Charlevoix Elementary school. The pup is part lab and part German Shepherd and is called Huggy.



JASON BRINET shows off his pet wood spider. Jason captured the spider in his father's bed.



Charlevoix Yesterday

THIS "NEW" clubhouse greeted members of the Belvedere Club in 1887. The people on the porches seem to have dressed for the picture-taking occasion. (Photo, courtesy of Charlevoix Historical Society)

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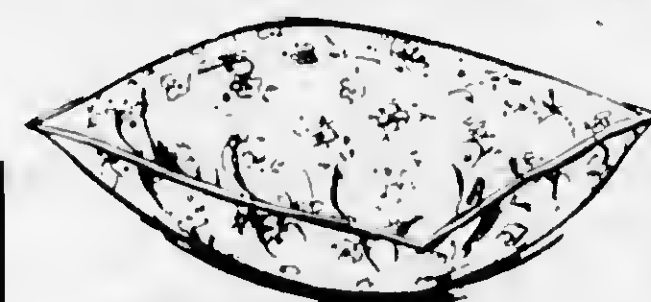
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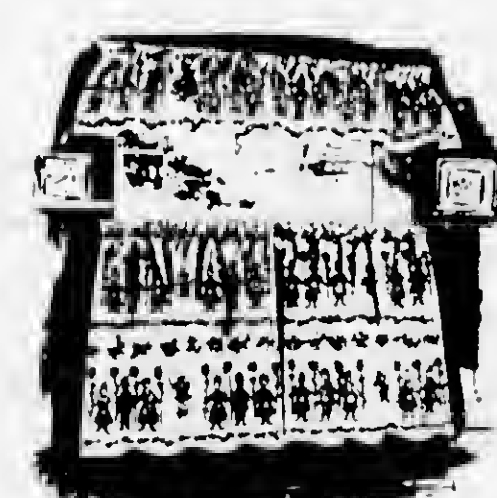
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Editorials/Opinions

July 4th celebration worth contemplation by American citizens

There's really nothing special about the 201st of anything, including the 201st birthday of our nation. No great celebrations took place this year. None even came close to matching the gala affair that marked the bicentennial.

But this year as Americans everywhere recover from the celebrations they did hold on the Fourth of July, they should remember that the real significance behind the symbolic 201st July 4th celebration is that this is still a free nation.

And the people in it are free to live as they please, to think as they please, to say what they please and to write what they please within the constraints of not infringing on other people's freedoms.

Such rights are so ingrained in the political system of this country and in the minds of its people that they are often taken for granted. As Americans lit their fireworks and attended their traditional picnics last weekend, most of them probably did not give serious thought to the meaning of the holiday they were celebrating.

Americans should not take their freedom so lightly, however. While the country is not at war for the first time in many years, there is a struggle going on within its own borders.

Residents of this nation should be careful to guard

against legislation and bureaucracies that are steadily eroding the base of our freedoms. The country should be careful not to become a nation of people that wants everything done for them.

American citizens should not allow the government to give all and be all. They should strive to maintain the government's position as of the people, for the people and by the people not of the government, for the government and by the government.

Citizens of the United States should pause and reflect on the words that Abraham Lincoln penned on July 4, 1858.

"We hold this annual celebration to remind ourselves of all the good done in the process of time, of how it was done and who did it and how we are historically connected with it."

Or as Gov. Edmund G. Brown of California remarked: "As we begin the third century of our country, we must recognize the importance of revitalizing our institutions and taking those actions necessary to restore confidence in the political process. I find it fitting to recall the words of the Spanish philosopher who said that patriotism is not so much protecting the land of our fathers as preserving the land of our children."

Letters to the editor

Dan Pohl's mom says thanks to followers

To the Editor: I'm not sure who to send this but it is just an open thank you to all the people around the Charlevoix and Petoskey area who followed our son Dan Pohl around in the Mich. Amateur Golf tournament this year. And especially the several who have thanked him every year since he started coming up in 1972.

We really appreciated their support and friendship

After winning in '75, Dan was so happy, but winning this year was really great, especially since it was Dan's first year to compete. So this was a happy time but also a little sad because we always looked forward to seeing our friends at the golf course.

Again many thanks for your loyal support to Dan.

God Bless You All
Mrs. Howard Pohl
(Dan's Mom)

Gov. Milliken praises Charlevoix H.S. band

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following letter was sent to Gary Stutzman following the Charlevoix High School band's performance on the Capitol steps during the Michigan Week celebration.

Dear Mr. Stutzman: Please accept my congratulations and appreciation for your excellent performance at the Capitol Complex during May.

The tradition of having musical groups perform in May is one of the highlights at the Capitol each year. Your participation this year was a

positive addition to that tradition. The groups selected by the Michigan School Band and Orchestra Association represented an excellence in talent in which Michigan residents can take great pride.

Again, on behalf of all state employees and visitors, let me thank you for giving us the opportunity to enjoy your talents.

Kind personal regards.

Sincerely,
William G. Milliken
Governor

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Clockwise

by Bob Clock

If nothing else, Charlevoix's preppy charter has generated some pretty outlandish fictions on the part of its opponents.

One recent advertisement, for example, claims that water service charges will increase 15 percent and that sewer service rates will double if the new charter passes.

Furthermore, taxes will increase 90 percent under the new document, according to its opponents.

"Such claims are so preposterous that they don't really deserve an answer," I keep telling myself. "But what if someone actually believes them? Holy Moses!"

I don't know who came up with these figures, but they sure make interesting reading even though they were pulled out of thin air.

As one of the fellows who has worked on the proposed charter for the past two years, I cannot see how city government will cost any more under the new rule than it does under the current City Act. After all, we will have the same types of employees doing the same types of jobs for the same amount of money, allowing for normal inflationary pressures.

In fact, there should be some economies with a more streamlined form of government patterned after the business corporation. We will save whatever back-pasting and lack of delegated authority have cost us in the past.

The proposed charter also will give city taxpayers a better idea of where their money is going. Each fund—electric, sewer, water—will generate only enough revenue to pay its bills, and provide for maintenance, normal expansion and emergencies. These separate funds will pay their own way and nothing more. Year-round residents will not find themselves kicking into general city coffers with their year-round utility bills. That money will come from a general levy on all taxpayers in the city, year-round and seasonal alike.

Furthermore, money you pay to run the City of Charlevoix via taxes will be deductible from your federal income

tax. Today, tax dollars masquerade as utility rates and you don't get any break at all.

Members of the Charter Commission also have been taken to task for lowering the tax rate to 10 mills, rather than 15 mills provided in the Fourth Class City Act. Such a charge is totally irresponsible. The city has functioned very well under the 15-mill limit for the past 82 years and for one can't see any point in hamstringing future city administrations with a 10-mill or 12-mill limit. Petoskey, as you know, has a 10-mill limit and must draw general fund monies from its utilities.

As a card-carrying penny pincher, I resent the implication in recent ads that members of the Charter Commission are among the last of the big spenders. Look at it: A car dealer, a civil engineer, a recently retired hospital orderly, a retired shop foreman, a community chest representative, a dentist, an attorney, a newspaper flunkie. We all work hard, or have worked hard for our retirement pensions, and certainly aren't about to squander public funds for unnecessary government frills.

I cannot speak for my colleagues on the Charter Commission, but readers of Clockwise over the years know that I wouldn't—no, couldn't—support any change in city government that would cost one cent more than I am now paying in municipal taxes. And I support the new charter 100 percent.

Of course, some of the charges leveled by the foes of change are tricky. Because you have assessed too much either in taxes or utility rates in the past, the city has acquired a fat bankroll of surplus funds—money that should be drawing interest in your private savings account this very minute. Because of this reserve, the city this year has rolled the tax rate back to five mills, which, admittedly is one of the lowest rates in the area.

However when the reserve is used up, your city tax rate will have to go up, regardless of the form of government, if city services and expenses remain the same.



If it Fit

by Jim Fitzgerald

The Bird beat the Yankees recently, but that's not all he did.

He also made it possible for my wife to record every blow landed in a magnificent orgy of butt putting.

Through the years, Pat has seen the beginning of many of these orgies, but this was the first time I allowed her to stay to the very last end (that isn't redundant, Danny, it's a pun).

Most of the time I am fairly rational human being. I know it is silly that this nation makes idols and millionaires out of centerfielders and quarterbacks. I know it really isn't important who wins the World Series.

Finishing peace in the Middle East, or curbing unemployment, or erasing racism, or feeding the hungry—those things are important.

But who cares if the Detroit Tigers beat the New York Yankees? I do, Doctor, I do.

I can't help it. I'm addicted, as hopelessly and stupidly as the man who knows cigarettes will kill him but still puffs three packs a day.

I know baseball is a slow game, often dull, straitjacketed by stuffy traditions. But there are those moments of suspense, high excitement, sweet

anguish...and those moments somehow make it all worthwhile.

I began when I was about 10 and my father took me to old Navin Field to see Goose Goslin, Charlie Gehringer and the rest. I've never gotten my first look at the green, green grass and the crack of the bat hitting the ball.

In 1945 I probably became the first soldier to re-enlist for a year simply to earn a 30-day furlough that took me out of Germany and put me near Detroit at World Series time. We went the Cubs in '76 games.

I am forever wondering whether happened to such unknown people as Skeeter Webb, Jack Wade and Cliff Bolton. I still love Hank Greenberg for moving to left field so Rudy York could play first base.

Just a few years ago I took my wife on a moving vacation to Cleveland to New York to Boston. In each town I exclaimed at the coincidence—the Tigers were here! Too! We went to the ball every night.

When we returned home, I told everyone we'd been on a second honeymoon. My wife said we'd been on a road trip.

There is no guessing how many



Paula Holmes...

...Speaking Her Mind

There's one thing I want to get settled here and now. In case you've been wondering, yes, I am still jogging.

Not a week has gone by since that fateful day when I took that first long, torturous jog through town, that someone hasn't asked that question.

I feel (naturally) that my appearance and the new bounce in my step (actually it's a limp from twisting my ankle tripping on a shoestring I forgot to tie one sleepy morning) would indicate to all interested parties that I'm still on a physical fitness kick, but evidently other people can't see any improvement.

And frankly, some days, neither can I. Each morning as I drag my weary body out of my nice, warm, comfortable bed, I wonder why on earth I'm going through the routine that usually just results in a red face or a twisted ankle.

In fact I think I would quit, but the dog won't let me. Each morning starting at 6 a.m. (that's when I used to get up) she begins giving me the cold nose to get me out of bed and onto the streets. She loves the jogging. So be it.

All this leads me to the point where I can tell you that I not only jog, but I have added another activity to my physical fitness program—tennis.

For several years I have wanted to learn at least the fundamentals of the game, so I seized the opportunity when the city recreation department

organized lessons.

For those of you who don't play tennis, don't laugh. The game is not as easy as Chris Evert or Jimmy Connors make it look. It's amazing how that little ball can get by a big racket so many times.

Being determined to master the game, I have also spent many nights whacking balls at the backboard at the high school. And it has been very good exercise. I spend a lot of time bending over to get the ball off the ground or running around the backboard to chase some wayward shot.

Suddenly, just before my second lesson, my forehead shut came together and I began hitting almost every ball that dared come near my racket. Buoyed with hope that I, too, could be a Billie Jean King, I was off to the second lesson only to learn that there is another stroke in the game called a backhand.

While that may sound ominous, all it really is, is a backward forehand, which is what makes it so hard. I think it is a rather awkward stroke and it prompted one of my classmates to say that she felt like she was making some obscene gesture when she hit a backhand shot.

I think she's right. And I've got the feeling my hopes of becoming a second Billie Jean King may suffer a setback. Oh, well. There's always jogging and Jim Ryan.



Erma Bombeck

The American people can—and do—put up with a lot of inconsistencies. They live in hope that someday there will be a standard battery sold that will fit everything from a camera to an electric football game...a one-size-fits-all sweeper bag...or a regulation bulb that will plug into any string of Christmas tree lights.

One of the things, however, that they are becoming quite militant about are the inconsistencies in labeling restaurants. This is clearly something that has gotten out of hand in this country with each business trying to outdo the other one in cleverness.

Believe me when I say the most pathetic sight I ever saw in my life was a frightened woman with her nose pressed against a restaurant door, following the outline of a little figure in a hooded skirt.

The restaurants were the first to get cute. In keeping with their decor, they decided to label their restroom door with the appropriate names for women and men. Thus, you had Señoras-Senoritas, Monseñors-Madames, Cowgirls-Cowgirls, Chiefs-Squaws, and Tarzan and Jane.

Some of the more sophisticated businesses came up with fictional characters like Samson and Delilah, Romeo and Juliet, and Scarlett and Rhett. As I said to my husband one night, "You've been to the restroom. Give me a hint. What am I looking for?"

"Mine was called 'General,'" he said. "Terrific! I'll try for Motors."

The cuties we could have lived with, but in recent years they've added a new dimension—the animal kingdom. Finding your restroom is like a romp through Disneyland.

I have literally lurked behind potted faked plants waiting to see who wags the backs and who wags the dogs, the heifers and the steers, the stallions and the mares, the chicks or the chickens, the pointer or the setters.

The other night, a woman rushed frantically back to her table and said, "Here's your dime back and let's go."

"I thought you had to go to LA," I thought you wanted to use the restroom," said her husband, puzzled.

"And I thought you had to go to LA to see the Rams, but that's before I found out I was a Ewe and that Rams don't need change, and let's get out of here and I'll tell you about it on the way home."

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games I've seen in the last 40 years. But I was around for all those ultra-high moments in the world series years.

I remember when Floyd Giebel beat Bob Feller, and when Buck Newsome pitched both ends of a double header. I was not only there when Denny McLain returned from exile, I was also there when Schoolboy Rowe came back from Beaumont, Tex. I was in the third deck at Briggs Stadium that night in 1949 when Bob Lemon pitched his no-hitter.

I am forever wondering whether happened to such unknown people as Skeeter Webb, Jack Wade and Cliff Bolton. I still love Hank Greenberg for moving to left field so Rudy York could play first base.

Just a few years ago I took my wife on a moving vacation to Cleveland to New York to Boston. In each town I exclaimed at the coincidence—the Tigers were here! Too! We went to the ball every night.

When we returned home, I told everyone we'd been on a second honeymoon. My wife said we'd been on a road trip.

There is no guessing how many

all stood and screamed until Fildrych came out and took a bow.

That's what the Bird has done to me. Usually I begin edging toward an exit when the last inning begins.

Before the last out is on—the scoreboard, I am tramping people to get to my car and beat the traffic.

But there I was, hanging around just to see that skinny kid tip his cap. It would take me 2 hours to get out of the parking lot, but I didn't care.

It was great for my wife.

Pat has been forced to sit through many dull ball games. Long ago she began relieving the boredom by counting how many times the players congratulated or consoled each other by swatting each other's families.

Up until Monday night, she had unofficially awarded the butt-putting championship to the 1969 game when the Tigers clinched the pennant. The number was 246.

The Bird furnished Pat with her first look at post-game butt putting. She was ecstatic. The Bird alone gave out 15 pats and received 42 in return. The new record is 1,056. Anita Bryant would have had a fit.

Onward and Upward with the Bird.

Meet Charlevoix

Steve Stargardt is director of Que Pasa, the new coffee house in Charlevoix. Here he tells the Courier about Que Pasa and his other work in music.

COURIER: What does Que Pasa mean?

STARGARDT: In Spanish it means "What's happening."

COURIER: What happens at Que Pasa?

STARGARDT: Every Saturday night we have free entertainment and refreshments for everyone, from teenagers up.

COURIER: What kind of entertainment is it?

STARGARDT: Contemporary folk-guitar music, presented by a different group each week. We've had groups like "Day Spring," "Albright," "Rolley and Moore," "Jericho," Jeff Nelson of Charlevoix, and Mike Lauer of Traverse City.

COURIER: What kind of refreshments do you serve?

STARGARDT: Cookies, punch, and coffee. The hours are 9 until 11:30.

COURIER: Who sponsors Saturday night?

STARGARDT: To give young people an alternative way of spending Saturday night. The program is structured each Saturday night. There is something planned. There is no loitering and it is always supervised. It is a good, safe place for young people.

Duerr comments

Do you really know what the proposed charter calls for? Do you think it means handing over the city to a manager (or "king") as some would have it to toy with as he will?

Or that your water bill will go up 15 percent? Your sewer rates double? Your taxes climb 90 percent? (That might have been left in our pockets, as taxpayers and ratepayers) shows good financial management?

Now, what does the proposed charter really set out to accomplish?

First, to give you more real power as a voter. And closer ties with all six council members who'll be making plans, setting policy, adopting budgets, deciding on tax and utility rates, and generally exercising the ultimate authority in the directing of our city government for years to come.

Your ward will go on being represented at all times by two of our fellow residents—but election will be at large. Each year you'll vote for the candidate you prefer in each of the three wards—the other two as well as your own. So you'll have all six candidates to choose from in each ward, and the winner will be the one who is the more acceptable to the city as a whole. Ward jealousies and bickerings will become very undesirable in council deliberations. And it's about time.

Now what about the city manager? Well, he'll work for and carry out the policies of the council. Good organization requires that he have authority enough to match his responsibilities. So the charter provides that neither the mayor nor individual council members shall deal directly with or give orders to those subject to the manager's supervision or dictate their appointment or removal. If we're going to demand that the manager skillfully perform his duties, we're going to have to honor his authority to do so without interference.

Does this mean we'll have a new "king" who could "cement his job for life"? Anyone should know better! The delegation of authority to the manager is only enough to permit him to carry out the policy decisions of the council. The council dictates the terms of his employment and the details of his job description. He won't be hired for any set length of time and he can be promptly suspended and removed by a majority vote of the council whenever they decide he's no longer performing satisfactorily. And such council action won't be subject to review by any court.

No, the manager won't have any kingly powers. And the council can quickly bounce him if he begins to assume any. But it's hardly likely to come to that. After all, city managing has now become a highly skilled profession, with recognized standards for qualifications and performance. The council will certainly use care and judgment in screening applicants and picking the one most likely to work most effectively in translating council policy into everyday operation of the city. As a career professional, with his reputation as well as his paycheck always on the line, the manager will hardly want to defy the council. Anyway, he can't.

What about taxes and utility bills? The charter provides that utility rates be set to cover only attributable costs plus planned capital improvements plus a \$75,000 emergency fund for each department (electric, water, sewer). This, of course, does not include, as has been suggested, anything as absurd as redepicting assets already fully charged off.

Thus, simply, each department will provide its services to city residents at rates closely tied to true costs. The intent is that each department operate with maximum efficiency at minimum rates, being neither subsidized by the general fund nor used by the general fund as a source of revenue in lieu of what otherwise would and should be forthrightly raised through taxes.

In the past, funds accumulated by the electric department have been transferred to the general fund. The charter commission holds that each utility should run on a break-even basis, with transfers into and out of the general fund being minimal. Taxes should be neither higher nor lower because of profits or losses in the operation of the utilities. As closely as practical, rates would be adjusted to maintain break-even results.

Moving to this basis would, of course, require some temporary readjustments. But, since, taken overall, the total cost of all the operations would be the same, there wouldn't be any difference in the total amount of money that the city would have to raise for the year through taxes and utility bills.

The foregoing has been inspired by only some of the misleading comments that's been circulating. A thoughtful reading of the entire charter will help you to judge for yourself the inappropriateness and perhaps the intent of such misrepresentations. But there may be other statements that you can't evaluate by reference to the charter. Don't just accept them; ask a charter commission member about them. You've an important decision to make—how you'll vote. Be sure you know the facts.

A parting word. The charter commission members expect to go on living as your neighbors...with whatever may be the results of this proposed charter. If we're goaded, we will have earned—and will have plenty of opportunity to experience—your disfavor. So we haven't looked lightly on our responsibility. We've put together a document that seeks to preserve, and yes, to re-awaken, our commitment to ideals that we cherish out of the past while making ready for exciting times to come. We find it somehow so appropriate that we were so engaged throughout our nation's bicentennial year.

Charles A. Duerr
209 Dixon Avenue
Charlevoix, Michigan
616-647-2603

...Steve Stargardt

Que Pasa located?

STARGARDT: In the lower level of the Kentucky Fried Chicken building. The use of the building is donated to us by Herm Stenmore.

COURIER: Do you plan any additional activities?

STARGARDT: We're planning on expanding the nights to Tuesday and Friday as well as Saturday. On Tuesday nights we'll have Bible Study and on Friday nights, rap sessions. We're also going to try to have some concerts in the park this summer.

COURIER: Is this the first time we've had a coffee shop of this type in Charlevoix?

STARGARDT: Yes, it's the first of its kind.

COURIER: What is your regular job?

STARGARDT: I'm director of vocal music for the Middle School and High School. This summer I'm administering the band program for the school, giving private and class lessons for band students.

COURIER: How long have you been here?

STARGARDT: Two years, I started the vocal music program and it's growing. Next year we should have 50 in the High School choir.

COURIER: Where were you before coming to Charlevoix?

STARGARDT: I was born in Cincinnati and went to the College Conservatory of Music at the University of Cincinnati. Then I taught in Cincinnati and played the piano professionally. I moved to Bellaire in 1972 and taught

two years. After that I put my own group together and went on the road for a year. Then I came to Charlevoix. Between my road trip and coming to Charlevoix, I found the Lord. This changed my whole life—strengthened my priorities in life. When I found Him, first my marriage strengthened, my financial situation strengthened, my family strengthened, and I found happiness and real friendship.

COURIER: What church do you belong to?

STARGARDT: The Assembly of God.

COURIER: Where do you and your family live?

STARGARDT: My wife, Sara, and I live in Norwood. We have three children—Lara is nine, Michael is six, and Matthew is four.

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CHARLEVOIX COURIER Wednesday, July 6, 1977



TERRY and DEBBIE KUJAWSKI last some of the cheese in front of their deli case at the Village Milkhouse. The new owners are stressing wholesome, nutritious foods at the deli.

Wholesome, hearty foods trademark at Milkhouse

Wholesome, hearty foods is the trademark of the Village Milkhouse, according to new owners, Deborah and Terry Kujawski.

"We want our customers to receive something of value—nutritional value—for their money," Terry explained. "We're offering an alternative."

"We both stress quality and taste in our foods. We want to offer people things that are good for them and something a little different, too," Debbie added.

"When you go out to eat you can just about guess what will be on the menu and you usually eat the same thing," she continued. "We want people to look at our menu and say, 'Oh, wow, which one should I eat.'"

So what does the young couple do that is different? "We make all of our own baked goods," Debbie said. "None of the baked goods we use are brought in."

"And we do as much on the premises preparation as possible," Terry continued. "I don't like that pre-packaged stuff."

Terry specializes in soups which he makes from scratch daily. The couple does not offer any fried foods in their delicatessen - restaurant, either.

"There are other, healthier foods people should eat," Debbie said. "And you can get fried foods anywhere."

The Kujawskis carry their belief in wholesome, hearty foods over to their deli and dairy cases, too. The cases contain plenty of fresh fruits, natural fruit juices, milk, cheese and fresh meats.

The couple got into the restaurant business by accident. They began working in restaurants while they were in college at Northern Michigan University and Michigan State University. They really started getting interested in the field, however, when they moved to Charlevoix four years ago.

Debbie worked as a waitress and on the management side of the business and Terry ended up in the kitchen as a cook in various area restaurants.

"I've been cooking since I was big enough to see over the burners on the stove," he explained.

So together they figured they had enough knowledge to run a business of their own. The couple had been looking for a place in the Charlevoix area for about two years when they found the Milkhouse.

They closed the deal on May 4, Debbie's birthday, and began preparing for their opening day. In the meantime, Debbie gave birth to their first child, Walter Frank Kujawski III, but got back to work in time to participate in the opening June 18, the couple's wedding anniversary.

The Milkhouse is open from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. seven days a week.

Charlevoix County families who will be setting out on vacation trips by car this summer will find that travel costs are considerably higher than in former years.

Inflation has had a marked effect on the prices of food, oil, and other necessities. The average is now \$2.09 for an intermediate-size car, fully equipped, as against \$1,662 in 1974.

Of this, \$1,439 is in fixed costs, such as depreciation, insurance, taxes and license fees. Financing charges are not included.

The other expenses, covering gas, oil, tires and maintenance, depend upon how much the car is used. For 10,000 mile operation they total \$580.

All in all, having an automobile today costs about 3.6 cents more per mile than it did three years ago.

Based upon this overall average, Charlevoix County residents are spending some \$19,423 annually on the 9,620 cars in use locally.

Because of the increase in auto travel, gas stations in the area have been grossing more. Their receipts in the past year reached \$4,086,000. Three years earlier they totaled \$3,067,000.

Emergency room misuse expensive

Misuse of the hospital emergency room can be a costly mistake, according to Charlevoix Area Hospital staff physicians and administrative personnel.

And they are urging Charlevoix area residents and visitors to find out how and when to use the emergency services before the occasion arises.

"Hospitals all over the country are experiencing a general misuse of the Emergency Room," Hospital Administrator Richard Krueger explained. "This is costly for the patient and for the hospital."

"We are not trying to discourage the people who have an emergency, but the people who have some minor ailment that can be and should be treated by a physician in his office," Krueger said.

Blue Grass defines an emergency as something that threatens life—a bee sting, an automobile accident, chest pains, a stroke, an overdose of drugs.

"An emergency is when you need medical attention right now," Jo Ann Bennett, RN in charge of the Emergency Room, said.

She and other staff personnel agree that too many people fail to consult their family doctor before coming into the Emergency Room.

"A child may have an earache for several days and then start running a fever and his mother rushes him into the Emergency Room when she should have taken him to the doctor," Mrs. Bennett said.

"Some people come in just to have a bandaid put on," Dr. Plagge said. "We are trying to get people to exercise judgement. There are two primary care physicians across the street from the hospital, one in the center of town, and one in Boyne City."

"Primary care is in the doctor's office," Dr. Plagge says there are eight staff physicians on rotating call.

"An out-of-towner or anybody who needs medical attention for a non-emergency problem and doesn't know a local doctor should call the hospital to learn which doctor is on call, and consult him before coming to the Emergency Room," Dr. Plagge advised.

"If there is any question and the patient thinks he has a serious problem he should come directly to the hospital."

Every use of the Emergency Room raises hospital costs which in turn are passed on to overall patient charges, so it is cheaper for both the hospital and to a would-be Emergency Room patient to seek a physician's help directly.

"But we are always open and we will see anybody who comes through our door," Mrs. Bennett emphasized. "We never tell anybody we won't see them. We evaluate their problem and if it is an emergency we'll treat it. Otherwise we'll send them to their doctor."

"The emergency Room doesn't care whether you are rich, poor, white, red, yellow or black."

"The only thing we don't like to do is to deliver a baby," she said laughing. "We send mothers in labor straight to the OB Department."

"But we do take care of accidents, poison cases, burns—we even remove fish bones and we can get a doctor in here as fast as the injured or seriously ill person can get here. We work very closely with the coronary care unit and we are well equipped to handle heart cases," Mrs. Bennett said.

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NOTICE OF LAST DAY TO GET ABSENTEE BALLOTS

Qualified City of Charlevoix voters can obtain absentee voter ballots for the July 12, 1977 Election until 2 p.m. Saturday, July 9, 1977. Ballots can be obtained in the City Clerk's office, City Hall.

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THE OLD MORMON PRINT SHOP
The old Mormon Print Shop has been dedicated as a State Historic Site on Saturday, July 9.

La. Governor James J. Dammann will perform the dedication ceremonies, assisted by A. J. Roy, founder of the Beaver Island Historical Association, who will make the opening remarks and introduce participants.

Dammann will be accompanied to the island by two staff assistants, Chuck Tyson and John Iagen. Some 17 descendants of James Strang will also be an hand for the ceremonies.

The Mormon Print Shop was built in 1850 and restored as a museum in 1969. The sign designating it as a State Historic Site reads:

"This building was erected in 1850 by James Strang and his followers. Here, during the 1850's, these Mormon dissenters published religious works and two newspapers, the 'Northern Islander' and the 'Daily Northern Islander.' Strang's group had settled on Beaver Island in 1846 after breaking away from the Mormons led by Brigham Young. In 1850 Strang was declared 'king' of his community which made up the majority of the population on the island. In 1856 Strang was fatally shot by two disenchanted followers. In the wake of the assassination, an angry mob from the mainland stormed Beaver Island destroying buildings and forcing the Mormons to flee. At that time, this print shop was ransacked. It later became a boarding house. Today it serves as headquarters for the Beaver Island Historical Society."

Seal proposals for Site Work are requested for Site Renovations and Improvements to Charlevoix Middle School in Charlevoix, Michigan according to Contract Documents prepared by Manson-Jackson & Kane, Inc., Architects-Engineers-Planners, Project 7204-B.

Proposals will be received until 7:30 P.M. on Monday, July 18, 1977, at a meeting of the Charlevoix Public Schools Board of Education at the Office of the Superintendent on Garfield Street, Charlevoix, Michigan, at which time they will be publicly opened and read aloud. Proposals received after the specified time will be returned unopened.

Contract Documents will be available at the following locations:

1. Charlevoix Public Schools, Superintendent's Office, Garfield Street, Charlevoix, Michigan.
2. Office of the Architect: 520 Cherry Street, Lansing, Michigan 48933 and Northern Michigan Division, 123 West Main Street, Gaylord, Michigan 49735
3. Builders Exchanges of Greater Lansing, Detroit, Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo, Traverse City, and Saginaw.
4. F. W. Dodge Corporation in Lansing, Detroit, Grand Rapids, Flint and Kalamazoo.
5. Northern Michigan Plan Service, 905 Curtis Avenue, Petoskey, Michigan 49770
6. Northeastern Michigan Plan Room, 1100 North Bagley, Alpena, Michigan 49707

Contract Documents may be obtained from the office of the Architect for a deposit of \$20.00 per set for a maximum of two sets. Bidders requiring additional sets or sub-contractors and suppliers wishing bidding documents for their own use during bidding may obtain them from the Architect's office by paying a rental fee based on the actual cost of production and handling.

Specifications Sections \$1.00 each
Individual Drawings \$1.00 each
Complete Set \$20.00 each

The minimum charge will be \$5.00 and no refunds will be made.

PROPOSAL GUARANTEE:
Accompany all proposals by a certified check, bank draft or bond in an amount of not less than 5% of the total proposal amount. Successful bidder will be required to furnish Performance, Labor and Material Bonds, each in the amount of the Contract.

RIGHTS RESERVED BY OWNER:
The Owner reserves the right to waive any irregularities, reject any or all proposals or accept any proposals that, in the opinion of the Owner, will serve their best interests.

WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS:
No bid may be withdrawn for a period of thirty (30) days after the opening of bids.

Judy D. Przybylski
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Charlevoix, Michigan

Secretary, Board of Education
Charlevoix Public Schools
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Kit Carson nails Wojan team in city slo-pitch league action

Kit Carson downed Wojan in the opening game of the City Recreation Men's Slo-Pitch League. Carson won by a 13-10 score.

Jeff Collins took the win letting only 9 hits go by with Bill Supernaw in the losers' column.

Home runs went to Kragg Lieberman and Bernie DeVries with Tim Carey hitting two and Bill Joy making a grand slam home run.

In the second game of the night, Fred Taylor, Inc.

downed the Hawks 11-9. Ken Willett had the win with 14 hits and home runs to Jerry Skippergosh and Steve McClellan. Sam McClellan took the loss on 18 hits and a home run to Butch Potter.

The 6-5 men edged Erber Auto 9-3. Bob Holtzman had the win letting a mere three hits go by. John Greene took the loss on 12 hits.

On the second day of play the hospital downed the Hawks 8-7. Barney Roeter took the win with 11 hits in eight innings. Sam McClellan had the loss with 8 hits and a home run to Barney Roeter.

Medias edged Wojan 11-10. Hank Archery took the win with 15 hits and home runs to Gordie Block and Steve Dunkelberg who blasted two outs.

Gary Balch was saddled with the loss on 14 hits and a home run to Beane Archery.

The Credit Union defeated Township in a low scoring battle 3-1. Ed Hohn had the win on 7 hits and home runs to Roger and Mike Crain. Mark Blanchard took the loss on 8 hits.

Chesters drowns Tri-County players

Charlevoix Township slo-pitch play opened with Chesters' Boat. Livery drowning Tri-County Well Drilling 24-10.

Dave Charbeneau claimed the win letting up 22 hits and no home runs.

The loss went to Doc Hamilton who gave up 31 hits with no home runs.

McArts Mart also took a win against Murdock Fudge 13-6. Bob Barths captured the game letting only 13 hits go by including an out-of-the-park home run by Mike Bartz.

Jack Niswander was the losing pitcher who gave a home run to Don Fenley and 20 hits to the McArts team.

On Tuesday VFW buried

Koontz Construction 11-8. Dan Wells gave up 11 hits and a home run to Dave Boss. Pete Culver was saddled with the loss giving up 14 hits.

Wednesday's action again had Chester's Boat Livery in the winners' bracket. They downed Murdock's Fudge 13-6.

Grev Rector took the win letting up 14 hits and Jack Niswander was the losing pitcher with 18 hits.

In the second game of the evening, Tri-County Well Drilling defeated McArts 17-14. Harold Thumre had the win with 13 hits no home runs.

John Barths took the loss letting 29 hits go by including an out-of-the-park home run to Phil Skeel.

Dairy Queen remains undefeated in women's play

In Tuesday's play for the Charlevoix Women's Slo-Pitch League, undefeated Dairy Queen dumped Topside 17-2. Amy Potter took the win on 5 hits while Carol Vasallo took the loss with 12 hits.

In the second game that night, Village Inn Pizza edged County State Bank 12-11. Sue Peters took the win on 15 hits with Julie Supernaw taking

the loss on 10 hits. Tiller Otis of VIF had a home run.

Tri-County Asphalt burned Kentucky Fried 16-13. Betty Bergman had the win with 10 hits while Billie Failing took the loss on 14 hits.

Carolyn Loper of KFC and Jean Sutton of Tri-County each had one home run.

Due to rain other games were cancelled last week.

Sign-up deadline July 18 for tennis tourney

Deadline for entering the second annual Charlevoix Venetian Junior Open Tennis Tournament sanctioned by the U.S. Tennis Association has been scheduled for 6 p.m. July 18. Dwight Boss, city recreation director, has announced.

The tournament which will open July 22, and continue through the following Sunday will be open to two groups, boys and girls, 18 years and under and boys and girls 16 years and under.

Entry forms are available at the tennis courts or at the Recreation Department office in the City Hall.

Day sailors unite. There's a place on Northern Michigan lakes for you, too.

Lake Charlevoix is now the home of new Flying Scot Fleet 128 of the Michigan-Ontario District of the Flying Scot Sailing Association. The day sailor fleet also sails on Walloon Lake.

Anyone interested in joining the growing fleet is encouraged to contact Fleet Capt. Kenneth Morin at 347-5777 or Richard M. Pajalas at 347-9931.

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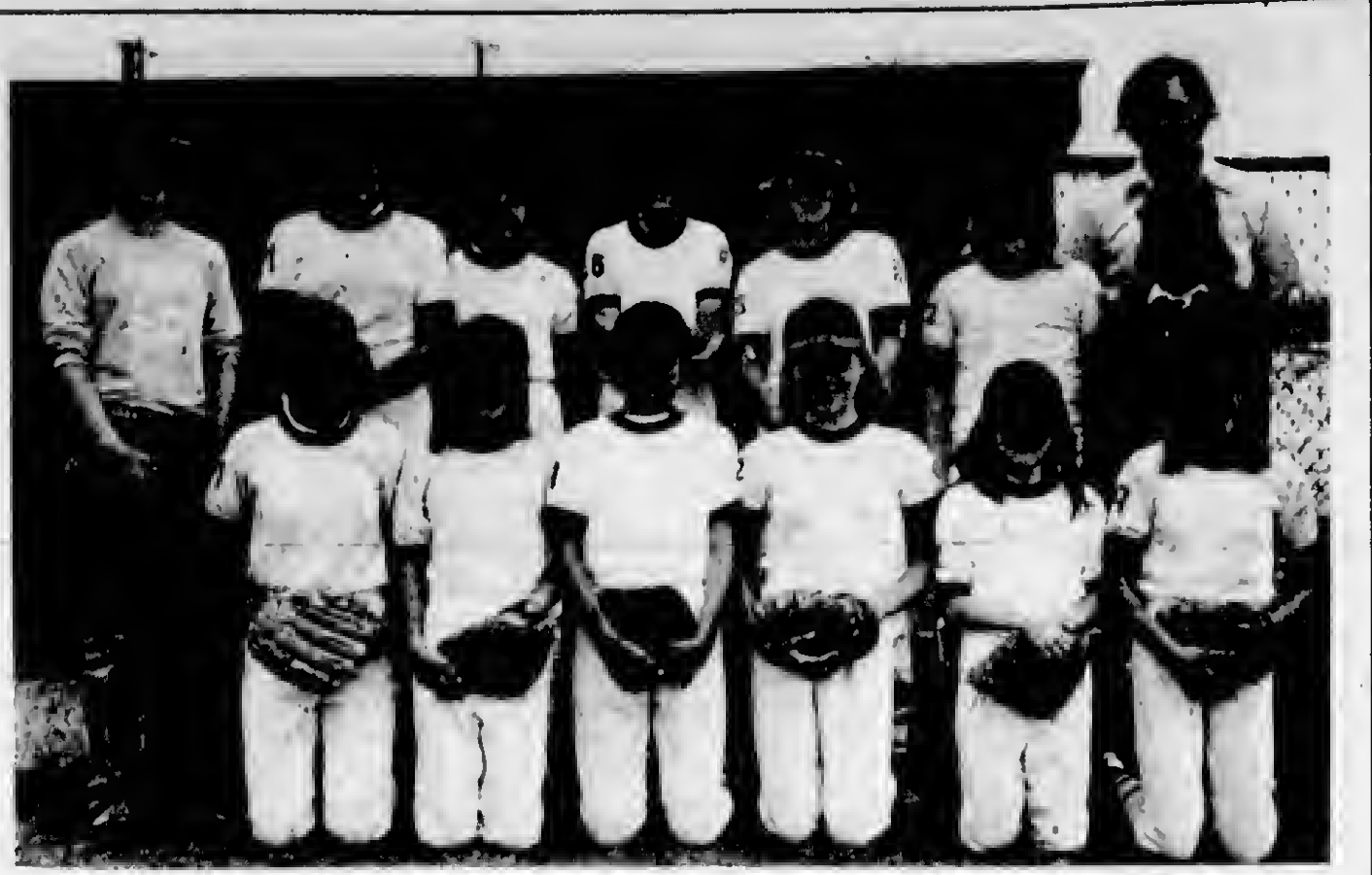
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MEMBERS OF THE Charlevoix major league All Star team that will be playing in the District Tournament next week are: Bridget Noroit, Christ Parker, Kathy Lignell, Sandy Miller, Connie Barths, and Kim Novotny. In the back are: Nancy Miller, Christine Spioles, Mary Lenhart, Kim Boldoc, Colleen LaBlance, Rhonda Buchanan, Kathy Lehman and Coach Curt Ayers. Missing from the picture are Donna LeVassuer, Kathy White and Julie Archey.

Little League district tourney here

District Tournament action for the girls Little League major and senior league teams will take place next week.

Two Charlevoix All-Star teams will be involved in the tournament that includes nine other teams from the Northern Michigan area.

The Charlevoix major league All-Star team will be coached by Curt Ayers and the senior league All-Star team will be coached by Evelyn Noroit. All games will be played at the Little League field on Carpenter Avenue.

Play will open between Gaylord and Tri-Rivers at 12:30 p.m. Sunday with Cheboygan playing the winner of that game at 1 p.m. July 11. Winners from that

game will advance to the finals at 6:15 p.m. July 12. Also on Sunday, Huron Shores will meet Rogers City at 6:30 p.m. with Cheboygan playing the winner of that game at 6 p.m. July 11. The winner of that game will advance to the finals at 8:15 p.m. July 13.

All interested people are invited to attend the single elimination tournament.



THE MEMBERS OF the Charlevoix All-Star senior league team are: (from left to right) Amy Elzinga, Teresa Noroit, Tammy Noroit and Mary Ellen Chuke. In the second row are: Cindy Trimmer, Lisa Sandahl, Lisa Fischer and Doretta Anderson. In the last row are: Chris White, Cindy Carson, Barb Schmidt, Debby Resch, Melinda Klooster and Amy Kroll.

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New science helps people keep entire body tuned up



MUSCLE TESTING is the key to diagnosis in kinesiology. The patient in this case the clinic's receptionist Lucy resists the push of Dr. Diane. If the muscle and organ being tested is weak, no matter how much resistance is provided the doctor will be able to lower the leg.

By JANNAGEL.

As many athletes know, total body balance can greatly affect their game.

For that very reason, kinesiology is now being used with team physicians in the Olympics, major league football and other professional sports.

So what is kinesiology and how can it give you the edge in a hot tennis match?

Gary and Diane Saks, a husband and wife kinesiology team practicing at the Alpine Clinic in Gaylord, have introduced the science to Northern Michigan residents.

"Kinesiology is a new science," Gary explained. "The first manual was published in 1943 by Dr. Goodheart. He developed a system of diagnosis and treatment of body weaknesses by tying together loose-ended theories from the chiropractic, medical and acupuncture fields."

"Kinesiology functions on the theory that organs are linked to muscles along acupuncture energy meridians," he continued. "Anyone with a sluggish organ will be walking around with a weak muscle or two."

"By touching the energy meridian for that organ, a corresponding muscle is affected. If the system is strong, the muscle is strong. If it is weak, it shows in the muscle."

"Think of the word kinetic—the dynamics of energy flow," Gary demonstrated the muscle testing diagnostics that are used to determine energy flow in a willing patient in the office.

The patient was complaining of constant tiredness. Gary had the person lie down and extend her leg away from her body. He tried to push the leg toward the patient's other leg, telling her to resist. She resisted and he could not budge her leg.

Then he told her to touch a spot on her abdomen while he was again pushing on the extended leg. This time, even though she was resisting just as vigorously as before, her leg moved toward her body with apparent ease.

"It's your adrenal glands. You're suffering from adrenal exhaustion," he said. "From the sports angle, adrenal exhaustion will be a problem. It's a sluggish organ, generally accumulative," he explained. "If increased

demand is put on a weak muscle, which happens in sports, or house or garden work, the pre-weakened muscle may spasm.

"The soreness seems to disappear tomorrow or with rest, but it will come back eventually and sometimes it will be worse. This indicates the organ related to that muscle is also probably in need of treatment."

In short, kinesiology can find a trouble spot through

muscle testing before it develops into a real problem. "The key to health and fitness," Gary believes, "is maintenance and prevention. We treat our cars better than our bodies. When a car is tuned up, it runs better and lasts longer. It's the same way with our bodies."

"This has recently been proven in tests," Diane added. "Athletes played before and after a kinesiology 'tune-up' and their games were consistently better after the tune-up."

Kinesiology treatment is usually acupuncture applied to spots affecting the ailing area. Nutritional supplements are prescribed when warranted.

Kinesiology not only deals with the muscular-skeletal system, but it incorporates all systems of the body. It's a technique currently being used in dentistry, psychology, medicine and chiropractic fields. It may well be the diagnostic tool of the future, Gary said.

Jim Stoneham assigned to Colorado base

Airman James L. Stoneham Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. James L. Stoneham of 217 Clinton, Charlevoix, Mich., has been assigned to Lowry AFB, Colo., after completing Air Force basic training.

During the six weeks at Lackland AFB, Tex., the

airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations. Completion of this training earned the individual credits towards an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Airman Stoneham will now receive specialized training in the munitions and weapons maintenance field.

The airman attended high school in Charlevoix.

Jim Moore completes basic training

Selected for instruction in the communications electronics field at Keeler AFB, Miss., after completing basic training at Lackland AFB, Tex., is Airman Jay R. Moore, son of Ralph C. Moore of Hayne City, Mich.

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Airman Moore is a 1977 graduate of Boyne City High School. His mother, Mrs. Louise M. Wells, resides at 206 Sheridan, Charlevoix, Mich.

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Little steamers plied the Bay, and the summer visitors who registered at Petoskey hotels and renting houses took advantage of the many excursions offered. The most popular trip was the Circular or Island Route. This lengthy excursion took the traveler up the coastline of Little Traverse Bay into Lake Michigan, around to Mackinac Island, on to Cheboygan and then down the chain of rivers and lakes to what is now Grayw. Until the quaint little dummy trains were in operation, the excursionists were jolted back to Petoskey from Grayw by wagon and team.

In 1890 the system was in full operation and trips were being made every fifteen minutes. By 1905 two trains ran from Petoskey to Harbor Springs at half hour intervals. Many of the people who had come to see the area on the train liked what they saw and became regular summer visitors. By the 1920's the shift from tourism to settled summer communities was in motion. Many resorts developed around the Bay and inland lakes of the area. The new longed summer resorts spelled the doom of the delightful little steamers on the Bay, the little dummy trains, and the luxury hotels. Many of the hotels burned and were not rebuilt, the dummy engines were sold for scrap, and the steamers sailed off over the horizon.

Although the modes of transportation have seen drastic change, Petoskey's magnificent remains. There is still an element of charm and friendliness in shopping adventure which belongs uniquely to Petoskey's Gaslight District. One may still marvel at the beauty of Little Traverse Bay and experience the wonder of the Million Dollar Sunset.

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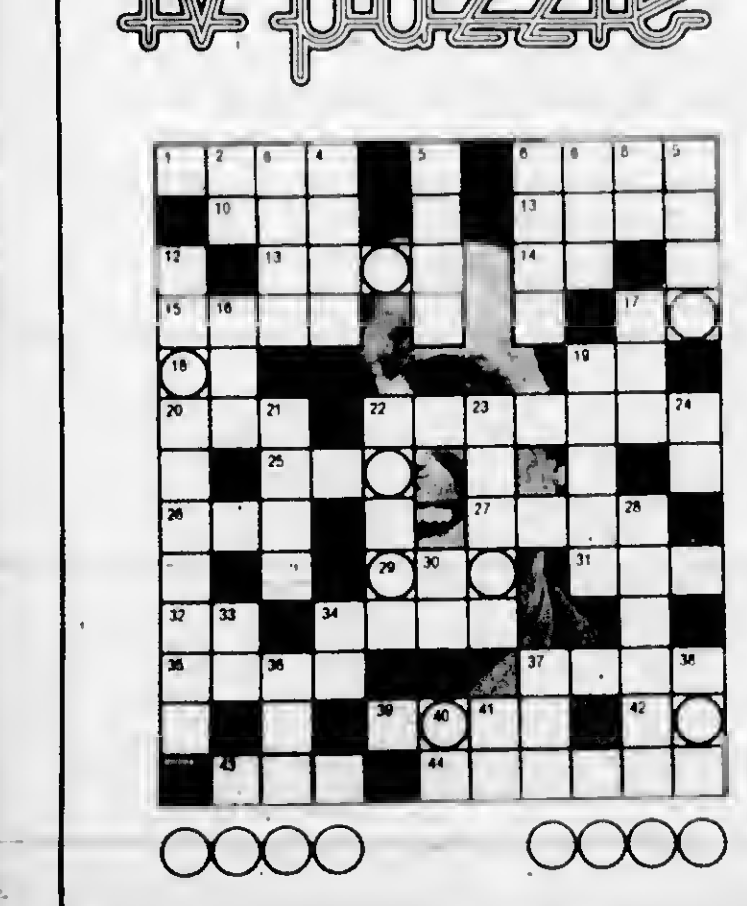
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Obituary

Edward Zook
ELLSWORTH - Funeral
services for Edward Zook, 81,
who died Sunday at the
Charlevoix Area Hospital, will
be held at the Hastings
Funeral Home at 2 p.m.
Wednesday. The Rev. Donald
Schorsch of the Assembly of
God church in Charlevoix will
conduct the service. Interment
will be in the Southern cemetery
near Central Lake.

Mr. Zook was born at
Jamestown July 13, 1895, and
came to Antrim county as a
young man. He was married
to the former Elsie Waldorf
at Belaire on Dec. 6, 1920.
They made their home on a
farm in Central Lake town-
ship. He was a veteran of
World War I.

He is survived by his wife;
two daughters, Mrs. Ivan
(Violet) Hyard at Charlevoix
and Mrs. Donald (Audrey)
Nash, Jr., of Springfield,
Mo.; two sons, Edgar and
William, both of Central Lake;
10 grandchildren; a dear

present home in Ellsworth. He
was a member of the Christian
Reformed church; had served
on the Ellsworth School Board
for 15 years; was a member of
the Janzen-Richardson post,
American Legion, and served
as its adjutant for 15 years;
was a member of the Charlevoix
Farm Bureau and, for the
past 10 years, had been an
active member of the John
Birch Society.

He is survived by his wife;
six sons, Albert of Byron
Center, Glenn of Grand
Rapids, Robert of Jenison,
Vernon at Lowell, Dale of
Tustin and John of Alhambra,
Calif.; five daughters, Mrs.
Don (Lillian) of Byron
Center, Mrs. John (Beatrice)
Maddern and Mrs. Earl
(Shirley) Bray, both of Grand
Rapids, Mrs. Lou (Lorraine)
Janicki of East Jordan and
Mrs. Fred (Arlo) Olson of
Fennville; 20 grandchildren; 13
great-grandchildren; a
brother, Albert, and two
sisters, Mrs. Effie Wedenaar
and Mrs. Cora VanAndel, all
at Grand Rapids.

The Hastings Funeral Home
was in charge of ar-
rangements.

Six residents graduate

Six young Charlevoix
residents were among the
2,729 students receiving
degrees and certificates from
Ferris State College during the
1976-77 academic year.

Students completing their
programs of study during the
summer, fall, winter, and
spring quarters were eligible
to participate in the tradi-
tional Commencement
Exercises.

Catherine M. Carey
received a certificate in Court
and Conference Reporting;
Jeryl A. Carey received a
certificate in Office
Administration-Business;
David E. Engstrom, received
a certificate in Planning
Technology and a bachelor of
science degree in Business
Administration; Robert B.

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DID YOU KNOW?

IF THE PROPOSED CHARTER FOR THE CITY OF CHARLEVOIX IS PASSED:

1. Water service charges will increase 15%. Why? Sewer service would double? Why? (perhaps two or more people should use the same bath water?)
2. Taxes will increase 90% (RIDICULOUS). Do you really think the people of Charlevoix are that dumb?
3. The Charter Commission has adopted many good things from Petoskey. In Charlevoix they keep the millage down but always increase the assessed valuation year after year.

The present mayor and council have increased the annual budget 1 million dollars in the last 2 years and lowered their taxes by 44%. (WOULD THOSE PEOPLE THAT RECEIVED A 44% REDUCTION IN TAXES PLEASE CALL SOMEBODY)

UNDER A BUSINESS MANAGED SYSTEM, CHARLEVOIX TAXES, WATER, SEWER, AND ELECTRIC COSTS SHOULD ALL BE REDUCED BY 10%.

FRANKLY CHARLEVOIX NEEDS A 1977 HOME MADE CHARTER AND NOT A1895 STATE MADE CHARTER. CHARTERS DO NOT SET UTILITY COSTS OR TAX RATES- ONLY THE MAYOR AND THE COUNCIL CAN DO THAT.

IF YOU DON'T KNOW - ASK
VOTE YES ON THE CHARTER

PD FOR BY THE COMMITTEE FOR THE CHARLEVOIX CHARTER.

CHARTER FACTS

JUST A FEW OF THE GOOD PARTS OF THE PROPOSED 1977 CHARTER

- (A) Non Partisan elections. Less than 10 cities in Michigan are still using the party systems. Democrat versus Republicans. This will save thousands of dollars.
- (B) The city cannot sell or trade any park property or any land within 100 ft. of a body of water.
- (C) General election in November like 95% of Michigan cities (not in April). This will also save a few thousand dollars.
- (D) A Planning Commission. At last the future growth and beautification of our city can be controlled and not politically motivated.
- (E) A strong administration system controlled by the council and not subject to the whims of a strong, weak or unqualified mayor.
- (F) Board of Appeals. A permanent non-political board to hear zoning problems. No longer will a council person in their first month in office be considered zoning experts. Subject to neighborhood pressures.
- (G) The city administrator must plan 5 years in advance on capital expenses, not like the month to month process now used. The recent May Street sewer cost 1000% more because it was built 70 years after it was needed.
- (H) Transfer of Funds. Funds can be transferred within departments but not between departments. No longer will electric funds be used to rescue poorly managed other departments.
- (J) Many voters are un-informed or mis-informed, or totally lacking understanding anything concerning the charter. Do not hesitate to call any of the charter commission members for the correct information. One of them lives within a few blocks of you.

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The younger voters of this city should become very involved in the charter election. This new charter is for the future. For the next several generations for your grandchildren too and into the 21st century.

This city valued at \$65 million and with an annual budget of \$2,800,000.00 should now be managed like a big corporation by a business administration expert with proper qualifications and other cities experience.

The most active opposition to the charter is led by a small group of persons who want to keep their political influence.

The Charter commission has worked for 24 months and had some 80 special meetings plus hundreds of hours of home work to draw up a charter that would benefit every taxpayer in Charlevoix. It is asking too much that each citizen of our town spend a half hour at his time to vote on the Charter July 12th?

VOTE YES on the Charter July 12th

It is hoped that 20% of the people who buy the Courier will read this message.

PD FOR BY THE COMMITTEE FOR THE CHARTER.

RESOLUTION CHARLEVOIX CHARTER COMMISSION

WHEREAS the Charter
Commission of the City
of Charlevoix has therefore
adopted and published a
proposed Charter for the City
of Charlevoix, and,
WHEREAS the Attorney
General of the State of
Michigan has recommended
certain changes therein, and,
The Charter Commission
having considered same, and
has determined that the
following changes be made.
IT IS HEREBY RESOLVED
this day of June, 1977, as
follows:

1. Section 2.17 Council-
Limitations (1) shall be
amended to include
"cemeteries".

2. Section 4.4 Elections (1)
shall be amended by deleting
of the City".

3. Section 6.1 General
Authority (a) and (b) shall be
amended to substitute
registered for qualified
reference to voters.

4. In Article VI-Initiative and
Referendum "qualified" shall
be substituted for "qualified"
voters.

5. Section 8.11 Board of
Review-Second Meeting shall
read: The second meeting of
the Board of Review shall be at
such times as provided by
statute.

6. Section 14.5 Appointed
officials and employees. There
shall be added, except as to
elected officials, as provided by
statute.

IT IS FURTHER RE-
SOLVED that the original
proposed Charter shall stand
except as hereby amended.

IT IS FURTHER RE-
SOLVED that the changes be
published forthwith.

IT IS FURTHER RE-
SOLVED that a certified
copy of this Resolution be
forwarded to the Governor
forthwith.

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Volting Aye: Richard A.
Fochtman, Charlie A. Durr,
Ralph J. Shopton, John R.
Michael, Lawrence R. Feindt,
Jeffery Porter, Jay J. Oliver,
John R. Clock, Volting Nay:
None. Absent: None.

I hereby certify that the
above is a true copy of a
resolution duly adopted by the
Charlevoix Charter Com-
mission on the 28 day of June, 1977.
Judy D. Fryzyski
City Clerk

Harbor Barber New stylist joins

The Harbor Barber has
added a new service for its
customers.

Kevin Dawson has joined
Gary Balch to offer women's
hair styling and cutting as
well as men's in the Bridge
Street shop.

Dawson, a Central Lake
native, has been working with
Balch for two weeks and
specializes in styling for men
and women as well as various
hairstyles such as the layer,
razor and shag cuts.

Working with people and
their hair comes easily to the
27-year-old stylist. He has an
uncle and two cousins that are
also barbers as well as 12
other cousins that are
beauticians.

Dawson studied for one year
at the Humberman Barber and
Shampoo School.

He moved to Charlevoix
because he likes

Court News

The following cases were heard last week in Charlevoix District Court by Judge David W. Fierth:

Arthur C. Davis, 62, Lincoln Park, given container in vehicle. Plead guilty. \$65 fine and costs.

Steven E. Groat, 19, Elsworth, driving while license suspended. Plead guilty. \$25 fine and costs.

Robert C. Mackowiak, 21, Boyne City, speeding. Plead guilty. \$25 fine and costs.

Dennis L. Mousseau, 24, Charlevoix, two counts of felonies. Adult and two counts of felonies. Plead guilty. \$25 fine and costs.

William W. Gregory, 21, Petoskey, speeding. \$25.

David G. Matthews, 22, Boyne City, failing to maintain equipment. \$25.

John V. Elwood, 22, Flint, no proof of insurance. \$25.

Malcolm G. Drake, Boyne City, speeding. \$25.

Jeffrey S. Washburn, 23, Charlevoix, speeding. \$25.

Richard M. Gentry, 21, Conway, speeding. \$25.

Kathy J. Mauck, 21, Charlevoix, speeding. \$25.

Richard C. Jackson, 40, Charlevoix, speeding. \$25.

Johanna M. Maxwell, 19, Petoskey, speeding. \$25.

Donald Zurlath, 45, Kalamazoo, speeding. \$25.

James J. Cooper, 30, Charlevoix, speeding. \$25.

Dan W. James, Okla. home, speeding. \$25.

Steven R. Anshony, 28, Elma, speeding. \$25.

Gregory L. Chappie, 18, Charlevoix, no Michigan operator's license. \$25.

Mary L. Hendel, 28, Walpole, Lake, speeding. \$25.

David Taelin, 46, Lake Forest, Illinois, speeding. \$25.

Donald G. Bennett, 19, Plymouth, speeding. \$25.

Larry L. Johnson, 40, Alpena, speeding. \$25.

Keith A. Morris, 20, El Rapids, speeding. \$25.

David W. McDaniel, 31, Charlevoix, speeding. \$25.

Thomas J. Fochtman, 21, Petoskey, speeding. \$25.

Marvin G. Stodd, 19, Traverse City, speeding. \$25.

Oennis M. Chew, 27, East Jordan, 22, Boyne City, speeding. \$25.

Joseph Peter Skop, Jr., 21, Boyne Falls, and Mary Jo Sturpelt, 22, East Jordan.

Thomas N. Grutsch, 22, East Jordan, and Sally D. Brooks, 18, East Jordan.

Walter K. Tucker, 55, Midland, and Ruth S. Cummins, 47, Boyne City.

Donald R. Blanton, 37, Federal Way, Washington, and Mary A. Chalmers, 35, Boyne City.

Patrick W. Price, 19, Boyne City, and Yvonne E. Young, 18, Boyne City.

Marriages

The following marriage licenses were issued recently by the Charlevoix County Clerk:

Gary L. Kotesky, 32, Boyne City, and Patricia L. Bricker, 22, East Jordan.

Douglas R. Newville, 37, Boyne City, and Joyce A. Poulet, 37, Boyne City.

Edward Palmer, 31, St. James, and Mary T. Gillespie, 24, St. James.

John Frank Jackson, 32, Charlevoix, and Dolores C. Murphy, 21, East Jordan.

Thomas B. Neidhamer, 22, Boyne City, and Deborah L. Gikard, 22, Boyne City.

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Correction

The names printed in the Court News last week were from District Court office reports for the last two months not just the last week as reported.

Plachta enters delayed program

Following graduation from the six-week basic training course at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, he will receive technical training in the administrative aptitude area and be assigned to an Air Force duty station.

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Armed Forces News

David Bump graduates from basics

Airman David P. Bump, whose mother is Mrs. Barbara C. Bump of 206 E. Dixon, Charlevoix, Mich., has graduated at Lackland AFB, Tex., from Air Force basic training.

The airman, who is remaining at Lackland for specialized training in the security police field, studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special instruction in human relations. Completion of this training earned the individual credits towards an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

Kevin Martin participates in reserves

Cadet Kevin L. Martin, son of Mrs. Elaine R. Martin of 404 Burns St., Charlevoix, Mich., is participating in a U.S. Air Force Reserve Officers Training Corps field training encampment at McConnell AFB, Kan.

During the encampment, cadets received survival and small arms training and aircraft and aircrew indoctrination. They also have the opportunity to observe careers in which they might wish to serve as Air Force officers.

Cadet Martin, a student at Michigan Technological University at Houghton, is a 1975 graduate of Charlevoix High School.

Students attend seminar

CRAIG ASKINS of Boyne City, Wendolyn Wieland, Dennis Parsons, Kimberly Jones all of Charlevoix, Brenda Graham of East Jordan, and Tom Allen of Boyne City were among 270 Michigan teenagers attending the 14th annual Young People's Citizenship Seminar, June 20-24, sponsored jointly by Michigan Farm Bureau of Lansing and its member county organizations. The week-long seminar at Albion College emphasized the five enterprise system, the American political scene and democracy.

OLESON'S FARM-FRESH MARKETS

Summer Time Food Savings

CHICKEN LEGS 69¢ LB.

CHUCK ROAST 69¢ LB.

BARB CUT FRESH DRUMSTICKS & THIGHS 79¢

LEAN TENDER SIZZLE STEAK \$1.69 LB.

DEL MONTE TOMATO CATSUP 77¢

CRISCO ALL VEGETABLE OIL \$1.29

MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE SAVE 50¢ MORE WITH COUPON. SAVE 35¢. OFFER EXPIRES SATURDAY JULY 9, 1977.

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WATSON'S HEAD LETTUCE 37¢

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PEPSI COLA 77¢. LIMIT 1 PER FAMILY WITH COUPON. OFFER EXPIRES SATURDAY JULY 9, 1977. 5-42.

ICE CREAM CONE CUPS 55¢. LIMIT 1 PER FAMILY WITH COUPON. OFFER EXPIRES SATURDAY JULY 9, 1977. 5-28.

Whew! Charlevoix survives rock concert



A CHICAGO fan waves a sign she made especially for the concert. Fans of all ages trooped to Castle Farms for the three-hour music fest.

By PAULA HOLMES

Chicago came, it saw, but it didn't conquer Charlevoix during its recent rock concert at Castle Farms.

More than 10,000 people jammed the area to attend the first rock concert of the season, put on by Nederlander Theatrical Corp., which also runs Pine Knob in the Detroit area, on the grounds of the former Loeb farm on M-66 Friday evening.

Middle-aged, young-adult-aged and teen-aged Chicago fans began trooping to the concert grounds as early as 1 p.m., but all in all the group was fairly orderly. The gates opened around 4:30 p.m.

Charlevoix County Sheriff George Lasater said he didn't receive one formal complaint about the event. Lasater said he also believed the concert met all the provisions of the new Marum Township Ordinance governing public gatherings.

However, Lasater said he had received some comments from people saying they were upset because of the beer cans and some of the conduct of the fans.

The sheriff said there were some rough spots during the concert as far as his department was concerned, but things went as well as could be expected for a first time.

"There were more than 10,000 people at the concert and it seemed like they each drove two cars," Sheriff Lasater quipped.

"Actually there were only about 5,000 cars driven to the concert, but our highway system is not designed for that kind of traffic. It took us about two hours to clear the area of all vehicles."

"I had six officers on duty at the area from 6:30 p.m. to 2 a.m."

During that time there were two personal injury accidents and three reported property damage accidents, the sheriff said.

There was also one reported assault and two emergency cases. An injured workman was rushed from the concert grounds to the emergency room at Charlevoix Area Hospital and a Chicago fan was taken to emergency with severe abdominal pains.

The sheriff said 13 citations were also issued during the night, mostly to cars

parking in areas designated as no parking spots by Marum Township officials.

"We made some mistakes, but we learned," Lasater said. "You just can't handle that many people and cars with six people."

Marum Township Supervisor Robert Potter said he had received only a few complaints about the concert and most of those were made on Monday.

"Several people were concerned that they didn't have the junk picked up yet," Potter said. "They said it is still all over the grounds."

Potter said there weren't any complaints about the concert itself.

"Oh, they don't like the idea of having the concerts, but I didn't get any complaints."

The township supervisor said as far as he knew the new ordinance governing public gatherings had been complied with during the concert. He said he was going to check with the health department and the sheriff's department to make sure.

"At this time I feel like the ordinance worked," Potter said.

The ordinance was passed last winter as a means of controlling the proposed rock concerts and protecting the township residents' rights.



MORE THAN 10,000 people crowded toward the stage at Castle Farms to get a better look at the rock group Chicago. The fairly orderly crowd was pleased with the performance of the rock group last Friday night.

Charter narrowly defeated

By PAULA HOLMES

Round one of the battle for a new charter for the City of Charlevoix went to the opposition.

Charlevoix voters narrowly defeated the proposed charter, which would have changed the community to a home rule city from a fourth class city. Electors cast 553 no votes and 510 yes votes during the special election Tuesday.

Only one of the three wards in the city completely supported the charter. Residents of the first ward cast 193 yes votes in favor of the new document and 77 no votes. Second ward residents cast 119 yes votes and 186 no votes and the third ward had 145 yes votes and 150 no votes.

Of the 194 absentee ballots cast in the election, there were 53 yes votes and 140 no votes. One ballot was sent back blank.

There are 2,481 registered voters in the city.

For a few minutes during the early tabulation of the votes, it appeared that the charter had been passed by the city residents.

"That's the best news I've heard since I heard that we were going to have a charter commission two years ago," Bob Clock, charter commission member, said reacting to the news.

However, a few minutes later it was discovered that the vote totals in the second ward had been reversed. The new tabulation showed that the proposed charter had been defeated.

"It was a good battle," Clock said reflecting on the narrow defeat, "but it's not over yet."

"I would call this skirmish a draw. Basically, I think we have a good charter and 510 people agreed with me."

Mayor Edward Hansen, who opposed many of the changes proposed in the new charter, applauded the defeat of the document by the voters.

"I think this was an intelligent vote," Mayor Hansen said in a phone interview. "I would hate to see us go into something that we don't know enough about."

"The people that were informed about the charter could give you good answers on it, but it was hard to inform the people, especially when they have to work all day. The moneychangers that run the city for 50 years can go out and feed us this stuff because they have more time."

"There were a lot of good little people working in each ward and that pulled us through," he said.

There are several avenues open to the charter commission following the defeat of the document in which they have invested two years worth of hard work, according to Richard Fochtman, chairman of the charter commission.

"We can meet and dissolve the commission, which I don't think we will do. We can meet and modify the document or we can meet and schedule another election on the same charter."

Fochtman explained from his bed in the Charlevoix Area Hospital.

"I hope that we will try and hold an election at the earliest possible time," the commission chairman said.

Fochtman said he thought the earliest another election could be held was during the February primary.

"We've got to get input. We've got to find out what the people want," Fochtman said. "And I don't think we can do that in time for a fall election."

Under law, the charter commission is allowed three elections to try and get a proposed charter approved by the voters. The elections must be held before the three year term limit on the life of the charter commission expires. The time limit for the Charlevoix Charter Commission is up in April.

HOTLINE

Dial 547-6559

Hotline lists others know what you think. Tell us your opinion on anything by calling 547-6559 anytime after 4 p.m. No need to give your name. Selected opinions will appear each week.

Ticket Pedestrians

Invariably, whenever I get to the light on Clinton Street ready to go out on Bridge, as soon as it turns green for Clinton Street traffic, the pedestrians begin to cross the street against the light. And I'm wondering since we have such an efficient police department that can ticket every car that is parked at a meter that doesn't pay a dime or fifty cents or whatever they are supposed to, why can't we have a man at that corner that will give some pedestrian tickets. I'm sure that in Cincinnati or St. Louis or Detroit or Dallas or Fort Worth or wherever, people don't cross against the traffic light and get away with it. And I'm wondering why every time the traffic piles up there the cars have to sit and wait for pedestrians.

Venetian Float

I was wondering if anyone has really looked at the Charlevoix Venetian float lately. I think it's getting pretty run down. I took a close look at it a couple days ago sitting outside by the street department and it really looked bad. I think it's time Charlevoix did something to improve its image in the Venetian parade.

Pleased with Answer

I would like to say how pleased I am that the School Board answered so promptly. It was better than they did for us when we called the school five times to complain about a bus driver who was cruel to the children and made them cry. So I would thank you for this kind of cooperation from the school.

P.S.



Steve London

betcha' never thought you'd make the front page!

School board to seek 1 mill in special September election

It's back to the voting booth for the Charlevoix Board of Education.

The board of education will seek approval of an additional 1 mill tax levy for the 1977-78 school year during a special election Sept. 12. A similar request was narrowly defeated in the June school election.

The board decided to seek the additional one mill for one year in order to balance the school budget and to meet obligations the board assumed.

Superintendent Gordon Van Wieren said that without the additional mill, the budget could wind up in the red.

Vincent Olach, business manager, said several areas of maintenance need immediate attention if the school district is to preserve what it has.

Heading the list is roof repair which will cost an estimated \$50,000; replacing the exterior doors at the high school, \$15,000; replacing classroom furniture, \$1,500 per room; floor covering in the high school, \$600 to

\$3,000 per room.

Other critical areas are audio-visual equipment replacement, \$5,000; playground equipment for the elementary school, \$5,000; sealing driveways at the elementary school, \$2,000; paving the parking lot at the high school, \$10,000; and classroom furniture at the middle school, \$1,500 per room.

Olach said the 1 mill for one year would not meet the entire budget need, but it would help.

In other action, the board voted to fill three teaching positions. Kay Fiedorek, a Charlevoix High School and Central Michigan University graduate, was hired as a probationary teacher to fill a ninth vacancy at the middle school.

Catherine Britton was hired as a probationary teacher in the elementary school. Mrs. Britton has been in the school system since mid-term last year to fill a vacancy created by the death of

Sandra Cinnamon.

Mary V. Gendle of Petoskey was hired as a part time special education teacher at the high school. She will succeed Pamela Smith who is on maternity leave. Miss Gendle is a graduate of Central Michigan University with a B.S. degree in education and a minor in recreation.

The board also voted to lease the Beaver Island Lighthouse to the Aaron Haase family from Pontiac. The Haases will maintain the property in lieu of rent.

The school district will allocate a minimal amount of money to underwrite the cost of repairing damage caused to the building by vandals.

The school board was advised that clear deed to the Don Brown property on Clinton Street has been received and the papers needed for the purchase of the property adjacent to the middle school.

Gov. Milliken to visit

Venetian Festival bigger, better than ever



SEVEN YOUNG WOMEN will vie for the title of Venetian Queen next week. In the running are: (front row left to right) Patty Egler, Theresa Russell and Nora Lewis. In the back row are: Kay Curry, Teri Novotny and Sandra Hufford. Missing from the picture is Louise Caldwell.

Next week, for the 47th time, Charlevoix will brace itself for one of the biggest celebrations of the summer—the Venetian Festival.

And for the 47th time, the festival promises to live up to its reputation for four days of fun and excitement for local residents, people returning to Charlevoix for the holiday, and visitors, according to Jacquie Merta, executive director of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, and Bill Supernaw, director of the Venetian Festival.

"Nothing has changed that much for the festival this year," Mrs. Merta said. "It's not that different, it's just that it will be bigger and better than ever, but that describes it," Supernaw said.

A highlight of this year's Venetian Festival will be a visit by Gov. William Milliken. Milliken will serve as parade marshal for the event scheduled for noon, July 23. Following the parade, Gov. Milliken will be in town for a few hours to visit with area residents and visitors.

Another change in the program this year is the Venetian Pageant of Drums. This year there will be competition between the six corps that will be participating in the program at 8 p.m. Friday at the high school stadium.

Groups—in the program—are: Sargines Windor, Guardamen, Midshipmen Drum and Bugle Corps,

Bandettes, General Putnam's Men and the Entertainers.

Opening this year's festivities will be the Venetian Queen Pageant at 8 p.m. Thursday in the high school gym, and the Northern Shows carnival which will be in the city parking lot by Round Lake.

On Friday the pageant of drums will begin at 8 p.m. and the annual Charlevoix Venetian Fastpitch Tourney will also begin that day.

Activities will begin Saturday at 10 a.m. with the Doll and Dressing Parade followed by the Lions Club traditional chicken cook-out at 11 a.m. The Grand Venetian Street Parade will begin at noon followed by an open house aboard the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Sundew and entertainment in the park with the Midshipmen, the Charlevoix Music Theatre and the National Summer Palaestrum. The Charlevoix Junior Open will also begin at the tennis courts during the afternoon.

At 7 p.m. the Charlevoix City Band will perform and the Venetian Queen and her court will be introduced. The Venetian Yacht Parade will be held at 10 p.m. followed by the fireworks display.

Sunday will see the conclusion of the Venetian Festival with the finals of the annual fastpitch tournament and the junior tennis open. The carnival will also be in town for the last day.

ASTHMA

When the supply of nerve energy to the inter-related parts of the breathing apparatus is impeded, the resulting condition is known as "asthma".

Asthma sufferers know of the discomforts - the wheezing, coughing and difficulty in breathing - which accompany attacks.



Dr. Jeffrey Ricks

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Community Calendar

Fran Martin
547-4433

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Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at County Building Annex 9:30 a.m.

Charlevoix County Chapter, Michigan Association for the Blind, will meet at the First State Bank Community Room, Charlevoix, 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at tack room, airport hangar 8 p.m.

Mary Brewster Circle of the First Congregational Church will meet with Mrs. Woodbury Ransom, Belvedere Club, 9:30 a.m. Co-hosts: Mrs. Forrest

Fowler; Program: Ores Schroeder of the Chip Counseling Center.

Margaret Parker circle of the First Congregational church will meet at the Ferry ave. beach for a 1:30 p.m.

Thursday, July 14
TOPS, Christ Episcopal church, 8 p.m. Business meeting: 6:30 p.m.

Friday, July 15
Grandview Medical Care Facility Auxiliary will meet at the Facility 2 p.m.

V.F.W. will meet at the post home 8 p.m. American Legion will meet at the post home 8 p.m.

Grandview Medical Care Auxiliary will hold its annual membership luncheon at the facility at 1 p.m.

Friday, July 15
Al-Anon Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ church 8 p.m. For relatives and friends of problem drinkers. For more information call 547-2145.

Annual Grandview Medical Care Facility tag day in picnic.

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American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m. Men's Prayer meeting 7 a.m. Community Church of God. Bloodmobile at American Legion post home 17 p.m. Quota: 175 units.

Wednesday, August 17
Annual Country Fair featuring a bazaar, bake sale and salad luncheon at First Congregational church. Sponsored by Women's Fellowship. Bazaar and bake sale: 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Salad luncheon will be served from 11:30 a.m.-2 p.m.

Thursday, August 18
Charlevoix Chapter No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet at Masonic Temple 4 p.m.

Friday, August 19
TOPS, Christ Episcopal church undercroft, 6 p.m. For wigh-in: Business meeting: 8:30 p.m.

Saturday, August 20
Petoskey Whirl-Away Western Square Dance group will meet at Lincoln school, Petoskey, 8-10:30 p.m. Members are asked to bring sandwiches. Visitors are welcome.

Sunday, August 21
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.

Electric rates expected to rise in fall

Batten the hatches and get out the lanterns, folks, electric rates are expected to go up again.

Charlevoix Common Council approved an agreement between the Michigan Public Power

Payers Association and Consumers Power Co. for a 7 percent increase in electrical costs.

The power company contends that the current rates it with a deficit of \$1.8 million.

Mayor Edward Hansen explained that the power company originally had planned to seek approval of a 1 percent increase for the power buyers. However, following negotiations with the power buyers group, the power

company agreed to hold the line at the lower level.

Hansen said the power buyers group expected the power company to apply for the rate hike on Nov. 10.

"If the hike is granted or not is up to the Public Service Commission," he said. "This agreement was made prior to

the filing for the rate hike to preclude the need for litigation."

The power buyers and the power company recently ended 15 months of litigation over a rate hike by the company. The litigation resulted in a \$47,000 rebate for the City of Charlevoix. However, more than \$200,000 was spent by the power buyers group during the litigation.

In other action, council also approved a variance for a front yard setback at the Clayton Scott residence at 402 Michigan Ave.

The Scotts would like to construct a new brick stairway up to their home. However, the changes in the stairway construction involve encroachment of the front yard setback.

After deliberating in a session of the Zoning Board of Appeals, it was decided to grant the setback.

Council also agreed to apply for a parade permit for the Grand Venetian Parade at noon July 23 and to allow the carnival rides to be set up in the Clinton Street parking lot.

Previously the carnival had been set up in Kautsky's parking lot on Hurst Street but due to the construction of a new office building on the lot, the carnival had to be moved.

Council also inquired about the state of road paving in the city. The group asked City administrator Allen Sandberg to prepare a suggested list of streets in need of paving for the next meeting.

Commissioners to meet on county business

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet in regular session this Wednesday morning, at 9:30 in the Courthouse Annex.

Included on the agenda are:



One of Charlevoix's distinguished addresses situated on a corner lot with an adjoining lot. This large older Charlevoix home with its many unique features is a delight to tour.

Fireplaces abound, with one in the spacious living room, another in the formal dining room and yet another in the master bedroom.

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Summer jobs available for teens from DNR

There will be some summer jobs available for local boys and girls from 15 to 21, according to State Sen.-Robert Davis.

He has announced that a bill recently approved by the Legislature will enable youths to begin work shortly on conservation projects on public lands. Age is the only qualification set by the Legislature.

"The bill appropriates \$5 million for this special Youth employment program which will last for up to 10 weeks," Davis says. The money is allocated to the State Department of Natural Resources.

60 Halverson descendants gather for family reunion

More than 60 descendants of the Sammel and Mary Halverson gathered recently for a long-planned family reunion.

The event brought together five remaining daughters from among their 12 children, 10 of whom reached adulthood. Gathering for the reunion were Mrs. Richard (Alma) Fairweather of Clive, Mass.; Mrs. Earl (Gertrude) Gillette of Grand Rapids; Mrs. Wayne (Helen) Belding of San Carlos, Calif.; Mrs. Frederick (Irene) de Castro.

The family enjoyed a dinner and reunion at the American Legion post home and the following day a picnic at the Ironton cottage of Mrs. de Castro.

City band opens play with a toot



THE CHARLEVOIX CITY Band opened its season with a toot Thursday following a week's delay due to inclement weather. The band performs in East Park at 8 p.m. Thursdays.

The band, some 30 members strong, played for a delighted audience of more than 100 Charlevoix residents and visitors ranging in age from two to 82.

Concerts will be held at 8 p.m. Thursdays in East Park.

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MUSIC BY THE city band held this little girl's attention throughout the evening concert.

Accompanying her at piano is another performer, Carmen Cavallaro.

Dinner theater brings back favorites



JAN WADE LITTRUP sings her version of "My Heart Belongs to Daddy," during a presentation of the Charlevoix Music Theatre at Grey Gables.

Accompanying her at piano is another performer, Carmen Cavallaro.

You've been humming your favorite tune from a Broadway musical all day long and you'd love to hear it sung professionally, but you just don't want to sit through the entire show.

Charlevoix Music Theatre has just the thing for you, an all new program called, "Broadway's Best."

"The program is the story of Broadway in song," Producer Larry Brooks explained. "It's a musical revue of 50 years of Broadway's best."

The music theater brought back four of its top performers, Jon Wade Littrup, John Hale, Paul Kerr and Carmen Cavallaro for the opening weeks of its season at the Grey Gables Inn dinner theater.

The program, which includes such favorites as "If I Loved You," "Knowing I'm on the Street Where You Live," and "If I Were a Rich Man," is designed to set your feet tapping and hands clapping.

Other songs come from such musicals as Showboat, Carousel, Music Man, Oklahoma, South Pacific, My Fair Lady, Guys and Dolls, West Side Story, Fiddler on the Roof, Godspell and Hair.

Brooks said the dinner-theater program will change every two weeks as new performers in the Charlevoix Music Theatre company come to the area to perform their favorites for area residents and visitors.

As the show changes, certain key songs will remain, Brooks said.



PAUL KERR and John Hale cut up while singing "There is Nothing Like a Dame," from the Broadway hit "South Pacific."

"We hope to get people performing songs in the revue that they have actually done in the musical," he said. "They can give the song a different feel."

The music theater will be performing Wednesday through Saturday nights until Sept. 3. Performances start at 8 p.m. and reservations can be made by calling the Grey Gables Inn.

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Applications are now available at the City Treasurer's Office which must be filed before September 15, 1977 to allow deferment until February 15, 1978.

Annette Cunningham
Treasurer City of Charlevoix

Dairy Queen freezes undefeated Kusina



PAM PANSEL and Peggy Kusina, players on Kusina Motors team, double up for this out during the Dairy Queen Kusina Motors match. Dairy Queen put the freeze on the previously undefeated Kusina beating them twice last week.

The game of the week in the Charlevoix Women's Slo-pitch League was between the two undefeated Kusina Motors and Dairy Queen.

Dairy Queen emerged victorious in the hard-fought battle with a 10-9 score. Dairy Queen hurler Cindy Kitley let up 13 hits while previously undefeated Pam Pansel let only 6 hits go by.

In a second meeting between the two teams during a make-up session on Sunday, Dairy Queen again routed the Kusina team. In extra innings, Dairy Queen took the game 10-6. Pam Pansel of Kusina, let up 13 hits while Cindy Kitley let 12 go by.

But Dairy Queen's victory celebration was a short one as they were defeated by the County State Bank team in further make-up play.

County Bank dropped the league leaders 9-8. Jodi Alger had the win with eight hits and Cindy Kitley took the loss on 10 hits.

In other action last week, Topside defeated Tri-City Asphalt 16-11. Carol Vassiliou was the winning pitcher on 13 hits while Clara Martin let 15 hits go by.

Kentucky Fried Chicken was defeated by Village Inn Pizza 16-6. Sue Peters took the win on 11 hits while Robin Pardee had 10 hits. Cherry Morris had one home run for Village Inn Pizza.

County State Bank dropped Medusa 11-8. Jodi Alger took the win on 13 hits while Carol White had the loss on 11 hits. Janet Leist hit a homer for Medusa.

In Thursday's play, the Village Inn Pizza ran over Tri-City Asphalt 9-3. Sue Peters was credited with the win on four hits while Betty Bergmann had the loss on eight hits.

Village Inn had a hot night as they won a second game, dropping Kentucky Fried Chicken 19-3. Marge Carey took the win with two hits and the loss on nine hits.

Carla Sizemore had the loss on 10 hits. Debbie Shores had a homer for VIP.

The County State Bank chalked up another win for the week with a routing of the Topside 11-1. Jodi Alger took the win on a mere two hits while Terry Wells had the loss with eight hits.

In make-up play, Kusina Motors dropped Village Inn Pizza in a high scoring game 18-12. Pam Pansel had the win on 10 hits while Sue Peters took the loss with 15 hits.

Topside defeated Kentucky Fried Chicken, 6-3. Terry Wells had the win with just two hits and Billie Faltling took the loss with a low seven hits.

Medusa then defeated Topside 10-7. Carol White took the win with eight hits while Terry Wells had the loss on 12 hits.

Medusa then lost to Village Inn Pizza 6-3. Sue Peters took the win on five hits and Carol White was credited with the loss on nine hits.

Chesters continues in winning ways

Chesters Boat Ivery continued in its winning ways last week in the Charlevoix Township Slo-pitch League play.

Chesters' dropped Kooz Construction 12-4. Greg Revor was credited with the win on 11 hits and Jerry Deroshe let 16 hits go by including a home run to Terry Drew.

In the second game of Tuesday's play the Air Force defeated VFW 16-6. George Danson took the win with Ken Burke on the losing side. Both pitchers let 11 hits go by.

In Wednesday's play the Coast Guard dropped Tri-City Wall Drilling 11-6. Richard Seltsick took the win on 11 hits. Harold Thorne took the loss on 13 hits including home runs to David Cyr, John Rolis and Doug Kolsh.

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His first appearance in a tournament netted Mohan a record 66, four strokes better than the nearest contender. He also won the pro-am and placed second in the pro-superintendent.

Mohan also took a third in the Pepsi Pro-Pro best ball and, tied for third in the Lakeshore Golf Classic.

Kit Carson, Erber, Wojan's take victories in men's league

Kit Carson, Erber Auto and Wojan's Aluminum were the victors in last week's Charlevoix Recreation Men's Slo-Pitch League action.

Kit Carson handily defeated the G-Men 6-3 in Wednesday night play. Jeff Collins was credited with the win on seven hits while losing pitcher Bob Holtzman had 14 hits.

Pat Kerr hit two home runs for the G-Men and Bernie DeVries had one homer for Kit Carson.

Erber Auto squeaked by Fred Taylor, Inc., 6-5 in the second game of the evening. John Greene took the win and Tim Elenbaas was saddled with the loss. Both pitchers allowed 10 hits.

There were no home runs during the game. Wojan's Aluminum got back on the winning trail defeating the Credit Union 12-9. Gary Balch took the win on 16 hits while Ed Holm went to the loser's bracket with 18 hits.

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Courier Sports

Former local amateur golfer doing well on pro circuit

Former local amateur golfer Keith Mohan is making his mark on the pro circuit. Mohan turned pro in September and last March joined the staff of the Oak Hill Country Club in New York. The club was the site of the 1968 U.S. Open and will host the 1980 PGA Championship.

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CHARLEVOIX SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION

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6:00 p.m. Kit Carson vs. Hospital
7:15 p.m. Fred Taylor, Inc. vs. Medusa
8:30 p.m. Erber Auto vs. Townhouse

Friday, July 15
6:00 p.m. Beebe's G. M. vs. Wagon Aluminum
7:15 p.m. Erber Auto vs. Hawk
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Women's League
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6:00 p.m. Kit Carson vs. Dairy Queen
7:15 p.m. Medusa vs. Kusina Motors
8:30 p.m. County State Bank vs. Tri-City Asphalt

Thursday, July 14
6:00 p.m. Village Inn Pizza vs. Dairy Queen
7:15 p.m. Topside vs. Kusina
8:30 p.m. Ky. Fried Chicken vs. Medusa

Tuesday, July 19
6:00 p.m. Dairy Queen vs. Tri-City Asphalt
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Friday, July 22
6:00 p.m. White Sox vs. Red Sox
7:00 p.m. Green Sox vs. Grey Sox
8:00 p.m. Black Sox vs. Blue Sox

Monday, July 18
6:00 p.m. White Sox vs. Yellow Sox
7:00 p.m. Red Sox vs. Orange Sox
8:00 p.m. Blue Sox vs. Green Sox

CHARLEVOIX TOWNSHIP SOFTBALL ASSOCIATION
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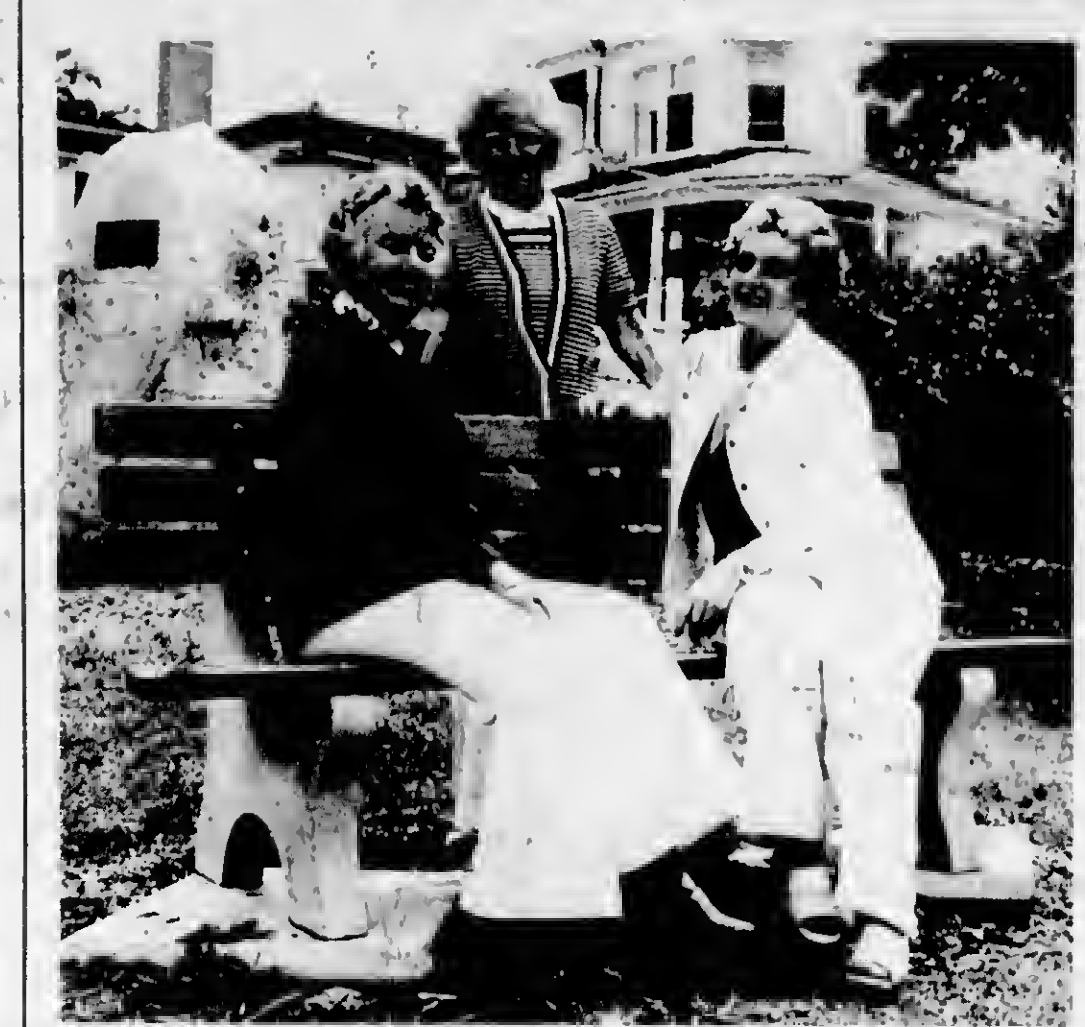
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Park dedicated to Fr. Charlevoix

Charlevoix now has a park commemorating its namesake, French Jesuit Father Pierre Francois Xavier de Charlevoix.

The Charlevoix Area

Garden Club held dedication ceremonies in the Pere Charlevoix Park on West Dixon Avenue last week, presenting the mini-park to the city as a part of the park system.



ESTHER BLEHA, past president of the Charlevoix Area Garden Club, and Alderman Jeannine Wallace test out the new bench at the Pere Charlevoix Park on West Dixon Avenue as Wilma Stabnick, president of the garden club, watches.

The idea of a park dedicated to Father Charlevoix was suggested by Esther Bleha, past president of the garden club, as a community bi-centennial project. Garden club members and several Charlevoix residents worked for more than a year setting up the park and researching the history of Father Charlevoix.

The park, overlooking Lake Michigan, contains boulders and Liberty trees as well as two parks benches for those who would like to enjoy the beauty of a Northern Michigan sunset.

John Campbell designed and landscaped the park along with Mrs. Bleha and her committee consisting of Mrs. Edward Edwards, Mrs. Dale Glass, Mrs. Conrad Klooster, Mrs. Edward Lewand, Mrs. Hubert Padlock and Mrs. Gerald Stabnick.

Other members of the community assisting the garden club with the project were: Robert Close, Robert Winchester, Gerald Stabnick, Charles Bleha, Swanson Contracting and Medusa Cement Co.

Delegates picked for VFW meeting

Delegates to the state convention of the V.F.W. and Auxiliary were named at a recent meeting of the V.F.W. Auxiliary held at the post home.

Mrs. Arlene Staley and Mrs. Russell Goldstick were elected delegates and Mrs. Ruth Browne and Mrs. Mary Louise Novaty alternates to the convention.

The auxiliary of the V.F.W. is observing its golden anniversary this year. Plans for marking the event locally and for a visit to V.F.W. National Home at Eaton Rapids were discussed. The home is supported solely by the V.F.W. and Auxiliaries across the U.S.

The group also voted to make a contribution to the Ypsilanti State Hospital for the purchase of furniture.

Service families hold picnic

Service men and their families stationed at the U.S. Air Force Detachment in Bay Shore report that their annual picnic held recently at Whiting Park was a big success.

Several contests provided entertainment for all and prizes for the winners. Among them were Sue Stephens in the women's mail-driving contest, Laura McGibney in the women's horse shoe throw,

Following the business meeting at which Mrs. Rosemary Warner presided, members sorted clothing to be sent to the Holy Childhood school at Harbor Springs. Others worked on crafts and painted bird houses as a part of the Auxiliary's Ecology and Community Service program. They are to be given to senior citizens of the V.F.W. and its Auxiliary.

The Auxiliary continues to collect "Cents Off" coupons. Betty Crocker coupons and all types of trading stamps for the National Home at Eaton Rapids. Universal Code stamps are no longer being collected.

Earlier the V.F.W. and its Auxiliary had held a potluck supper for members and their guests.

The most popular children's event was the scramble for riches as \$10 in coins rained to the ground.

The Air Force is grateful to the several area business people who helped make the picnic fun for all.



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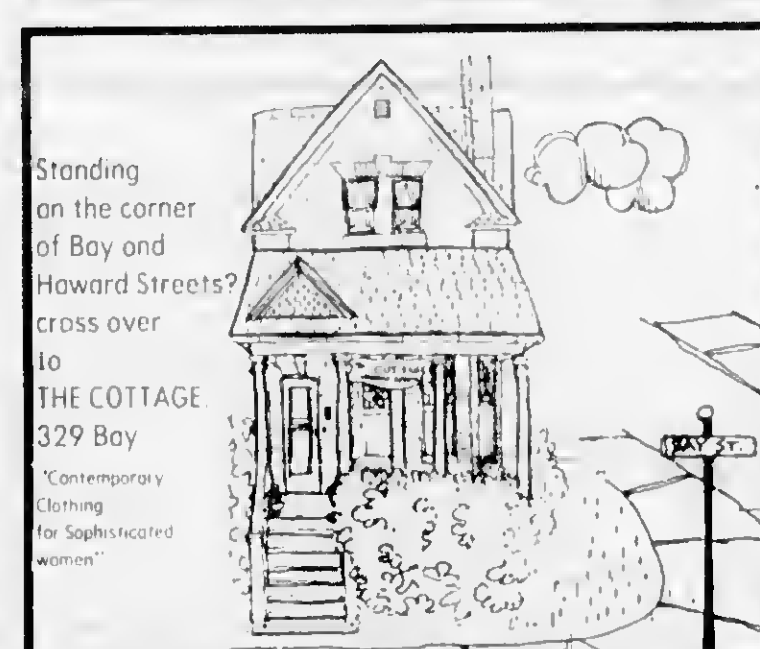
Petoskey, Michigan

Little Traverse Bay has quiet beauty and unforgettable charm. When the setting sun spreads its radiance near the waters, it is indeed lovely from the vantage point of the limestone cliff on which the city of Petoskey now stands, the setting sun provides a spectacular show. The Indians created a legend about it. Since the first settlers and sightseers arrived over one hundred years ago, the beauty of the sunset has been a thing of wonder and awe to all.

Very few white people had seen a sunset over Little Traverse Bay on that late fall day in 1863, when the first train whistled to a stop at the end of its line.

On board was a reporter for a Grand Rapids newspaper, who in reporting on the wilderness scenery, dubbed it Petoskey's Million Dollar Sunset.

The metamorphosis of Petoskey was rapid. It grew from a small indian settlement on the margin of clear river, to a dynamic, busy village catering to the needs of sightseers and homesteaders, to a house of visitors, attractions and other luxury hotels were constructed overnight. Rooming houses for



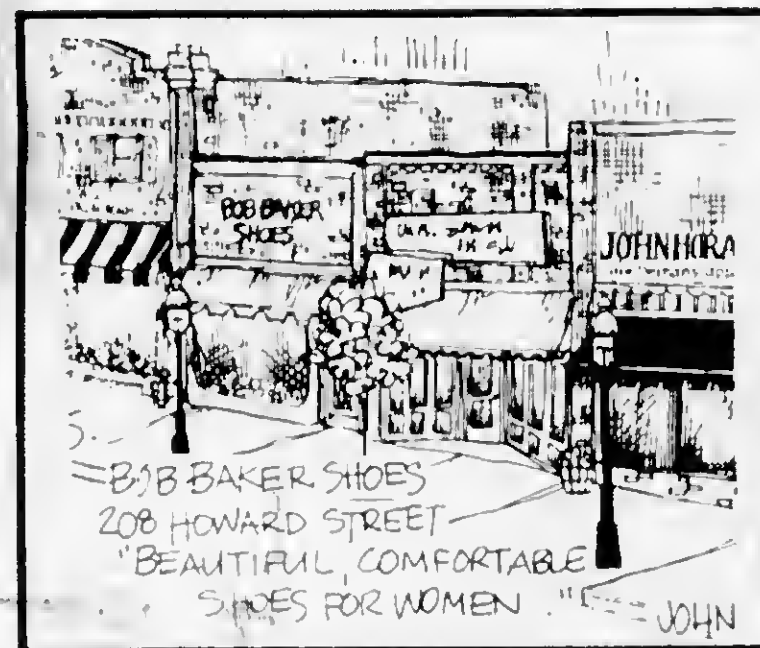
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the best clothing were soon to follow. By 1870 a substantial number of shops had sprung up along the main street, creating a very unique pioneer shopping area. Along the Bay River waterpower was harnessed to run sawmills, flour mills, hardwood flooring industries, butter leaf factories, and furniture making industries. The limestone cliffs along Little Traverse Bay provided Petoskey with lime, a natural resource of great importance to the industrial development of the town.

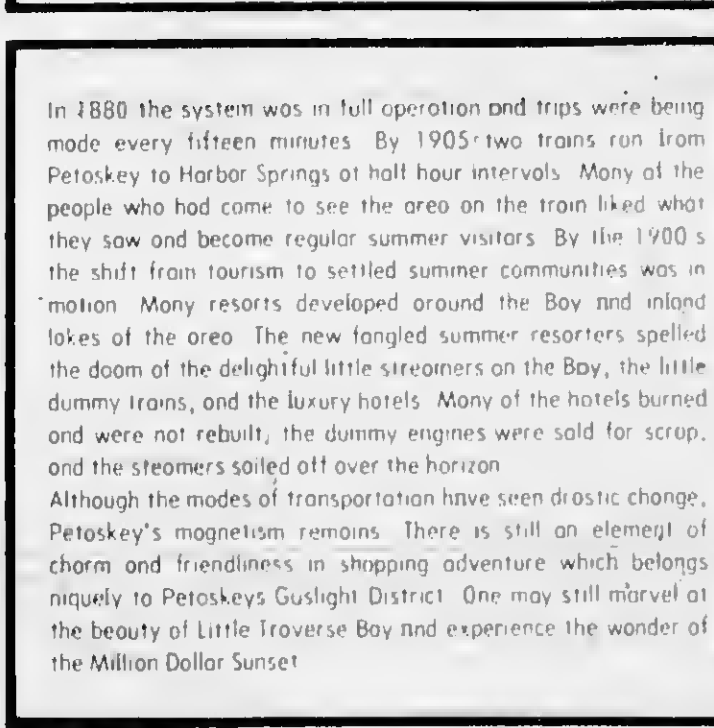
Little steamers plied the Bay, and the summer visitors who registered at Petoskey hotels and rooming houses took advantage of the many excursions offered. The most popular trip was the Circular or Island Route. This lengthy excursion took the traveler up the coastline of Little Traverse Bay into Lake Michigan, around to Mackinac Island, on to Cheboygan and then down the chain of rivers and lakes to what is now Conway. Until the quaint little dummy trains were in operation, the excursionists were jolted back to Petoskey from Conway by wagon and team.



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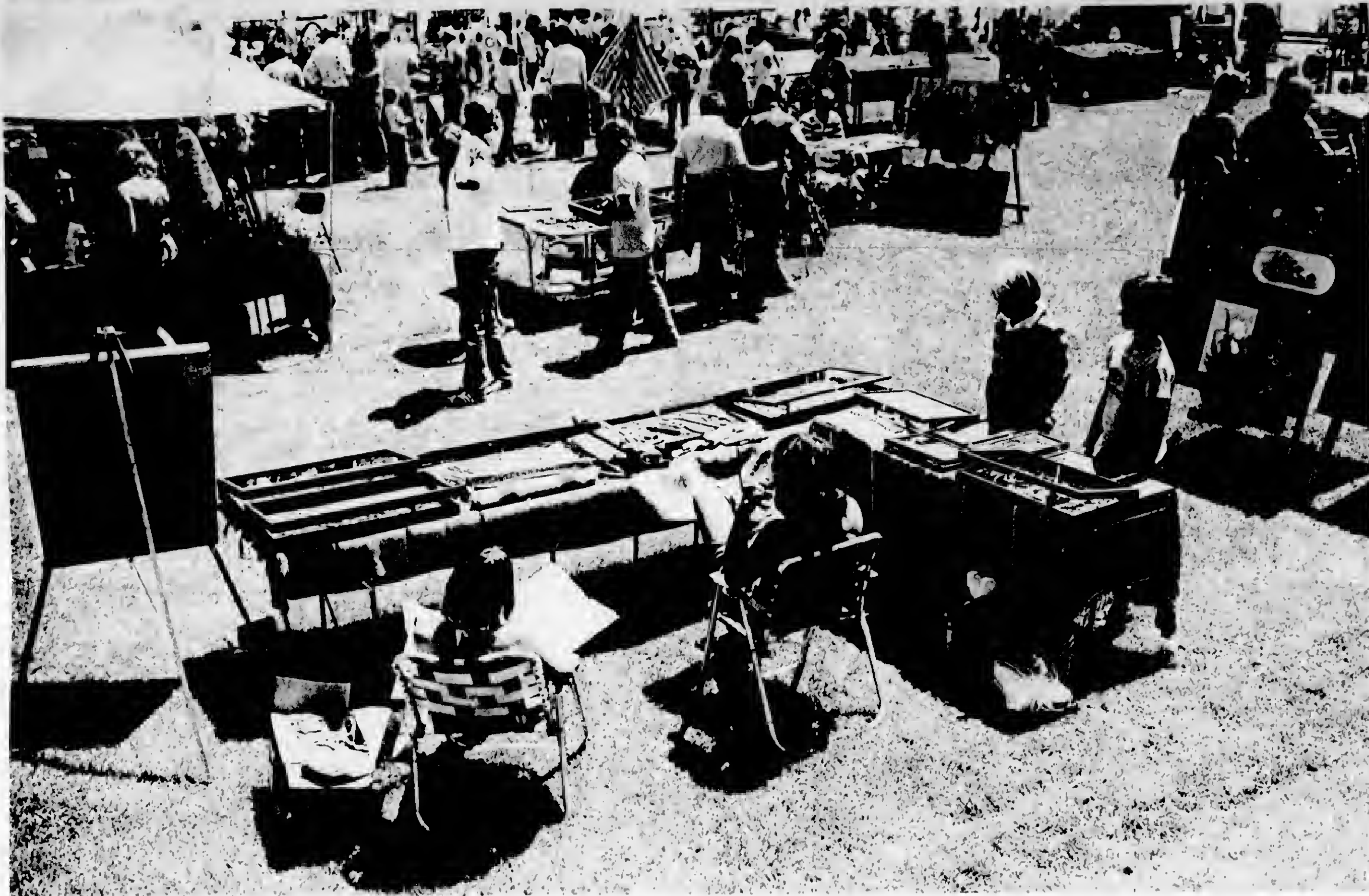
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In 1880 the system was in full operation and trips were being made every fifteen minutes. By 1905 two trains, run from Petoskey to Harbor Springs at half hour intervals. Many of the people who had come to see the area on the train liked what they saw and became regular summer visitors. By the 1920's the shift from tourism to settled summer communities was in motion. Many resorts developed around the Bay and inland lakes of the area. The new fangled summer resorts spelled the demise of the old little steamers on the Bay, the little dummy trains, and the luxury hotels. Many of the hotels burned and were not rebuilt, the dummy engines were sold for scrap and the steamers sailed off over the horizon.

Although the modes of transportation have seen drastic change, Petoskey's magnetism remains. There is still an element of charm and friendliness in shopping adventure which belongs uniquely to Petoskey's Gaslight District. One may still marvel at the beauty of Little Traverse Bay and experience the wonder of the Million Dollar Sunset.



Hobbycraft Fair brightens East Park with talent



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Mr. and Mrs. Gary Strange

Paula Potter weds Gary L. Strange

Arrangements of peonies and Canterbury bells and lighted tapers graced the altar of the Community Reformed Church for the July 1 afternoon wedding of Paula J. Potter and Gary L. Strange.

The Rev. Larry Groeters officiated at the double ring service in the presence of 150 guests. Mrs. John L. Boss, at the organ, provided the music for the ceremony, playing a program of traditional music, the processional and the recessional. She also accompanied the soloists, Eric Cherry of Petoskey, brother-in-law of the bride, and Marvin Shooks of Central Lake.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Potter of Charlevoix and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Strange of Ellsworth.

Potter gave his daughter in marriage. It marked the fifth time in 13 months he had escorted one of his daughters to the altar.

For her wedding the bride chose a gown of satapeau and Cluny lace fashioned with a V-bodice high ruffled collar, bishop sleeves with ruffled cuffs and an A-line skirt with a double flounce and chapel length train. Her fingertip veil was secured with a band of lace. She carried a bridal bouquet of white roses, sweet william and baby's breath.

Amy Potter assisted her sister as maid of honor and her other four sisters were bridesmaids. They were Mrs. Eric Cherry of Petoskey, Mrs. Joseph Vogelheim of Grand Ledge, Mrs. Richard Miller of Spring Arbor and Mrs. Wilson

Boss. They wore identical empire gowns of pink dotted swiss polyester knit styled with scoop necklines, full gathered skirts, cap sleeves and attached side string ties. They carried clusters of sweet william and baby's breath.

Brian Farrell of Ellsworth was his cousin's best man. Daniel Strange of Central Lake and Greg Strange of Traverse City, brothers of the bridegroom, Rick Donaldson of Alpena, brother-in-law of the bridegroom and Steve Grosse of East Jordan were groomsmen and ushers.

Mrs. Potter selected a mint-green gown fashioned with a lace overlay bodice and pleated skirt for her daughter's wedding. Mrs. Strange, mother of the bridegroom, wore a sleeveless blue A-line gown with a gathered bodice.

A reception, given by the bride's parents, followed at the Fellowship Hall of the church. Mrs. Rick Donaldson of Alpena, sister of the bridegroom, attended the guest book. Mrs. Gary Drenth of Ellsworth, sister of the bridegroom, and Mrs. Greg Strange of Traverse City, sister-in-law of the bridegroom, served the cake and Mrs. Daniel Strange of Central Lake served the punch.

After a northern wedding trip, the couple will reside at 731 Fitzhugh Drive, Traverse City. The bridegroom is employed by a Traverse City construction firm.

A rehearsal dinner was hosted by the bridegroom's parents on Friday evening.

Engaged

Merritt-Osterberg

Paula Lynn Merritt and Paul F. Osterberg, both of Charlevoix, are engaged to be married.

The bride-to-be is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Vining of Hollywood, Florida, and her fiancé is the son of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Osterberg of Charlevoix.

Miss Merritt is employed by the Charlevoix Title Company. Osterberg, who is studying landscape architecture at Michigan State University, is working in that field this summer.

Miss Merritt graduated from South Broward High School in Hollywood and later attended Broward Community College. Osterberg is a 1972 graduate of Charlevoix High School.

The young couple plan to be married on October 22.

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Congregational women plan luncheon, bazaar fair

The Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational Church will present its annual Country Fair and salad-casserole luncheon at the church at Park ave. and State st. on July 20.

Mrs. James Hiller and Mrs. Robert Lieberman are co-chairpersons of the popular annual event which will feature a bazaar and bake sale in addition to the casserole-

salad luncheon.

Featured at the bazaar will be a biscuit quilt on which the members have been working all winter and an antique quilt which has been donated by Mrs. M. H. Purdy. A host of other handmade items will also be available including pillows of every description, tote bags, baby quilts, pinafores, Christmas items plus various other booths

including attic treasures.

The luncheon will be served from 11:30 a.m. until 1:30 p.m. It will feature hot casseroles, a wide variety of salads, rolls, dessert and a choice of beverages. Mrs. Eugene Bergmann is chairman of this event.

The Margaret Parker circle will be in charge of the bake sale which will offer a choice of home-baked goodies.



MARY HELEN RIGGLE and Alice Bellinger display some of the bazaar items that will be for sale during the Congregational Church Women's Fellowship County Fair next week.

Picnic, speaker highlight service for Methodists

A guest speaker will address a joint worship service for Greenway Hill Church and Charlevoix United Methodist Church congregations Sunday.

The Rev. Leona Winegarden, former minister for both congregations will address the group at the 11 a.m. service on the Greenway Hill grounds. A potluck picnic will follow the service.

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Obituary

Nellie Chavall
Funeral services for Mrs. Nellie C. Chavall, 83, who died July 4 at the Grandview Medical Care Facility where she had been a patient for 14 months were held recently at the Winchester Funeral Home. Interment was in Brookside Cemetery.

Born in Charlevoix March 28, 1894, the former Nellie C. Hull was married to Frank Chavall on Jan. 1, 1915, in Charlevoix. They made their home here until the early 1940's when they went to Flint to live, returning here in the 1950's. She was a member of the United Methodist church. Besides her husband she is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lester (Doris) Teague of Mt. Clemens and Mrs. Dale (Frances) McCann of Flint; four grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; four brothers, Fred Hull of Nor-

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LEGAL
STATE OF MICHIGAN
IN THE CIRCUIT COURT
FOR THE COUNTY
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FILE NO. 77-21465 CH
OF CHARLEVOIX COUNTY
STATE BANK,
Plaintiff,
vs.
SIGNET REALTY and INVESTMENT CO.,
a Michigan Corporation, and
GLEN D. HARRIS and
PATRICIA HARRIS,
jointly and severally,
Defendants.

ORDER TO APPEAR
At a session of said Court held in the Courtroom in the City of Charlevoix, Michigan on the 22nd day of June, 1977.

PRESENT: The Honorable Martin B. Breighner, Circuit Judge.

On the 13th day of May, 1977, an action was filed by Charlevoix County State Bank, Plaintiff, against Signet Realty and Investment Co., Glen D. Harris and Patricia Harris, Defendants, in this Court, to adjudicate Defendants indebted to Plaintiff under the terms of a Promissory Note dated 14, September 1973, Mortgage recorded in Liber 138, Page 981, Charlevoix County Records, and the personal guarantees of Defendants Glen D. Harris and Patricia Harris of the obligations of Defendant Signet Realty Investment Co. to Plaintiff, and for foreclosure of the aforementioned and referred to Mortgage.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the Defendants Signet Realty and Investment Co., a Michigan corporation, and Glen D. Harris and Patricia Harris shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before 10:00 a.m. on July 15, 1977.

Failure to comply with this Order will result in a judgment by default against said Defendants for relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

Martin B. Breighner, Circuit Judge

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Attorneys for Plaintiff
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(7/6, 7/13, 7/20, 7/27)

LEGAL
NOTICE OF SALE
Default having been made in the condition of a certain mortgage made the 1st day of December, 1976, by MARLIN R. SEMPERT and SANDRA K. SEMPERT as Mortgagor, to NORTHWESTERN SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, Mortgagee, and recorded on December 2, 1976, in the office of the Register of Deeds for Charlevoix County, Michigan, in Liber 147, Pages 934-938, inclusive, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this Notice TWENTY-SIX THOUSAND FIVE HUNDRED (\$26,500.00) DOLLARS principal; SIXTEEN HUNDRED TWO AND 10/100 (\$1,602.84) DOLLARS interest and insurance and TWENTY FIVE and 14/100 (\$25.14) DOLLARS late charges; no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt, or any part of the debt, secured by said mortgage, and the power of sale in said mortgage contained having become operative by reason of said default.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Friday, August 5, 1977, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon at the Courtroom in the City of Charlevoix, Michigan, there will be a public sale, for the purpose of satisfying the amounts due and unpaid upon said mortgage, together with the legal costs and charges of sale, including an attorney fee of Seventy-five (\$75.00) Dollars provided by law and in said mortgage, the lands and premises in said mortgage mentioned and described as follows, to wit:

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Icebreaking efforts win Sundew crew Admiral's honor

The officers and crew of the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Sundew received a personal commendation recently from Admiral J.C. Gracey, Commander, Ninth Coast Guard District, at an informal ceremony held on the buoy deck of the cutter.

Adm. Gracey who had flown in for the brief ceremony. Adm. Gracey then presented to each man who had served aboard the ship during the winter of 1977 with a small paper weight bearing the same medallion as found on the plaque.

During the brief ceremony he commended the men for their efforts in keeping navigation open during the major part of the worst weather experienced in recent years.

A plaque commending the Officers and Crew of the Sundew as the "Ice Fighters of 1977" was presented to Lt. Cmdr. James V. O'Neill by



ADMIRAL JAMES GRACEY gives a plaque honoring the Sundew crew for their winter efforts to Lt. Cmdr. James O'Neill.

Last bloodmobile scheduled July 19

The last Bloodmobile for 1977 will be in Charlevoix Tuesday, July 19. Mrs. David Fowler, chairperson of the drive, has announced.

Because the quota for Charlevoix county has been increased, Charlevoix's quota will be 175 units or pints.

The Bloodmobile will be located at the American Legion post home from 1 to 7 p.m.

A telephone committee will be contacting previous donors

to schedule them for appointments. If you were a caller for the last blood drive, Mrs. Fowler said you are asked to consider this article as a reminder to call the people on your donors' list again.

Anyone wishing to make an appointment is asked to call either 547-9686 or 547-9890. Parent permission slips for 17 year old donors are available at the high school office.

Missionary to address

Assembly of God congregation

The Rev. Richard Larson, an Assemblies of God missionary to Columbia, will be guest speaker on July 17 at 7 p.m. at the Charlevoix Assembly of God Church.

Larson and his wife, Janice, have been missionaries since 1965, serving in Costa Rica and Panama. For the past year they have been on assignment as resident missionaries at North Central Bible College in Minneapolis.

When they return to the mission field, they will be working in Bogota, Columbia, where they plan to establish an evangelistic center.

During this mission service, Rev. Larson will show a color video-tape of a television program used as an evangelism outreach in Panama. Pastor Schorsch of the local church extends an invitation to all to attend.

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Islanders find pilots for air-evac plane

ST. JAMES - Three new pilots have been found to fly the emergency evacuation plane on Beaver Island.

Officials of St. James and Peaine townships had three pilots tested Saturday by James Janda, former pilot for the air evac plane on the island. All three pilots were proclaimed qualified to fly the Beaver Island Beaver by Janda.

The names of Wayne Chapman, Bob Haverman and Bob McLaughlin will now be submitted to the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners as the new pilots for the plane, Joseph Martin, Peaine Township clerk, said.

The Beaver Island township officials took action to find new pilots for the air evac plane following receipt of a letter from William Welke and his sons, Paul and Mark, saying they would no longer maintain and fly the emergency vehicle.

The Welkes had flown and serviced

the plane on a voluntary basis for the Beaver Island residents since the plane was acquired for emergency use on the island by the Charlevoix County Civil Defense Department in 1974.

In his letter of resignation, Welke cited lack of cooperation from the township officials as the reason for the decision to quit flying the plane.

"I'm tired of all the flak," Welke explained in a telephone interview. "It's a long, long story, but as far as I'm concerned they can get somebody else to fly the plane. I'd just as soon not have anything to do with it."

Welke said that politics on the island had been part of the problem during his operation of the plane. He said he was often harassed after he had used the plane.

"We were doing this on a strictly voluntary basis," he said. "They needed someone to fly the plane and we said we

would. But they can get somebody else."

Martin said there had been some question by township residents and officials about Welke's use of the plane. He added that there was no love lost between Welke and the township officials.

"Whatever flak he got, he brought on himself," Martin said.

Martin said the township officials had acted quickly to find new pilots for the air evac plane because the residents wanted to keep it on the island.

"There are plenty of places on the island," Martin said. "If there had been an emergency while we didn't have any pilots, (for the air evac plane) people would have been able to get to the mainland anyway."

"It's just that we like to have the air evac plane, too," he said. "It's a community project and we want to keep

it."

The plane was acquired under an excess property program by the civil defense department. The county commissioners paid the cost of buying the plane and transporting it to the island.

The island residents paid to convert the six-passenger plane to an air ambulance and they also pay for the insurance and maintenance costs of the plane.

The plane is utilized strictly as an emergency evacuation plane except when it is used for air and sea search and rescue by the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department.

The sheriff's department has control over the plane, Sheriff George Laaser explained. It is assigned to Beaver Island and controlled on the island by the two townships.



THREE NEW PILOTS have been found to fly the emergency evacuation plane on Beaver Island. William Welke and his sons resigned their positions as pilots for the emergency plane following a conflict with the St. James and Peaine township boards.

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Concert Reaction

Well, our first concert's over and it's left behind the usual shambles of litter along the roadways as well as within the grounds of Castle Farms. I'd like to know who's responsibility this is going to be, and whether in the ensuing concerts we are going to have the same problem. I believe that Nederland should be the one to accept the responsibility of this kind of thing. We have bottles, we have cans, we have all kinds of mess along M-66, both north and south. It's a shame to have to have the whole community exposed to this kind of thing simply for that kind of an operation. Incidentally, that concert did not stop at 10:30 p.m. as was promised and how about ticketing some of the ones that make the litter.

Charter Vote

One would just wonder why the Charter vote was so close by actual vote, yet the absentee votes were all against and very few for, especially in the 2nd and 3rd wards????

Commends Charter Commission

I wish to commend the Charter Commission of the city for what I consider to be an outstanding job and service that they have performed for the citizens of this community over a period of the last two years. Their services have been uncompensated and they have presented to us for the first time an insight into our present form of government, its advantages and disadvantages and the alternatives which we can consider in permanently improving our form of government.

New charters historically do not pass the first time as the public must become interested and educated in government. I trust the charter commission will "go back to the drawing board," effectuate some compromise, continue with the educational process and resubmit a revised charter for people's consideration as soon as possible.

Questions Reason for Surplus

It is common knowledge that Mayor Hansen has been opposed to any consideration of adoption of a new form of government for this city since the charter commission was elected two years ago.

It impresses me as being strange that just prior to the charter election that it was announced that the city has a surplus of \$750,000. It almost appears that this announcement was made to overcome the new charter by way of saying, "Look what great shape we're in. Why change now?"

What disturbs me, from a review of recent city budgets, is that money that had previously been budgeted for improvements for city utilities or purchases of new equipment was not expended when it should have been, thus a \$750,000 surplus.

In my judgement, this surplus should have been expended for the benefit of the city as planned or returned to the pockets of the citizens from where it originally came.

I fear the surplus and our extremely low present millage rate, which the mayor used to overcome the passage of the charter is in fact a political football, and I sincerely hope that the city does not seriously suffer as a result.

On special apartment complex

Housing unit seeks in put from seniors

The Charlevoix Housing Commission is conducting a survey of senior citizens in the area to determine their interest in living in a proposed special senior citizen housing complex in the city.

Interested senior citizens are asked to contact the housing commission at city hall or send in a piece of paper with their name and address on it to the Courier expressing interest in the complex as soon as possible, Ralph McRae, housing commission member, said. (See coupon on page 12.)

The housing commission is attempting to secure funding from Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) and the Federal Department

of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) through a special joint program, McRae said.

A market analysis of the area was recently conducted by a Big Rapids firm to determine the need for senior citizen housing. The interest survey the housing commission is now conducting is needed to help support the findings of the needs survey in the housing commission's request for funds for the senior citizen complex, McRae said.

The housing commission member said the proposed project would be similar to the senior citizen complexes in East Jordan and Boyne City.

"It will be 100 percent senior citizen

housing," McRae said. "There won't be any low income housing mixed in with it."

"When you talk about low income housing, you're talking about people with incomes of \$7,000. We're talking about people who live on social security with incomes of \$3,000."

McRae said under the proposed housing project, senior citizen residents would pay no more than 25 percent of their income for housing. If 25 percent of the senior citizens incomes does not cover the rent, the rent payments will be subsidized by HUD.

Under this program, FmHA will supply the funds for construction of the

building and HUD will supply funds for rent subsidies," McRae said.

McRae said under the proposed program, the rules were not so stringent as far as the location of the senior citizen housing complex is concerned. One of the main problems with constructing a senior housing complex in the past has been finding a location that met all the requirements set up by the government.

Under past programs the Michigan Housing Authority has required that senior citizens housing be situated within 1,500 feet of a competitive grocery and with in 1,500 feet of a competitive drug store.

Running restaurant a family affair for Lila

By PAULA HOLMES

For Lila West, running a restaurant is a family affair.

It's been that way since she opened the Parkside Dining Room 44 years ago.



Lila West

And once again this summer, Mrs. West has opened the doors of the Parkside with some of her family on hand to help keep things running smoothly.

Her daughter, Charlene Pierce, manages the dining room while her son-in-law, Victor Pierce, is the chef. The Pierces have been helping Mrs. West operate the restaurant for several years.

Charlene is well-known among Charlevoix residents and visitors for her lavish outfits and the diamonds in her teeth.

A second daughter, Betty Boes, came from California to work as head waitress for her mother this summer. And that's the way it should be in a family restaurant, according to Mrs. West.

"I decided to open this restaurant because there was no place in town where families could go to enjoy a nice meal," she said reminiscing while standing at the cash register she has

watched for 44 years.

"This one here has been waiting tables at the Parkside since she was 10 years old," Mrs. West continued pointing at Betty. "When she started she could hardly see over the tops of the tables."

"It's been interesting. I could have written a book if I had taken notes as I went along."

The Charlevoix native said many things had changed since she opened the Bridge Street restaurant, but her customers have remained the same.

"The people are the same. We have the same trade every year," she said.

"Except some of the people are grandparents now that were infants when I started here."

Things were rough when the 73-year-old woman first opened the restaurant. "I did all my own baking and then I would cook breakfast too," Mrs. West recalled. "Then I would run downstairs and start the roasts for dinner."

"I would get so tired that at night I

would wake up and find myself down here. I was sure somebody wanted something, and I would walk in my sleep from the upstairs apartment to the restaurant."

At first Mrs. West tried to keep the restaurant open year around, but following one day when she made only \$5 the entire day she decided to close for the winter.

Mrs. West owned restaurants in Florida and Arizona and ran them in the winter, but now she's gone into semi-retirement and just opens the Parkside during the summer.

"I'll always come back to Charlevoix," she said. "I'd be much a used if I couldn't come."

"It's just home here."

Fire damages Grey Gables

The Charlevoix Fire Department fought a blaze at the Grey Gables Inn for 90 minutes Monday night.

A fire started in the ventilation system for the kitchen range around 11:29 p.m., Ben Gill of the fire department, said.

Gill said the fire was between the double roof over the kitchen area and the full crew of 20 firemen had to cut extensive holes in the roof in order to extinguish the flames.

The fireman said the cause of the blaze is still under investigation. He also said there was no estimate of the fire, water and smoke damage to the roof and kitchen area at this time.

School Board awards bid to T.C. firm

The bid for the renovation and improvement of the playground area at the Charlevoix Middle School was awarded to a Traverse City firm, D & L Contracting, Inc., by the Charlevoix Board of Education Monday night.

The bid, the only one received, was in the amount of \$22,500 and will include the construction of a new asphalt track, grading of the area on the Clinton side of the block, removal of a tree and a utility pole, installation of a new catch

basin, installation of backstops, heightening of the existing fence, installation of gates over windows facing the playground, blacktopping other areas on the grounds and related work.

Plans for the utilization of the existing area were drawn up by Manson Jackson and Kane of Lansing. It was estimated the work would cost in the \$32,000 area. When the D & L bid was only \$22,500, the board voted to approve it.

Work is scheduled to begin in 10 days and will be completed by Sept. 1.

It was reported that windows for the middle school were being manufactured and their installation would begin shortly. This, also, is scheduled for completion Sept. 1.

Both projects are being financed by the funds generated by the levying of one mill for five years as approved by the voters last January.



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Community Calendar

Fran Martin
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Wednesday, July 20 featuring a bazaar, bake sale and salad luncheon at First Annual Country Fair



LIKE MOST vacationers to the Charlevoix area, Denise Fouch of Kalamazoo went looking for Petoskey stones. While doing so near the Ironstone Ferry, she found something even more interesting, an 1875 Indian Head penny, all black and bent from years on the ground. Above Denise proudly holds the penny for her brother Bill to see. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fouch.

Congregational church. Sponsored by Women's Fellowship. Bazaar and bake sale: 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Salad luncheon will be served from 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Chapter No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet at Masonic Temple 8 p.m.

TOPS, Christ Episcopal church undercroft, 8 p.m. for weight. Business meeting: 6:30 p.m.

July 20-21
Viking Quartet of Olivet Nazarene College of Kankakee, Ill., will present concerts at the Church of the Nazarene on Waller Rd. at U.S. 31 7:30 p.m.

July 21-25
Annual Venetian Festival. Thursday, July 21
V.F.W. Auxiliary will meet at the post house 8 p.m.

Senior Citizens will meet at the high school cafeteria for a 6 p.m. potluck supper. Mrs. Myrtle Fulton, R.N., with Blue Cross/Blue Shield and Medicaid services available to Senior Citizens.

Big Brothers-Big Sisters of Charlevoix County will meet at the community room, City Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Venetian Queen's Pageant at the high school gymnasium 8 p.m.

Concert in the Park by the Charlevoix City band from the band shell in East Park 8 p.m.

Friday, July 22
Parquet of Orms featuring six visiting drum and bugle

Postal machine streamlines mail

Employees in the County Building will no longer have to make trips to the Post Office to purchase stamps and post the mail.

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The machine, with scales, cost \$1,891.

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corps at Kipke Field 8 p.m. Al-Anon Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For more information call 547-2146.

Viking Quartet of Olivet Nazarene in Kankakee, Ill., will present a concert featuring gospel music at the band shell in East Park 7 p.m.

Saturday, July 23
Doll and Dress-up parade at the band shell in East Park 10 a.m. for children from 4 through 12 years.

Venetian Street Parade beginning at 12 noon from the high school through business district to Clinton st. Gov.

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William G. Milliken will be the parade marshal. Open house aboard the U.S.C.G.C. Sundew berthed at the city dock 12 noon until 8 p.m.

Entertainment in East Park following the parade. Charlevoix City Band will present a concert in East Park 8 p.m.

Venetian Boat Parade on Round Lake and fireworks display at nightfall.

Charlevoix Yacht Club members will meet at the clubhouse immediately following the Venetian Boat Parade for their annual party. Fashion show at the band shell in East Park 7:30 p.m.

Fire totals trailer, wipes out belongings of local family

Fire of unknown origin completely destroyed a trailer home occupied by Swaney Lee Alden and her three children at approximately 10 a.m. Sunday.

The 17 x 60 foot trailer, furnishings and all the family's personal possessions, were completely destroyed in the blaze. Mrs. Alden and her children were at church when the fire was discovered and reported via CB radio to the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department.

The Charlevoix Fire Department responded to the call but were unable to save the dwelling which was owned by David Charbonneau, according to Fire Chief John Curtis. The trailer was insured but the fire company's possessions were not. Chief Curtis said. It was located on Srigley Road on the east side

of Susan Lake. Efforts are being made to assist the family. There is a need for clothing, household items and furniture.

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department has offered to accept all offerings in behalf of the family. Mrs. Alden, who many people know as the secretary in the office of the Building Inspector in the city building annex, wears a size 14. The children are Christine, 12, Darbie, a girl age 7, and a boy, Jeff, age 6 years.

Anyone wishing to contribute to the needs of this family may leave their offering at the Sheriff's Department. If you have no way to get to this location, call 547-4461 and a member of Northwest REACT will pick up your contribution.

Volunteer Firemen

LEE MOERLAND, president of the Charlevoix Volunteer Fire Department, Clifford Riley, treasurer and Ooug Beigmann, demonstrate the emergency equipment called "Jaws" to City Administrator Allen Sandberg and Alderman Susan Eber. The volunteer firemen contributed \$2,500 toward the \$5,300 purchase price of the equipment. The funds were raised through the sale of raffle tickets which the firemen will be selling during the Venetian Festival.

Social Security increases bring \$488,000 more here

For residents of Charlevoix County who are receiving Social Security payments each month, how much better will their checks be after July 1st, when an increase went into effect?

How much additional money will flow into the area during the next year, as a result? Based upon the latest figures from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare, it is calculated that the new scales of retirement and disability payments will boost total receipts locally by approximately \$244,000 during

the remaining half of 1977. Over the next 12 months the total will be close to \$488,000 more than in the past fiscal year. The new rates will continue until next July, when another adjustment may be made.

The current increase, amounting to 5.9 percent, is the third one that has taken place under legislation enacted by Congress. Its purpose was to compensate elderly and disabled people for increases in the cost of living.

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Sunday, July 24
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.

Monday, July 25
Charlevoix County Chapter, Michigan Township Association will meet at Northern Michigan Electric Co-operative building, Olvion ave. 8 p.m.

Tuesday, July 26
St. Mary's Board of Education will meet at the school 8 p.m.

Men's Prayer meeting 7 a.m. Community Church of God.

Wednesday, July 27
Charlevoix County Humane Society will meet at the community room of the City Hall in Charlevoix 7:30 p.m.

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Each spring and summer, students and professors move to the island, which lies 32 miles northwest of Charlevoix in Lake Michigan, for a series of biology-related courses for undergraduate and graduate students. Two introductory sessions in field biology are also held for high school students from across the state.

In addition to the students taking formal classes, there are a handful of graduate students working on theses and professors doing research for papers and books at the station. Dr. Matthew Hohn, director of the biological station, said.

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Hohn contends the biological station is one of the best places to learn biology. "There are better facilities here than at the main campus for field study," Hohn pointed out. "Here the students can go right out on the island and collect various specimens for their work."

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Coast Guard warns boaters about improper lighting

The Charlevoix Coast Guard Station reports that a recent inspection of boating activities in Round Lake revealed a large number of anchored vessels were not displaying the required anchor light from sunset to sunrise.

According to the Coast Guard, vessels under 150 feet that are not anchored in a special area are required by Federal law to "carry forward, where it can be seen, but at a height not more than 20 feet above the hull, a white light constructed so as to show a clear, uniform, and unbroken light all around the

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Friday, July 29
Charlevoix County Chapter, Michigan Township Association will meet at Northern Michigan Electric Co-operative building, Olvion ave. 8 p.m.

Saturday, July 30
Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at the club's hangar each room 8 p.m.

Sunday, July 31
TOPS will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal church for weigh-in at 8 p.m.

Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at county building annex 7:30 p.m.

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By PAULA HOLMES
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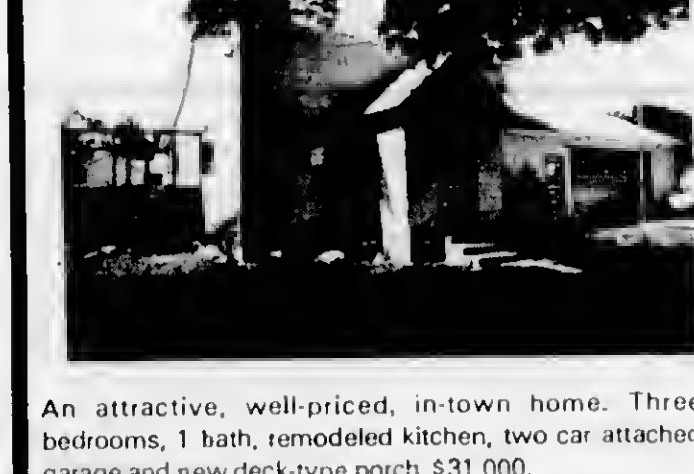
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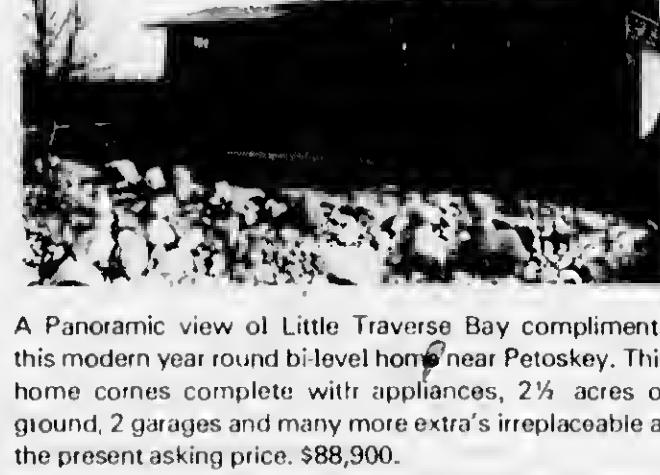
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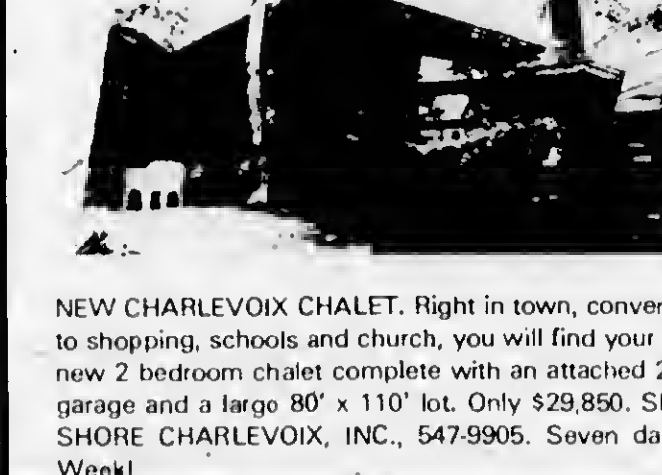
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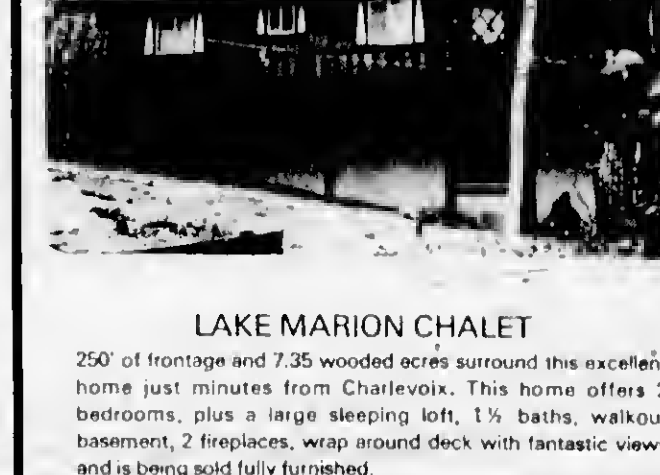
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Louise Beutner recalls bygone days

EDITOR'S NOTE: Like so many other Charlevoix area residents, Louise Beutner is a returned native. She was born in Charlevoix in 1906, the daughter of Charles and Mabel Bush, and lived in Charlevoix until the family—Louise, her parents, three brothers, and one sister moved to Ann Arbor in 1918.

Louise attended school there, including the University of Michigan, where she studied geology. After graduating from the University, she worked as a guide for the Santa Fe Railroad in the Pueblo country of the southwest, conducting tours of the old cliff dwellings and pueblos. Then she went back to the University, where she was an assistant in the geology department and where she met her husband, Ed, also a geologist.

Following their marriage, Louise and Ed went west to Safford, Arizona, in the Gila Valley, and then to Tucson for several years. Their next home was in the Upper Peninsula, where Ed was geologist for Jones & Laughlin Steel Company, and from there they went to Pittsburgh, where they lived in an old remodeled house "overlooking the Golden Triangle," the confluence of three rivers.

Louise and Ed returned to Charlevoix when Ed retired in 1972. She spends her time writing, sewing, painting, and fishing (she caught "a nice steelhead" this spring.) Louise remembers that her father was an avid fisherman in the Jordan River and thinks she probably inherited her love of fishing from him. The Beutners have two sons, Edward C., who teaches geology at Franklin and Marshall College, and Tom, who is at home.

Both Louise and Ed are active in the Charlevoix Historical Society. Ed was recently re-elected president of the group.

LOUISE BUSH BEUTNER

In the teens of this century the Charlevoix post-office was on Bridge Street, and nearly across from it was a brick building whose north wall, painted white, was used as a movie screen for audiences sitting on the grass of East Park on special Saturday nights. We children also went to the real theatre for serials on Saturday afternoons, paid for with a nickel.

I remember Marie Walcanp and Tony Moran in "Liberty," something about a submarine, so it must have been 1918. A subtle once told us to watch closely, see Marie's horse turn a somersault with her down the mountain. It did, but she got up, and the piano-player matched all the action.

I recall an oriental shop near the bridge, operating only in the summer. We rushed past it when the bridge whistle tooted for the swing bridge to open, but when we had seen whatever ship go through we reversed toward home on South Bridge Street, slowly. Then I looked in the windows of this store and through the door, seeing china statuettes of ladies in kimonos, hanging colored lanterns, teakwood screens, and furniture. I liked these things, but they wouldn't have gone with our beat-up golden oak, and I know they were expensive, too.

There was the Opera House right next to the Channel, almost too close to it, where the grassy slope is now. A few summers a man came there, exactly as in "Music Man," to produce a show. My star turn in one of these was to run across the stage in a white middy dress, chasing another girl, while the chorus sang "School Days."

A deep bass voice from the Channel meant that the "Manitou," black-bellied and graceful, was coming through, or the big white "Illinois." The "Illinois," Daddy told us, had run a race in 1907 with a schooner, both trying

for an entry between the piers. Sail had the right-of-way, so the steamship took evasive action, beached herself on the shallows off the south pier. Tugs pulled her free, and there we were about 1915 at the railings, watching it and others. Sometimes voices of recognition passed between the ship and the railing crowd, sometimes only pointing when a stylish outfit on some passenger, usually a pretty girl, attracted notice.

Sometimes we watched from another station: my brother Chandler and I were creatures of the south pier, though we allotted some time to the old docks on the north side of Round Lake for the best perch-fishing. Those docks then were in bad repair, dilapidated relics of the old lumber trade, but we learned what planks were loose and liable to upend us, were able to say "Present!" when it was time to go home.

Daddy was an entrepreneur in lumber-dealing, we were always up or down, but I did have warm woolen coats, leggings, and caps. I was not a shivering little match-girl; the trouble was that my clothes picked up fish scales and other matter. Horse-drums were on the docks in those days, so at times I resembled a cross between something out of "Moby Dick" and a Tibetan herdgirl. Mother tried to remedy this, but it was sometimes too much for her, and one day a lady stopped me on the street.

"We have some good clothes in our missionary barrel this year," she said, "I wonder if your mother would like to pick out something for you."

I said that I didn't know, I'd see. I wasn't bothered, one way or another. All I asked was not to wear something I'd seen on somebody else. However, when I told Mother about this a flash spread from her throat up to her cheeks.

She said, "We'll see about that." I had to describe the woman, and I think later Mother contacted her in a way she remembered for a long time.

We had no mother interest in sunning, playing on the beach, and learning to swim, but we were on the piers a great deal, too.

The Lake Michigan piers were not of concrete as today. The south pier was a row of timbered pilings weighted in place by limestone rocks. The pier was low there, but we fished through the cracks, held as much by the mystery of the blue-green water and the rock crannies down there as anything else.

We learned to swim early, but probably not early enough, for had we gone off the Channel side of the pier the current might be enough to take us out to the big lake. Mostly we kept away from that side and kept our center of gravity low, hunching over the lines we put through the cracks.

One day we had a visitation. From the cubicle next to ours there swam a shape. It was feet long, with a blunt head and curly black whiskers. It was almost as large as the sturgeon they kept in the pool at the inn on the north side, but a different shape and almost black.

We moved ahead, plunked our lines down where it would have to meet them. Here it came, with silts for gills, we almost expected porpoises. Our worms bumped off its snout and threaded through its whiskers, but it took no notice.

We hiked for home to tell of this. Daddy said it was a Great Lakes catfish, wouldn't take a hanging bait if it hung there all day; it was a bottom-feeder.

We should have remembered Billy Miller in the winter of 1913. Lakes

history records eighteen ships gone down in the November cold and gales. Ice along the shores rose in glassy summits or crystal caves, pushed into many shapes by the jousting of ice floes moved by the wind. Everyone said the Channel was frozen over, and it looked so.

Sometime beyond Christmas the landscape stayed the same, but temperatures moderated so that house-bound children bundled up, went out to play. I was nine years old, Chan about six, willing still to do what I told him. One day we walked across the bridge to the north side, turned left and walked along the street above the Channel to land's end, the slope below the Beach Hotel. We slid down, making grooves in the snow.

At the bottom up against the pier was a hill of ice and snow with a cleft in the top. We found a long pole and worked to make it stick in the cleft in the manner of the marines later photographed at Mt. Suribaya.

Directly across the channel was the Coast Guard building with its watch-tower. When we had succeeded with the stick we felt cold and hungry, and I saw my reason to go home the long way by the bridge; we could cross the Channel on the ice.

We slid down the pier-side ice, weren't halfway across when I noticed the Coast Guard man in the watch-tower. His face was red, his arms were waving, his mouth opened, but the wind took away his voice. But we could see he was pointing up and down the Channel, then in front of us. I saw there was a crooked stringer of jello-ice running through the middle that was darker than the rest.

I told Chan not to put his weight down hard, to run across. He ran, making deep prints. I did the same, but my foot at the back went down into cold water. I pulled it out with a wrench that sprang my tendons, flopped forward onto land ice.

The man was out of the tower and coming toward us through the snow, helped pull us up the side.

"You kids march to the station," he said.

We marched. In the office he stood us hard up against the radiators, and while our clothes steamed he talked.

"The Channel don't freeze," he said, "it's moving water, and that don't freeze. I've pulled 'em out when they come up in the spring—"

He went on like that, then he asked who we were.

A few years later John Kelderhouse, whose father was in the Coast Guard, let me climb the ladder to the lighthouse, to see what was inside. The huge lamp had red glass lenses, bright reflectors, and more heavy machinery to keep it rotating than I expected. I may be wrong, but I think the lamp was

fuelled by oil; perhaps they considered oil wouldn't fall in emergencies.

About the Channel, I know the bridge-

tender has in recent years held his breath, seeing children on the ice of Round Lake in the spring, but I still

wonder if Chan and I were the only ones ever to walk across the Channel right in front of the Coast Guard station.



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Trap net fishing

At dawn, Ralph Cross runs the Colleen Sue through the Pine River channel to Lake Michigan to tend his nets. His son, Larry, and his father, Ralph Cross Sr., are his crew. Although Cross has fished all his life things have changed for the fisherman since the Department of Natural Resources outlawed gill nets two years ago. Local fishermen were forced to switch to trap nets. A different style boat was needed to handle these nets and for most fishermen it was like starting over. They needed new nets and a new boat if the old one could not be converted. Ralph designed and built the Colleen Sue at his home on Pine Point. This is her first year in service with power. Last year she was towed to the nets by another tug.

The Crosses have nets just east of Hog Island and more south of there along the shore. It is usually 12 hours before they are back in the harbor and then they haul the catch by truck to a dealer in Mackinaw City. It's a long day. But, when the sun is out, the lake's not too rowdy, the boat's feeling good, and there is enough white fish in the nets, fishing is still a pleasure for Ralph Cross. Both of them.



Photographs - H. Nuernberger



LEFT: LARRY CROSS. All game fish such as these lake trout are released. ABOVE: Ralph Cross, Sr., takes a trip at the wheel on the way in.

Que Pasa's what's happening man

By Laura Glass
What's happening in Charlevoix? Que Pasa? or What's Happening? is fast becoming a popular Saturday night spot for fun, friends and great entertainment. The coffee shop, located under the Kentucky Fried Chicken building, is run by three local churches, the Reformed Church, the Assembly of God and the United Methodist Church. Steve Stargardt, Charlevoix Middle School music teacher, is the director of the coffee shop and he works with a staff of counselors from all three churches. The idea for the coffee shop came to Stargardt last winter.

"I think God put the idea in my head, but at first I wasn't sure if it would work out," he said. But about a week later, when Stargardt was having coffee, a friend mentioned an idea for a coffee house. "That's what I considered a confirmation," Stargardt said. From then on he talked with local churches including his own, asking for support and ideas. "Out of that, a lot of prayer and hard work, it got going," he said. The public seems to agree that the coffee house is a great addition to the area. After talking to a few of the approximately 80 people who

came to one of the Saturday programs, it looks like Que Pasa has a lot of fans and a great deal of support, not only from Charlevoix, but from all over the north. "I'm glad Charlevoix has a spot that offers great entertainment for everybody, it really adds a lively touch to Charlevoix and the atmosphere is great," Sue Peters of Charlevoix said. "I'm going again."

\$387,199 awarded to county from lottery

Charlevoix residents received \$387,199 in lottery prize money since the lottery started in 1972, according to the annual report of the Bureau of State Lottery. All in all, more than \$374 million in prize money has been awarded. During the fiscal year from July 1, 1976 to June 30, 1977, a record \$109 million was awarded, including winnings from three "instant" games, the regular 50 cent weekly games, and two special \$1 910 11 games. Also included are the initial prizes won in the new Daily Game, which began June 6.

Lentheuser's named in Motor News Magazine

Lentheuser's Restaurant of Charlevoix is listed in the July Motor News magazine as an excellent dining spot for travelers and vacationers. The article lists more than 100 restaurants across Michigan with meals priced at \$5.50 or less. The issue's theme is "How to Save Money and Have Fun" while enjoying Michigan's wide range of summertime activities and vacation objectives.

Ditlow finishes WMU orientation

Kyle R. Ditlow of Charlevoix recently completed a three-day summer orientation program at Western Michigan University. He will be a freshman at WMU this fall. Purpose of the orientation program is to give incoming students a chance to meet their faculty advisors, register for classes, take a battery of tests and tour campus buildings. The new students will return for the first day of fall semester classes on August 29.

Humane Society



THIS "ARISTO" cat takes a gander at a book at the Charlevoix County Humane Society. Cats and dogs are available for adoption between 1 and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday at the Humane Society offices.

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Little Traverse Bay has quiet beauty and unforgettable charm. When the setting sun spreads its radiant glow over the waters, it is indeed lovely from the vantage point of the limestone cliff on which the city of Petoskey now stands, the setting sun provides a spectacular show. The Indians created a legend about it. Since the first settlers and sightseers arrived over one hundred years ago, the beauty of the sunset has been a thing of wonder and awe to all. Very few white people had seen a sunset over Little Traverse Bay on that late fall day in 1863, when the first train whistled to a stop at the end of its line. On board was a reporter for a Grand Rapids newspaper, who in reporting on the wilderness scenery, dubbed it Petoskey's Million Dollar Sunset. The metamorphosis of Petoskey was rapid. It grew from a small Indian settlement at the mouth of Bear River, to a dynamic busy village catering to the needs of sightseers and homesteaders. In house the visitors, the Arlington and other luxury hotels were constructed overnight. Rooming houses for

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the less affluent were soon to follow. By 1890 a number of shops had sprung up along the main street, creating a very unique pioneer shopping area. Along the Bear River waterpower was harnessed to run sawmills, flour mills, tin and wood flooring industries, butter bowl factories, and furniture making industries. The limestone cliffs along Little Traverse Bay provided Petoskey with lime, a natural resource of great importance to the industrial development of the town. Little steamers plied the Bay, and the summer visitors who registered at Petoskey hotels and rooming houses took advantage of the many excursions offered. The most popular trip was the Circuit or Inland Route. This lengthy excursion took the traveler up the coastline at Little Traverse Bay into Lake Michigan, around to Mackinac Island, on to Cheboygan and then down the chain of rivers and lakes to what is now Conway. Until the quiet little dummy trains were in operation, the excursionists were jolted back to Petoskey from Conway by wagon and stage.

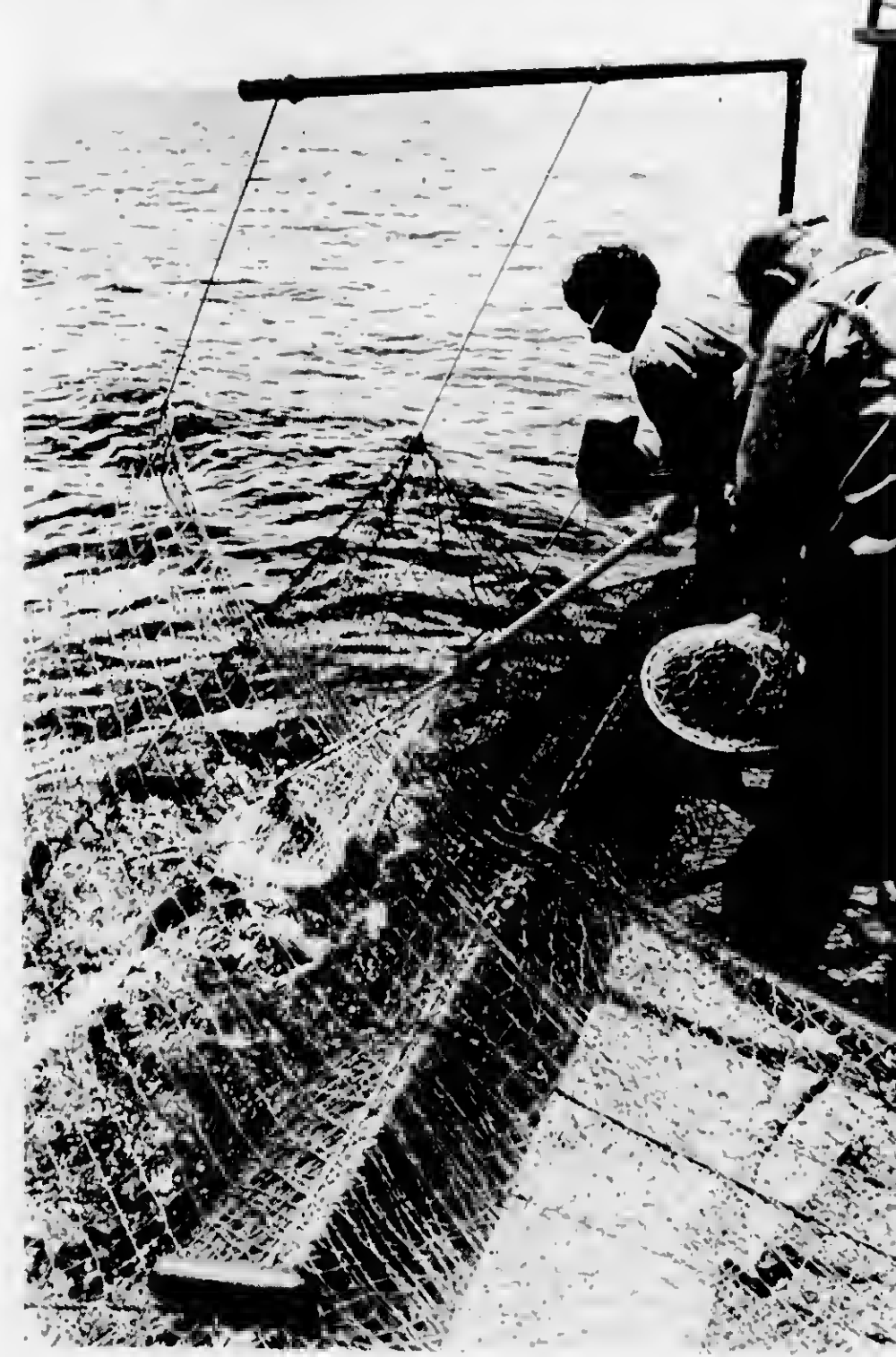
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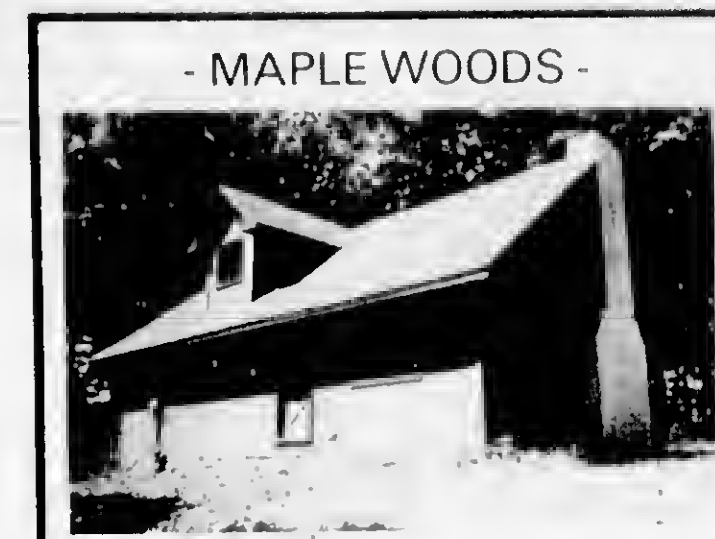
In 1890 the system was in full operation and trips were being made every fifteen minutes. By 1905 two trains ran from Petoskey to Harbor Springs at half hour intervals. Many of the people who had come to see the area on the train liked what they saw and became regular summer visitors. By the 1920's the shift from tourism to settled summer communities was in motion. Many resorts developed around the Bay and inland lakes of the area. The new tangled summer resorts spelled the doom of the delightful little steamers on the Bay, the little dummy trains, and the luxury hotels. Many of the hotels burned and were not rebuilt, the dummy engines were sold for scrap, and the steamers sailed off over the horizon. Although the modes of transportation have seen drastic change, Petoskey's magnificent remains. There is still an element of charm and friendliness in shopping adventure which belongs rightly to Petoskey's Gaslight District. One may still marvel at the beauty of Little Traverse Bay and experience the wonder of the Million Dollar Sunset.

LEFT: A FISH entering the mouth of a trap net is funneled into a chamber where he can swim and remain alive until the net is lifted. To lift the net the boat is winched under and along the net. Some fish struggle part way through the net and must be removed as the net comes aboard. ABOVE AND BELOW: When the net chamber containing the fish is along side it is opened and the fish are removed with dip nets.



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Mrs. Creswell to head Cystic Fibrosis drive

Mrs. Sam Creswell has been named Charlevoix leader of the 1977 Breath of Life Campaign.

In making this announcement, Gene Riley, Campaign Chairman for the Greater Michigan CF Chapter, emphasizes the great importance of this campaign for continued success in the fight against cystic fibrosis, asthma, chronic bronchitis, bronchiectasis, and other lung-damaging disease. He also stressed that the great strides that have already been made in this vital struggle will be continued through the dedicated efforts of chairman and volunteers.

Cystic fibrosis, the most serious of children's lung diseases, is an inherited condition affecting the lungs and digestive system of its victims. While both parents must be carriers of the recessive CF gene, there are over 400,000 (one out of 20) carriers within Michigan alone.

Although incurable, cystic fibrosis can be treated. Just 15 years ago, most children with cystic fibrosis didn't reach school age, but now, because of advances in treatment, more than one-half of all CF victims are living past the age of 18, with some patients living into their twenties and thirties.

September has been designated as cystic fibrosis month throughout the nation by the National Health Council.

Safety seminar Aug. 2 at Weatherline Inn

A safety seminar, sponsored by the Michigan Department of Labor and the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, will be held August 2, at the Weatherline Inn.

The program will begin at 9 a.m. with an update on the Michigan Occupational Safety and Health Act (MOSHHA). Registration for the seminar is \$10, which includes lunch. For reservations contact the Charlevoix Chamber.

Engaged Ager-Whitley

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ager of Charlevoix announce the engagement of their daughter, Cindy to Ed Whitley. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Whitley of Charlevoix.

The couple is planning a Sept. 10 wedding at St. Francis Catholic Church in Petoskey. Miss Ager, a graduate of Charlevoix High School attended Lansing Business University and is currently employed as a keypunch operator at Freedman Airtel.

The groom, also a Charlevoix graduate, spent four years serving in the U.S. Navy and is currently employed as an electrician for



Mr. and Mrs. Keith Kenney

Humane society plans dog obedience classes

The Charlevoix County Humane Society will sponsor a dog obedience class beginning next Tuesday at the humane society offices behind the Charlevoix County Sheriff's offices.

Jean Chew weds Keith Kenney

Jean Louise Chew of East Jordan and Keith Edward Kenney of Ellsworth were joined in marriage July 9 at the East Jordan Lutheran Church.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. John W. Chew of East Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kenney of Ellsworth.

Rev. Arden Barden performed the double ring ceremony before 200 guests in a church decorated with white and blue glads.

For her wedding, the bride chose a dress of white crepe with a scoop neck, empire waist and long lace train and veil.

She carried a bouquet of blue tinted daisies and dark blue and white carnations.

Serving as maid of honor was the sister of the bride Sandra M. Chew. Bridesmaids were Billie Persons and Glendora Murphy.

The maid of honor wore a dark blue gown while the bridesmaids were dressed in baby blue. The gowns had

scop necks and puffed sleeves. They carried long stemmed white roses.

Hill Miller, brother of the groom served as best man with Gerry Russell and Mark Hillebrand acting as groomsmen. Ushers were: John Chew and Larry Chew brothers of the bride and Jeff Kenney, nephew of the groom.

Flower girl was Dawn Bergman and ringbearer was Frank Miller, niece and nephew of the groom.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Chew wore an aqua sleeveless floor length dress with a corsage of the same flowers as the bride's bouquet. The groom's mother wore a turquoise sleeveless floor length dress with lace with a corsage of white carnations and gardenias.

Following the wedding a reception was held at the Boyne City VFW Hall. Barbara and Laura Chew attended the guest book and Hope and Don Hayden cut the cake. A rehearsal dinner was held by the groom's parents at their home.

After a honeymoon in the Upper Peninsula, the couple will make their home in East Jordan where the bride is employed as payroll clerk at ITT. The groom works for Charlevoix County State Bank.

Births

Holtz

Laura Elizabeth Holtz was born June 27 to Mr. and Mrs. Russell Holtz of Troy. She weighed seven pounds, four ounces.

Mrs. Holtz is the former Lynette Mayne of Charlevoix, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh W. Mayne.

Mr. Holtz is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Holtz of Southfield.

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Recreation department sponsors tourney

The Charlevoix Recreation Department will sponsor the second annual Venetian Fast Pitch tournament Friday through Sunday in conjunction with the Charlevoix Venetian Festival. Doug Bosa, City Recreation director, has announced.

In making the announcement, Bosa said that the tournament will feature 10 of the area's finest fast pitch teams. Among them will be the defending champions, the Petoskey Eagles, recent winners of Cherry Festival

tourney and defending champions in the State Class C league. Other teams in the tournament will be Viking Athletics of Petoskey, House of Belgae and Viking Athletics of Cheboygan; Reef Petroleum and the Office of Traverse City; Alpha Bar Americans of Sault Ste.

Kit Carson, Wojan chalk up two victories a piece

Kit Carson and Wojan Aluminum each had two wins for the week during play in the Charlevoix City Men's Slo-Pitch League.

The Kit Carson team opened league play with a close victory over Fred Taylor, 10-11.

Jeff Collins had the win in eight innings with 14 hits. Tim Elenbaas took the loss on 14 hits.

Tim Elenbaas and Rich VanStedum had home runs for Fred Taylor while Bernie DeVries, Kim Carey, Kirk Lieberman and Terry Blissett had home runs for Kit Carson.

In their second game of the week, Kit Carson defeated the Hospital 19-3. Collins had the win again on nine hits while Barney Hoeker took the loss on 20 hits.

Collins and Lieberman each had two home runs during the game while DeVries, Carey,

Blissett and Hoeker also had one home run.

Wojans defeated the G-Men 8-7 for their first victory of the week. Bill Superneau was credited with the win on 12 hits while Bob Holtzman took the loss on 13 hits.

Randy Woods and Steve Dunkelberg each had home runs for Wojan while Terry Miller and Pat Kerr had home runs for the G-Men.

For their second win, Wojan defeated Fred Taylor 9-6. Gary Balch had the win on 13 hits and Ken Willett took the loss on 11 hits.

In other action the Credit Union shot down the Hawks 12-1. Mike Crain took the win on a mere two hits while Sam McClellan had the loss on 16 hits.

Steve Weir had a grand slam home run for the Credit Union.

Rayder cagers place fourth in annual summer tourney

The Charlevoix Rayders placed fourth in the eighth annual summer basketball tournament sponsored by the Petoskey Parks and Recreation Department, Coach Dave Meyer has announced.

The Rayders were the only Class C team participating in the 18-team double elimination tournament.

Charlevoix lost to Midland Hull Creek 49-45; beat Ludington 58-56 and Cadillac 59-31 before losing to Alma 70-65.

Other teams involved in the tourney played Friday and Saturday were Petoskey, Inkster Cherry Hill, Marshall, Portage, Northern, Sault Ste.

Fakes. Each team will play a nine-game schedule beginning Wednesday.

The first night of play will find the Cardinals meeting the Blue Jays at 6 p.m. followed by a meeting between the Indians and the Orioles at 7:15 p.m.

Games will be played every Wednesday through Aug. 24, Friday, Aug. 5 and 16 and Tuesday, Aug. 23.

Marie, T's of Saginaw; Bosa Engineering and County State Bank of Charlevoix.

The tournament will open at 8:30 p.m. Friday with the Eagles of Petoskey challenging The Office of Traverse City. The second game Friday will find County State Bank to Charlevoix and House of Belgae of Cheboygan meeting at 8 p.m. and Bosa Engineering and Viking Athletic of Cheboygan meeting in the nightcap at 9:30 p.m.

Action on Saturday will resume at 8 a.m. with Reef Petroleum of Traverse City and Viking Athletic of Petoskey launching the day's events. Alpha Bar Americans of the Soo will meet the winner of the opening game, Eagles-The Office, at 9:30 a.m. and Mr. T's of Saginaw entering

the tournament at 1:30 p.m. against the winner of the Reef Petroleum-Petoskey Viking Athletics.

The first game in the loser's bracket will be played at 11 a.m. Saturday with other games in this bracket scheduled for 3, 4:30 and 6 p.m.

The quarterfinals in the tournament will be played at 7:30 and 9 p.m. Saturday. The finals in the winner's bracket will be played at 1 p.m. Sunday.

Games in the loser's bracket will be played at 9:30, and 11 a.m. and 2:30 p.m. with the finals of the bracket set for 4 p.m.

The finals in the tournament will be played at 3 p.m. Sunday. If the 19th game is necessary, it will be played at 7 p.m.

Courier Sports



COLLEEN LOBLACE hauls a pitch across the plate during the recent play of the Charlevoix Senior Division of the Little League All Stars.

Little League Tournament Results

Girls Senior League

Finals

Cheboygan 7 runs 10 hits M. LaVigne, W.P. Huron Shores 4 runs 4 hits Debbie Roberts, L.P. Wonne will advance to regional tourney at Gaylord July 20

Traverse City 10 runs 13 hits Diane Schultz, W.P. Tr. Rivers 5 runs 11 hits Mary Martin, L.P. Granddam home: Michelle Kelly for Huron Shores.

Cheboygan 10 runs 13 hits June Schley, W.P. Gaylord 7 runs 4 hits S. Parkinson, L.P. Tr. Rivers 3 runs 6 hits Lisa Bork, W.P. Charlevoix 2 runs 9 hits Wendie Klosser, L.P.

Girls Major League

Finals

Gaylord 3 runs 2 hits Kelly Johnston, W.P. Charlevoix 1 run 2 hits Colleen LaBlance

Winner will advance to regional play-off at Freedland

Gaylord 7 runs 2 hits Debra Moxon, W.P. Charlevoix 4 runs 5 hits L. Saenger, L.P. Charlevoix 13 runs 10 hits Kim Bolkus, W.P. Rogers City 8 runs 11 hits Amy Belmore, W.P. Huron Shores 4 runs 7 hits K. Buntz, L.P. Gaylord 8 runs 11 hits Kelly Johnston, W.P. Tr. Rivers 2 runs 3 hits J. Dayle, L.P.

Tri-county, Murdicks win in township

Tri-County Well Drilling opened this week's play in the Charlevoix Township Slo-Pitch League play with a victory over Koozts Construction 9 to 7.

Harold Thumore took the win on 12 hits and Jack Niswander was credited with the loss on 15 hits.

The Air Force zoomed back to defeat Koozts Construction 28 to 11. George Datson had the win with 18 hits and Bob Russell took the loss with 17 hits.

Ed Wilson and Jeronie Harris had home runs for the Air Force and Mark Schuster had a home run for Koozts.

The Coast Guard handed Norco Mart its second defeat of the week 18-7 Thursday. Rene Mendez took the win on 10 hits while James Barth had the loss with 26 hits.

Chesters won its second game of the week defeating VFW 13 to 8. Greg Revol had the win with 10 hits while Pete Culver took the loss on 13 hits.

In the first game the guardians defeated the Air Force 18-10. Dick Sellen took the win on a mere five hits while George Datson took the loss with 14 hits.

In the second game, the Coast Guard defeated Koozts Construction 10 to 9. Dick Sellen had the win on 13 hits while Pete Culver took the loss on 17 hits.

There were no home runs in either game.

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Dairy Queen, Kusina tie for women's league lead

Dairy Queen and Kusina Motors are tied for first place following last week's play in the Charlevoix Recreation Department's Women's Slo-Pitch League.

Dairy Queen had been a sole possession of the title following two defeats of Kusina Motors in make-up play. However, a forfeit by Dairy Queen to Village Inn Pizza this week moved the first place team back into a tie

with Kusina for the top spot on the charts.

In other action last week, Dairy Queen defeated Kentucky Fried Chicken 20-5. Amy Potter took the win on two hits with Billie Faling taking the loss on 10 hits.

Kusina Motors got back on the winning track with two victories. They defeated Medusa 9-2. Pam Parsel took the win on two hits with Carol White taking the loss on seven hits.

In their second game of the week, Kusina defeated Topside Lounge 8-4. Pam Parsel

was again the winning pitcher on seven hits with Teri Wells taking the loss on eight hits.

Charlevoix County State Bank rolled over Tri-City Asphalt 20-7. Jodi Alger took the win on six hits and Betty Bergmann was saddled with the loss on 18 hits.

Georgia Lusk and Jodi Alger both had home runs for the County Bank team.

Medusa defeated Kentucky Fried Chicken in the last game of the week 16-8. Barb Ford took the win on three hits and Janet Leat had a home run for Medusa.

Buchanan finishes 4th in nation

A Charlevoix youth finished fourth in the nation in his age group in recent Pitch, Hit and Run competition.

Jim Buchanan, 12, had won the divisional title at Minneapolis in June, but had to wait until the results of all 13 divisions were in before the winner for the national competition was announced.

The top two winners in each of the four age groups participated in national competition during the annual All-Star game in New York Monday.

By finishing fourth, Jim was just two steps away from the coveted trip to the All-Star game the first time he competed in the Pitch, Hit and Run event sponsored by Major League Baseball, the National Recreation Association and Thom McLean shoes.

While he won't be at the big league All-Star game, Jim will be competing in the District III Little League play-offs in Boyne City next week as a member of the Charlevoix All-Star team.

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Music will resound from the hills of the Charlevoix area Sunday.

Members of the Charlevoix Music Theatre will perform a selection of songs ranging from the compositions of Handel to Bernstein during a Hillside Concert.

The concert will begin at 4 p.m. at the Windmill Farm Campground on the corner of the Boyne City and Burgess roads. The concert will be repeated Aug. 14.

The first half hour of the concert will be devoted to classical music ranging over several centuries from the Middle Ages on following a special theme celebrating the outdoors.

The second half hour will consist of songs from favorite Broadway musicals.

The setting for the concert will be under the sky around the circular pool at the campground.

The public is invited to attend the concert. Tickets will be available at the gate.

Fashion show part of Venetian activities

A new feature has been added to the entertainment from the band stage in East Park during the Venetian Festival Saturday night.

Jacque Merta, executive director of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce has announced.

The clothing show displaying fashions from three Charlevoix and five Petoskey shops arranged by Erika Rylands of Douglas Lake and Mrs. Dean Eby of Charlevoix.

The event will be held from 7 until 8 p.m. Saturday evening with a variety of entertainment interspersed among the various fashion presentations.

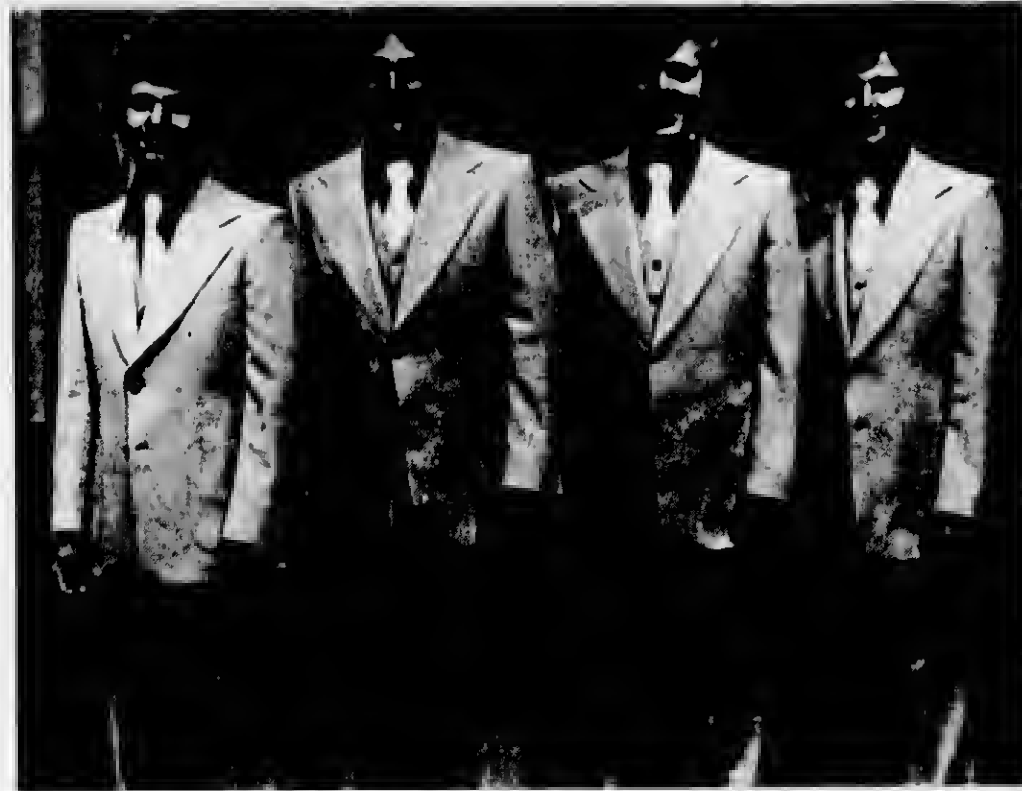
Kyle McCarthy will sing and play guitar; a local band will play and a dance group composed of Lela Hodgson, Maureen LaBlance, Pat Carland, Marsha Trimmer and Terri Kennefick will present a dance sequence.

The Clothing Company, Kaden's Emporium and Mettler's by the Bay are the local shops presenting fashions. The Apple Tree and Reis Gallery will offer accessories.

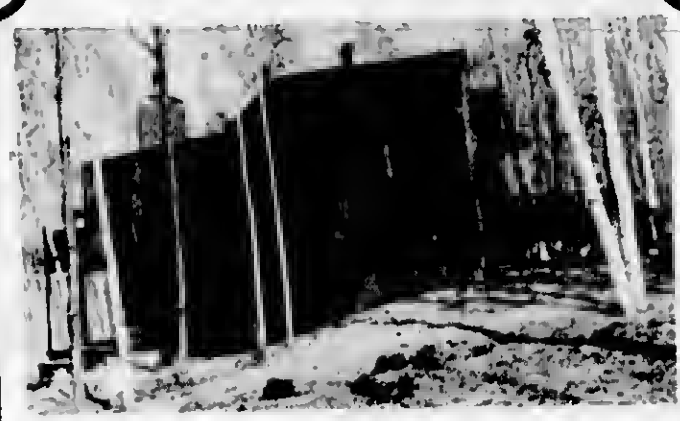
The Petoskey shops that will have fashions in the show will be Barney's Linen and Apparel, Country Casuals, Gattie's, La Shack and Pine Hill Ltd.



CONCERT IN THE PARK
8 p.m. Thursday East Park
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p.m. Wednesday and Thursday and at 7
p.m. Friday at East Park. They will also
participate in the Charlevoix Chamber of
Commerce during the Venetian Festival.
Pictured here are (left to right) Lyle Haugen,
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PERFORMANCE TO FOLLOW



QUEEN CANDIDATES practice for the pageant at 8 p.m. Thursday at the Charlevoix High School gym. Practicing the medley of songs are, (from left to right) Kay Curry, Theresa Russell, Sandra Hufford, Louise Caldwell, Terri Novotny, Patricia Egler and Nora Lewis. Marina LaBlance is the piano.

Seven young women to vie for Venetian queen title Thursday

Seven Charlevoix young women will vie for the title of Venetian Queen Thursday during the opening festivities of Venetian Festival weekend.

The Venetian Queen Pageant will begin at 8 p.m. in the Charlevoix High School gym.

Competing for the title are: Louise Caldwell, Kay Curry, Patricia Egler, Sandra Hufford, Nora Lewis, Terri Novotny and Theresa Russell.

During the pageant, the queen candidates will be entertaining the audience with a medley of songs, a mini-fashion show, a talent presentation and answering posed questions for emcee Bill Vogel.

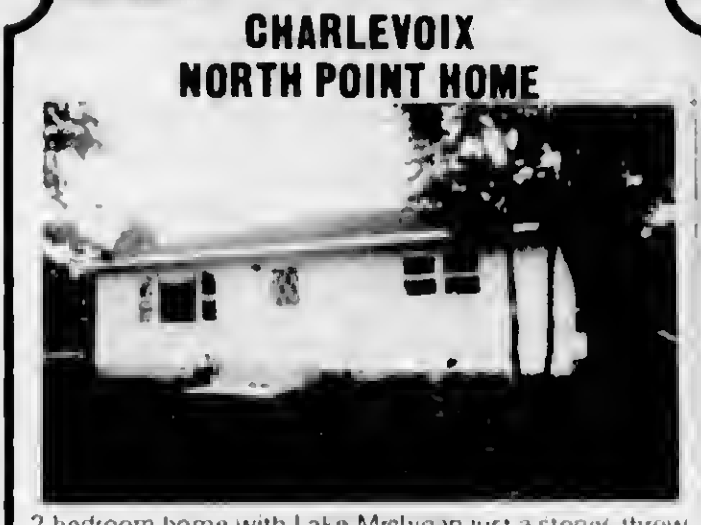
Louise Caldwell, 17, will present a story telling as her talent during the show. The youngest contestant in the queen's pageant is sponsored by the Shop of the Gulls and will model the shop's clothes during the mini-fashion show.

Miss Caldwell is very sports minded, and enjoys camping, canoeing, jogging and backpacking.

Kay Curry, 17, will offer a piano solo as her talent during the queen's pageant. Miss Curry was an honors graduate of Charlevoix High School last spring and was active in sports.

Patricia Egler, 18, sponsored by Alice Jane Dows, will give a science fiction reading as her talent during the pageant. She enjoys sewing, reading, camping and swimming.

Sandra Hufford, 19, is a Michigan State University student. She is active on the university's ski team and also enjoys sailing, hiking and scuba diving. Her talent presentation will be a modern dance.



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Applications now available for Parade

Applications are now available for children interested in participating in the Dress-Up and Doll Parade at 10 a.m. Saturday at the band shell in East Park.

Children between the ages of 4 and 12 may pick up applications at the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce offices or at 9:30 a.m. Saturday at the band shell.

Three prizes will be awarded in the doll and the dress up divisions.

For the dress up division children should dress up as any character they wish either individually or in groups. In the doll division, the children can dress any size doll.

Participants in the parade are asked to be at the park at 9:30 a.m. Saturday. Judges chairman of the event, Connie Ebenhoeh and Karen Hinds will be Maureen LaBlance.

Petoskey AAUW plans book sale

The Petoskey branch of the Association of American University Women is now collecting books for its book sale on July 29.

Area residents may take any paperback or hard cover books they wish to donate to the home of Pat Ranger on Pleasant Street, North Point, or phone her at 547-6136.

Children's books and cook books are particularly welcome, but novels, biographies, science fiction, and good reading of all kinds will be appreciated.

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Health department opens PBB information office

People with questions or problems they feel are related to polychlorinated biphenyls (PBB) now have a free source of information and direction.

Governor William G. Milliken recently announced that an office of the Michigan

Department of Public Health has been opened in Big Rapids, where the office is prepared to answer questions and assist with problems. If the information is not readily available, the staff will obtain information or provide names

of people who may be able to help.

As part of the Health Department's long-term study of the effects of PBB on human health, the Division of Environmental Epidemiology last year established the field office in Big Rapids, where the highest concentration of quarantined farms were located.

The telephone number in Big Rapids is 616-796-3514.

Baldwin to represent Ski & Shore on Beaver Island

A fulltime broker will now represent Ski and Shore Charlevoix, Inc., on Beaver Island.

Maury Baldwin will be acting as an associate broker for the company. The former Lansing resident recently moved to the island. Baldwin has had his real estate license since 1963 and has been an associate broker since 1968.



Maury Baldwin

New mortician joins Winchester

Melvin C. Bindle, licensed mortician with 37 years experience, will be associated with the Winchester Funeral Home, Robert Winchester has announced.

Bindle comes here from Temperance where he was associated with the Farnham Funeral Home.

He is a graduate of Wayne State University College of Mortuary Science and has

been associated with funeral homes in Holly, Davison, Suttons Bay and Temperance.

Winchester has operated the funeral home which bears his name since 1957.

Bindle and his wife, Inez, will reside at 209 State St. Mr. and Mrs. Winchester and family are living at their recently purchased home at Ironton.

Lt. Bell new officer aboard Cutter Sundew

Lt. Charles K. Bell has joined the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Sundew as Executive Officer. He succeeded Lt. Bruce L. Blanford in the position.

Lt. Bell comes to the Sundew from the First Coast Guard District which includes the New England states. At this assignment, he will be in charge of the Command and Control of the First District and District Command Duty Officer from June 1974 until coming to Charlevoix.

Prior to this his assignments included duty as Commanding Officer, Coast Guard LORAN station Gesashi, Okinawa, Japan.

March 1973-June 1974; Operations Officer and Navigator, USCGC Spar, 180 foot buoy tender out of Boston June 1971-March 1973; Officer Candidate, CG Training Center, Yorktown, Va., where he graduated eighth in a class of 136 Feb. 1971-June 1971.

Lt. Bell, his wife, Mary and their children, Jeffrey, Eric, Kevin and Julie, have moved here from Chester, N.H., to make their home at Pine Point.

Lt. Blanford, who had served as Executive Officer for two years, has received an assignment as Marine Safety Officer at Valdez, Alaska.

Lansing man captures Kit Carson prize

A customer of Kit Carson Lumber Company in Charlevoix, has won a "Home Value Days" sweepstake prize in a contest sponsored by the National Retail Hardware Association.

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BOYNE CITY, MICHIGAN

ANNUAL MEETING

WHITING PARK

WEDNESDAY, JULY 20, 1977

7:00 P.M.

Dear Cooperator:
The 29th Annual Meeting of your Charlevoix Soil and Water Conservation District will be held Wednesday evening, July 20 starting at 7:00 P.M. The meeting will be held at Whiting Park located between Boyne City and Ironston.
Again this year your Directors and staff will serve a dinner for you and your family starting promptly at 7:00 P.M. All we ask is that you make your reservation ahead of time. Enclosed is a meal ticket, fill it out and return it now.
The business meeting will be held when everyone is through eating. The program is as follows:

Call to order - Charles Kiteley
Minutes of last annual meeting
Election of two directors
Treasurer's Report - Terry Healey
Annual Report - William Korthase Jr.
Awarding of Certificates - Clayton Healey
Regional and State Meetings - Terry Healey
RC&D - David Parsons

Other Business
Program - Bill Grimm - Slides of Norway
Two directors will be elected. The terms of Clayton Healey and William Korthase Jr. have expired. For the East Jordan area Clayton Healey and Steve Miller have been nominated. For the Boyne City area William Korthase Jr. and Bill Topolinski have been nominated. Other nominations will be accepted from the floor.
The Program will be a showing of colored slides taken by the Grimms on their recent trip to Norway.
The meeting is for you and your family and is open to everyone. But please let me know right away how many are coming so we can buy the food and other supplies.

Sincerely yours,
Ed Reberman, Secretary
Federal Building
Boyne City, Michigan 49712
P.S. Ivan Parsons "Ike - The One Man Band" will play for us before and after the business meeting.

Highlights of District Activities

BY ED REBERMAN
County Extension Director
and
Secretary of the District

The activities and program of the Charlevoix Soil and Water Conservation District for the past year were under the direction and leadership of five directors: Charles Kiteley, Charlevoix; David Parsons, Charlevoix; Terry Healey, Charlevoix; Clayton Healey, East Jordan; and William Korthase Jr., Boyne City.

Charles Kiteley served as Chairman, David Parsons as Vice Chairman and Terry Healey as Treasurer. Ed Reberman, Charlevoix County Extension Director has served as Secretary ever since the Dis-

trict was organized in September 1948 for a total of 29 years.

The directors again assisted in the Conservation Education Program by awarding a scholarship to Harold Leach, Boyne City School teacher to attend the Environmental Education Workshops at Higgins Lake on February 11-13. They have also assisted in the 4-H Conservation Program.

The Board reviewed 18 permit applications under Act 346, the Inland Lakes and Streams Act. All of these were proposed according to specifications or were under the responsibility of the DNR.

The directors and staff cooperated with the Emmet

District in sponsoring a tree day in April. Cooperators can sign up for trees and then pick them up at one location.

The Board received 1000 copies of the new county plat book in July 1976.

William Korthase Jr. was appointed to represent the District on the North West Michigan Clean Water Citizens Advisory Committee. This is the group that makes

recommendations for Act 208 - Non Point Pollution.

The Directors sponsored a series of events for No-till crop seeding. Two meetings were held, one in Petoskey and one in Ellsworth. Arrangements were made to have equipment available. They also assisted in the Extension Program on irrigation.

Terry Healey represented the District for the RC&D

program. The Directors approved four agreements under Act 118 - The Farmland and Open Space Act. The farms included the following: Wieland Farms, Mark Saunders, Wayne Saunders and Alan Sibinic.

The Directors signed with the Emmet District a working agreement with the District Aide.

The District assists the land owners in the soil testing program by buying the soil test boxes at a discount and absorbing some of the cost.

Farmers honored

Beginning in 1951 and every year since, the Charlevoix Soil & Water Conservation District has shown their appreciation to District Cooperators who in their opinion have contributed greatly to the District's soil and water environmental program. The winners this year are as follows.

IVAN & REHA PARSONS, Route #2, East Jordan, who own and operate a 193 acre Beef and Truck Farm near Ironston. At present it is the largest truck crop farm in Charlevoix County. In addition, they are also one of the few major syrup producers in

Charlevoix County.

Conservation Practices established are - Conservation cropping System, Strip Cropping System, Woodland Management Practice, Livestock Exclusion from Woodlot.

DAVE & TERRI PARSONS, Route #1, Charlevoix, who own and operate a 218 acre Dairy Farm in Norwood Township. They also manage a small sugar bush.

Conservation Practices established are - Conservation Cropping System, Strip Cropping System, Tile Drainage, Farm Waste Management System.

CHARLEVOIX SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT FINANCIAL REPORT

July 1, 1976 - June 30, 1977

RECEIPTS:

State Appropriated Funds	\$1780.00
Interest	130.00
Soil Test Boxes	668.50
Plat Books	1776.50
Plat Books Ads	795.00
Redeposit Insufficient Checks	3.50
	\$5153.60

EXPENSES:

Office Supplies	240.10
Directors Expenses	636.90
Fees & Dues	150.00
District Aide	552.50
Annual Meetings	339.02
Publications	118.15
Higgins Lake Scholarship	38.00
Soil Test Boxes	510.00
Treasurer's Bond	80.00
NW RC&D	25.00
Flowers	16.77
Balance New Plat Book	2868.40
Insufficient Checks	3.50
K.C. Festerling Memorial	25.00
Refund Soil Sample	3.50
	\$5606.84

BALANCE, July 1, 1976	\$5825.70
BALANCE, June 30, 1977	\$5372.46
SAVINGS ACCOUNT	\$2000.00

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Soil & water conservation accomplishments



TILE DRAINAGE is a Conservation Practice that has accelerated in Charlevoix County since the mid 60's. A total of 140,527 feet have been installed in Charlevoix County which includes 39,950 feet installed this year. Generally it costs about \$300 to drain one acre. Most farmers tile to get rid of those aggravating wet spots which reduces their efficiency in the field. For further tile drainage information contact the Soil Conservation Service Office located in Boyne City.

BY CHARLES KITELEY,
Chairman

This progress report has been prepared to show Conservation accomplishments for fiscal year 1976 by United States Soil Conservation Service personnel assisting the Charlevoix Soil & Water Conservation District. Bill Grumm, District Conservationist, Ray Weiss, Soil Conservation Technician and Joan Neumann, Charlevoix and Emmet Soil Conservation District Aide, provide the technical assistance necessary to carry out the program of the Soil Conservation District, in cooperation with other agencies, such as, Cooperative Extension Service, Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service. Their office is located in the Sears Building, 29 North Park Street, Boyne City, Michigan 49712.

There are 264,960 acres of land in Charlevoix County. Of the acreage 45,000 is state owned. The remaining land area is under private and/or municipal ownership. Four hundred thirty four land owners in the county are Charlevoix Soil & Water Cooperators, representing 59,314 acres of land. The Charlevoix District is continually adjusting and revising its program and developing new priorities to meet the conservation needs of the District.

This year (1976), the Charlevoix Soil & Water Conservation District approved 10 new District Cooperators, 13 Soil & Water Conservation Plans, and revised 16 others. One hundred fifty eight land owners were assisted with 249

service calls. Inventories and Evaluations for land use treatment problems were made to 17 land owners.

Fifteen units of government were assisted with 17 contacts in which 3 Inventories and Evaluations were submitted for resource planning.

The following are some of the Conservation Practices applied by the Charlevoix Soil & Water Conservation District Cooperators for fiscal year 1976.

Conservation Cropping System, 675 acres - Crop Residue Management, 747 acres - Critical Area Planting, 24 acres - Minimum Tillage, 516 acres - Tile Drainage, 39,950 feet

acres - Grassland Management, 843 acres - Farm Ponds, 2 - Wildlife Habitat Management, 1221 acres - Woodland Improvement, 250 acres - Streambank Protection, 3600 feet - Waterways, 5 acres - Agricultural Waste management Systems, 3 - Tree Planting, 34 acres - Strip Cropping, 64 acres - Debris Basin, 1 - Land Adequately Treated, 4,087 acres.

New Cooperators joining the Charlevoix Soil & Water Conservation District in fiscal year 1975-1976, were - Harold Jackson, Lee Ekstrom, James Kurtz, Bruce Healey, Beaver Venture Corp., Karl Fricke, Dave Parsons, Shirley Austin.



THIS NORTHWEST MICHIGAN RESOURCE CONSERVATION DEVELOPMENT LAKESHORE STABILIZATION MEASURE for East Jordan is scheduled to get started in the spring of 1978, providing RC&D Funds are available. This Project is sponsored by the City of East Jordan, Michigan Department of Highway and Transportation, and Charlevoix Soil and Water Conservation District. This measure involves around 450' of city owned lake frontage and 645' of Michigan Department Highway frontage. Estimated cost is \$90,000 with 75 percent of the cost paid by the United States Soil Conservation Service and 25 percent of the cost paid by East Jordan and Michigan Department of Highways for their portion of the project. 100 percent of engineering costs are being paid by the Soil Conservation Service. Northwest Michigan RC&D Project is sponsored by a 13 county Board of Commissioners and 13 County Soil Conservation Districts. Since 1969, \$459,384 in Federal, \$24,713 in State and \$40,575 in Local funds have been used for RC&D Measures in Charlevoix County.



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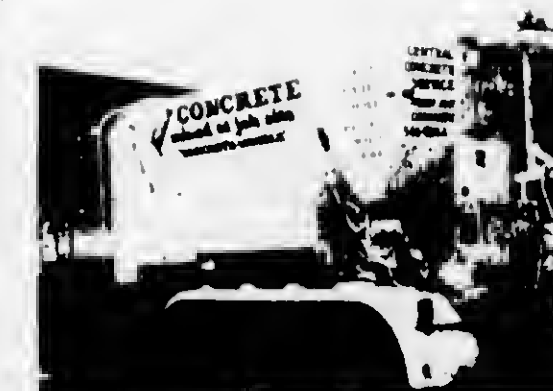
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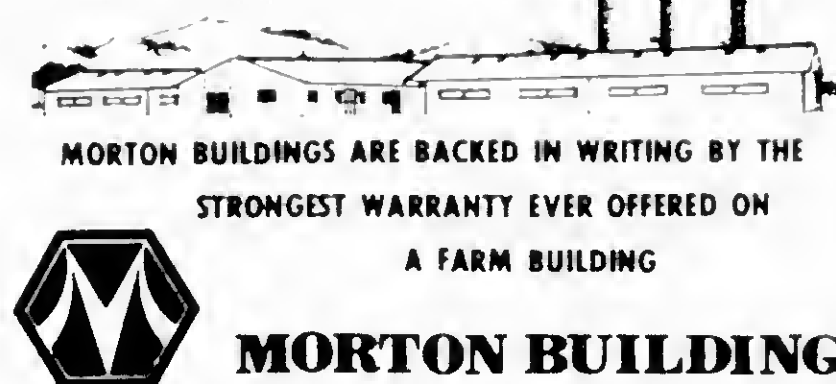
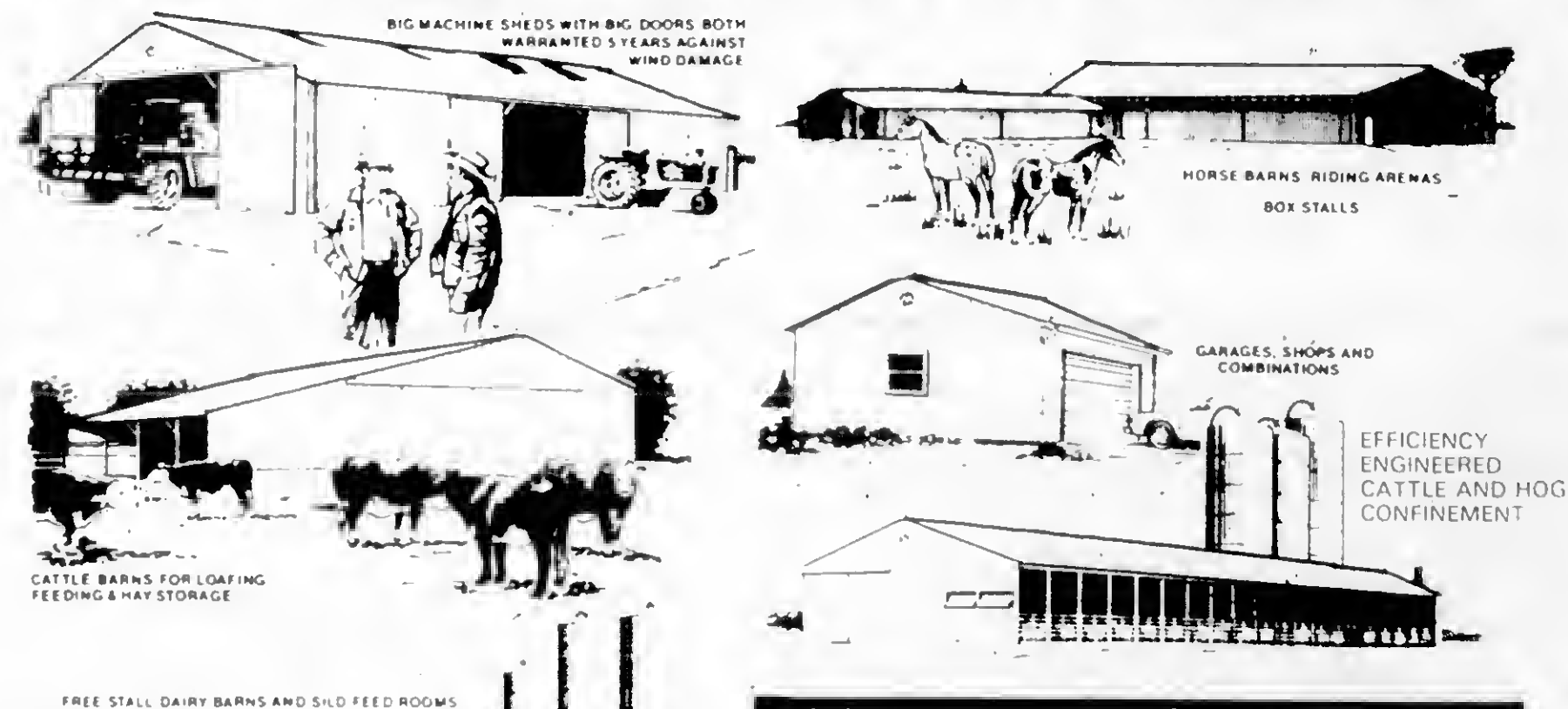
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C. If property is owned or leased jointly, husband and wife may vote.
D. Co-owners or co-lessees may vote.
E. An agent of a firm or corporation occupying three or more acres of land may vote if said agent has written authorization of his power to act.
F. A son of a father and son partnership may vote providing he is of legal age.

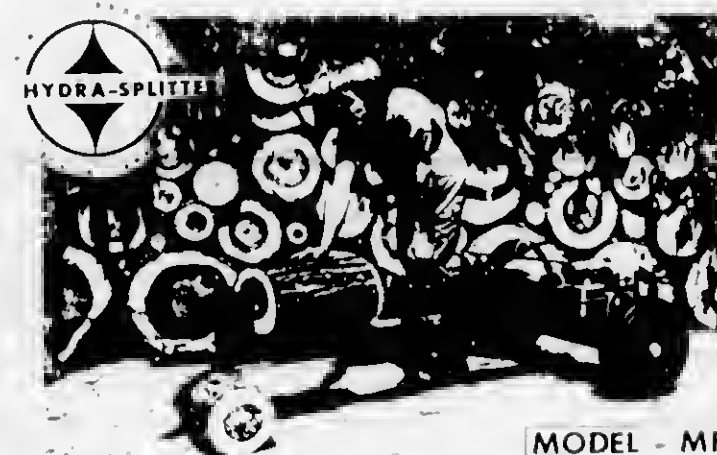


ALLEN SANDBERG, Charlevoix City Manager, June Cross, Charlevoix Women's Club representative, John Campbell, Charlevoix Architect, and Ed Hanson, City of Charlevoix Commission Chairman, are shown studying one of the use pressure points where active erosion is occurring in Park Avenue Park RC&D Project, to decide what Critical Area Treatment measure will be installed. Planned development and use of park along with establishing needed erosion control measures will help preserve and protect this beautiful park for many years to come.

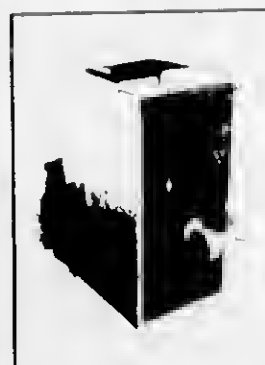
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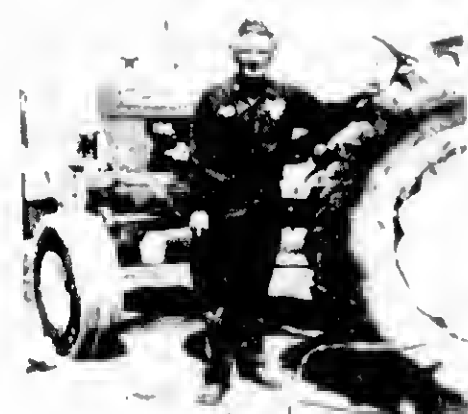


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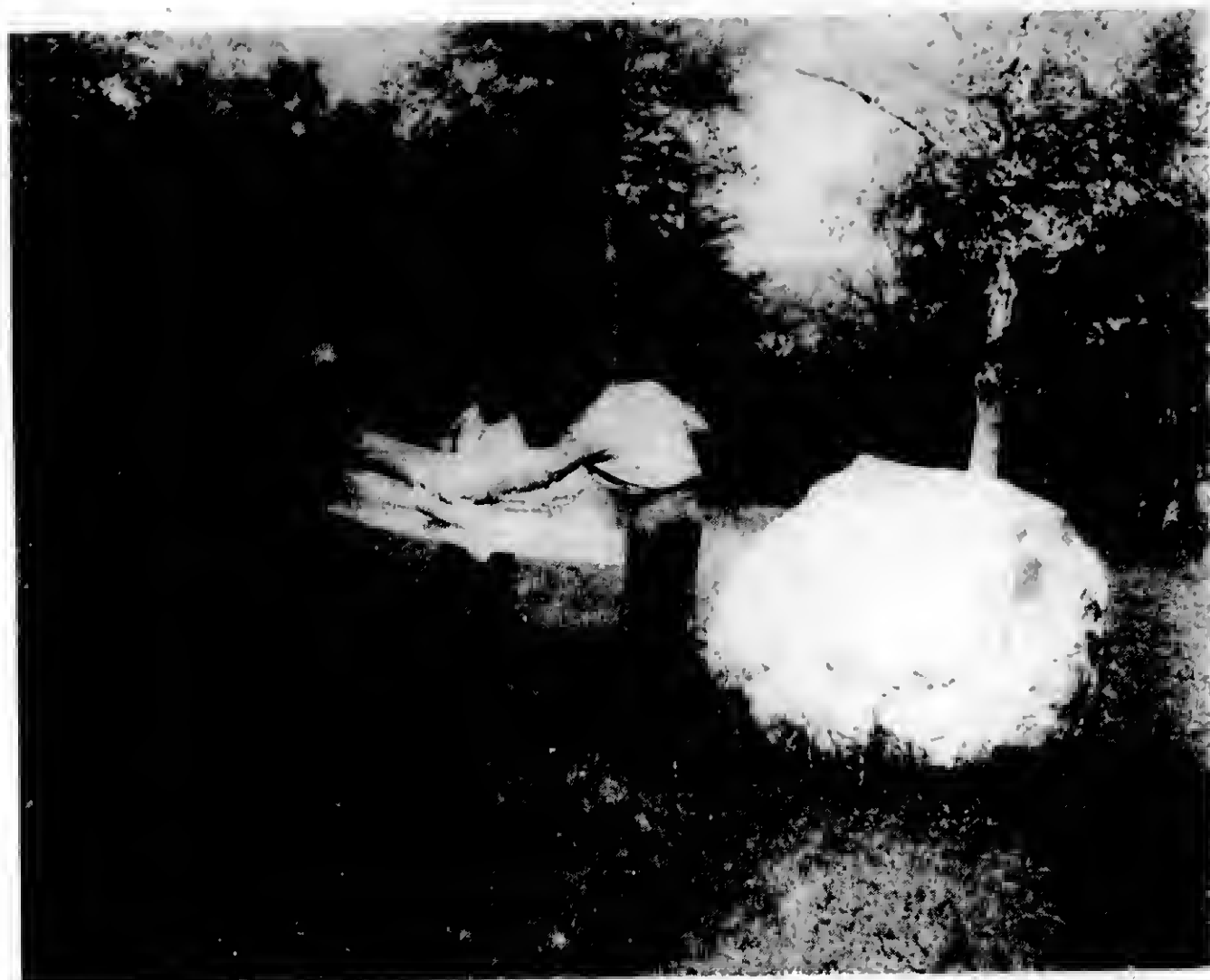
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PARK AVENUE PARK RC&D MEASURE is also progressing well. The Charlevoix Women's Club, in cooperation with City of Charlevoix, have developed a Development Plan for the Park Avenue Park. The Charlevoix Women's Club raised money to retain John Campbell, Charlevoix Architect. The picture above shows Ed Hanson, Chairman of the City of Charlevoix Commission, Allen Sandberg, City Manager, June Cross, Charlevoix Women's Club and John Campbell, reviewing plans. This plan includes use of the Park as well as Erosion Control measures to be established. This year the City will receive \$5,800 on a match bases from Bureau of Outdoor Recreation for recreation improvements. It is anticipated that if RC&D monies are available for 1978, Critical Area and Erosion Control measures will also be established.



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Soil temperature at seed planting depth should be at least 50 degrees. Use a soil thermometer for accurate temperature determination.

Apply proper herbicides at recommended rates, either before or at planting time.

Use clean water for spraying; muddy water will neutralize Paraquat.

Use preemergence and contact herbicides currently recommended. Follow label instructions exactly. Use 40 or more gallons of water per acre to insure good foliage coverage. Apply at a pressure of 50 to 60 lbs. per square inch with a recommended surfactant (sticker-spreader or wetting agent).

In successive years of no-till one may need to change herbicides to give control of fall panicum and other fall weeds and grasses.

Use properly adjusted fan-type sprayer nozzles.

Direct spray nozzles straight down so the force will cause the spray to penetrate the living or dead residue.

PLANTING ---

Use a fluted coulters no-till planter. Add weights to the planter if needed to attain

desired planting depth.

Become familiar with no-till operations before changing your row spacing or plant populations.

A planting speed of 3 mph and a seeding depth of 1 1/2 inches is most desirable.

Apply fertilizer in accordance with soil test recommendations. Nitrogen can be applied in liquid form and used as a carrier for herbicides.

Select a familiar kind of

seed, but one with a shorter maturity.

Do not allow seed and fertilizer to track or follow the same path. But both should be somewhere within the area covered by the coulters.

Fields may look like nothing has been done at first. Be patient and let the chemicals do their job.

Plant cover crops to improve soil tilth. A rye cover crop can be obtained with the

no-till planting system. Harvesting during wetter seasons will be easier because of the residue but beware of soil compaction.

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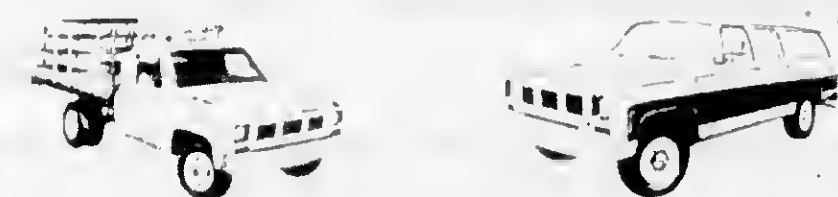
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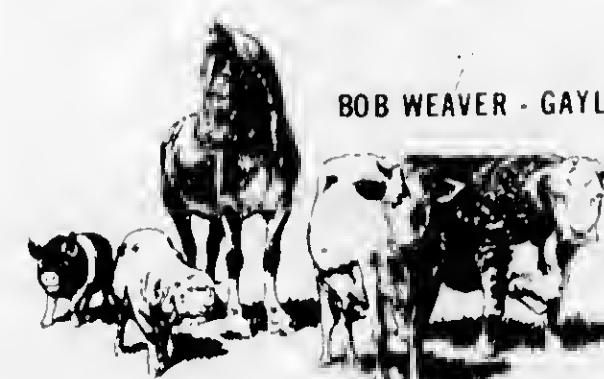
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THE CHARLEVOIX SOIL & WATER CONSERVATION DISTRICT in cooperation with the Charlevoix County Cooperative Extension Service, Charlevoix County ASCS Service, and the U.S. Soil Conservation Service, sponsored tours, demonstrations and educational meetings on NO TILL Methods and Planting. The NO-TILL demonstration above was held at the Steve Miller Farm near Boyne City.

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No-till report

BY BILL GRIMM
District Conservationist
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and Ortho Chemical Com-
pany, pulled all stops this year
in providing equipment and
education in the establishment
of NO-TILL, planting of corn

In reference to paragraph
above, Cheboygan, Emmet
and Antrim Counties had
similar programs.

Since education meetings
were late in starting in Spring
of 1977, no corn or seedlings
were planted this spring, but,
100 acres of NO-TILL, seedlings
are scheduled this August.

Although experience in No-
Till in 1977 will be limited,
Conrad Klooster will have a
power till seeder, operator,
and tractor available in 1977
for NO-TILL, seeding of hay-
land and pasture. There ap-
pears to be a great need in
Charlevoix County for this

WHAT'S LIFE FOR EIGHT INCHES OF TOP SOIL?

A recent issue of National
Geographic answered that
question - and shed some
light on the benefits of no-
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Here's how researchers
came up with the answer on
how eight inches of topsoil can
last in the limited sloping
field.

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and terracing - -"

Two thousand two hundred
and twenty four years if no-

NO-TILL SEEDING of Hayland and Pasture areas
may well become a popular practice as this
method has little if any erosion occur due to the
mulch cover that is retained until the seed is
established. This picture shows Klooster Imple-
ment Company of Atwood, with their power till
seeder reseedling in sod on an area farm near East
Jordan this spring. The following are general soil
seeding recommendations - - - -

1. Clip or graze stand so that about 2" of growth
is existing prior to planting.
2. Broadcast lime and fertilizer according to cur-
rent soil test recommendations.
3. If broadleaf weeds are a problem, spray stand
with one pound of 2,4,-D Ester Active ingredient
per acre at least 7-10 days prior to seeding.
4. Three days prior to seeding, apply Paraquat at
1/2 pound active ingredient, using 40-50 gallons of
clean water under 40-50 pound pressure. Use a
surfactant with Paraquat, such as X-77, to insure
good coverage of foliage.
5. Seed with adaptable seeding mixtures with a
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24"	Notched	1/2	963 863 R1	36.70	22.53	14.17
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Months During Entire Growing Season	1974 Actual Precipitation	1975 Actual Precipitation	1976 Actual Precipitation
April	3.00	2.08	1.96
May	2.02	3.36	3.17
June	5.72	2.21	1.78
July	6.33	7.38	2.59
August	3.01	5.33	1.68
September	5.09	4.65	1.32
October	2.60	1.30	1.49
Total	27.77	26.31	13.99

For the months of July, 1976 to May 31, 1977 the following precipitation data from the local weather station in East Jordan indicates the variable precipitation from July 1, 1976 through October 31, 1976 and then continues to show the extended drought conditions through May of 1977.

Months	Actual Precipitation	Departure From Normal
July	1.12	-1.71
August	1.81	-1.13
September	2.19	-2.04
October	2.14	- .74
November	3.94	+ .65
December	2.52	+ .52
January	1.93	+1.0
February	2.24	+1.04
March	3.64	+1.26
April	1.48	-1.11
May	.74	-2.16

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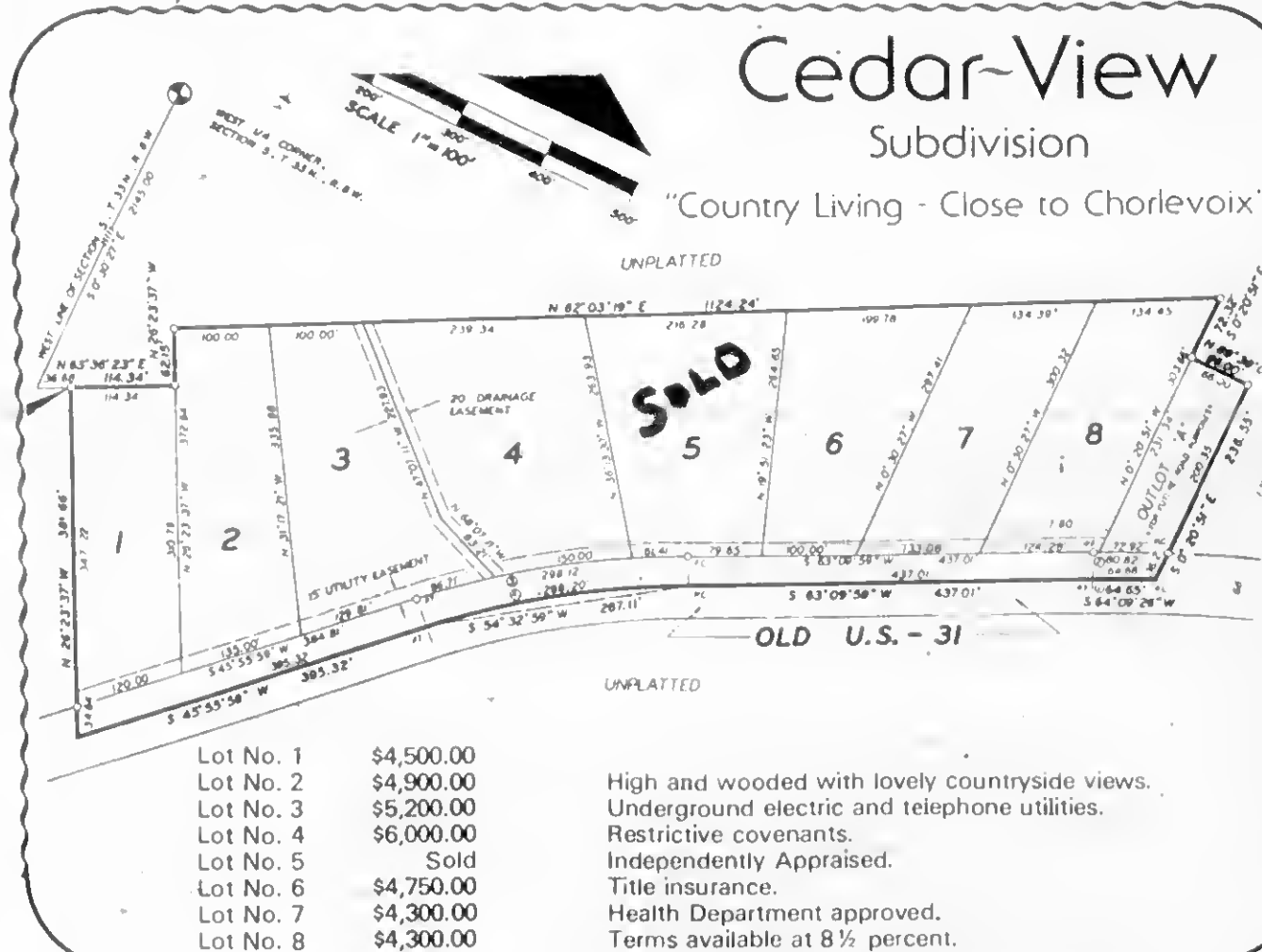
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VENETIAN QUEEN COURT- Left to right front- Nora Lewis, Theresa Russell, Patricia Egler. Back-Louise Cadwell, Sandra Hufford, Kay Currey and Terri Novotny.

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

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|--|---|--|
| JULY 21, THURSDAY
8:00 p.m.
"Miss Charlevoix" Venetian Queen Pageant
High School Gymnasium
Admission Adults \$1.75
Children \$1.00
12 & under | Lions Club Traditional Chicken Cook-Out
East Park | 8:00 p.m.
Introduction of the 1977 Venetian Queen and her court, the beginning of a full year of honors and public appearances for "Miss Charlevoix" |
| Carnival - Sehl's Northern Shows
Downtown Charlevoix | Floats, Marching Groups, Special Exhibitions from near and far.
Parade Marshal - Governor William Milliken
Narration of parade by WJML's illustrious Bill Supernaw | 8:15 p.m.
City Band Performs for "Spectrum" Dance Twirl Team |
| JULY 22, FRIDAY
8 P.M.
"Venetian Pageant of Drums"
High School Stadium
Admission Adults \$2.50
Under 12 \$1.50
Under 5 Free
"Mini" Fireworks Display - Weather permitting 6 p.m. | JULY 23rd, SATURDAY
12:00-5:00
Open House aboard the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Sundew, Pride of the Great Lakes, recipient of meritorious awards for superior service on the Great Lakes. City Dock. | 8:30 p.m.
City Band performs under the expert direction of Mike Davis. |
| Opening of 2nd Annual Charlevoix Fastpitch Tourney. Featuring 10 of the areas finest teams. | 9:00 a.m.
Charlevoix Venetian Junior Open Sanctioned by the U.S. Tennis Assoc. | JULY 23rd SATURDAY
10:00 p.m.
"Venetian Yacht Parade"
Charlevoix's Round Lake is site of the 47th annual Yacht Parade in which yachters "big and small" vie for the coveted trophy for best decorated yacht. Parade announced by Charlevoix's own "Captain" Bill Vogel of WVOY from high atop the poop deck of the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Sundew. |
| Visit Booths and Games in East Park | East Park Entertainment
1:00 p.m.
Pipes and Drums
49th Field Regiment | 11:00 p.m.
Annual Venetian Fireworks Display
Seen over Round Lake, a display which is second to none and guaranteed to put the finishing touches on a long day of festivities. |
| Carnival - Sehl's Northern Shows
Downtown Charlevoix | 2:00 p.m.
National Summer Palaestrum
Superb Gymnastic Exhibition | JULY 24th, SUNDAY
Attend the Church of your choice |
| JULY 23, SATURDAY
10:00 a.m.
Dress-Up and Doll Parade
East Park
Big hit with the kids!! | 3:00 p.m.
Charlevoix Music Theatre
Performing Selections from "Broadway's Best" musical revue now snowing at Grey Gables Inn. | Carnival - Sehl's Northern Shows |
| 11:00 a.m.
Carnival - Sehl's Northern Shows
Downtown Charlevoix | 4:00 p.m.
"Common Bond" band currently playing at the Que Pasa | 12:00 - 5:00
Open House Aboard the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Sundew |
| Visit Booths and Games in East Park | 7:00 p.m.
"Musical Moods of Fashion."
Fashion show sponsored by your favorite clothing stores. Master of Ceremonies WVOY's "Captain" Bill Vogel. | 1:00 p.m.
Finals of the Charlevoix Venetian Junior Open Sanction by U.S. Tennis Assoc. |
| 12:00 noon
"Grand Venetian Street Parade"
Downtown Charlevoix | 7:30 p.m.
Kyle McCarthy on the guitar. | 6:00 p.m.
Finals of the 2nd Annual Fastpitch Tourney |



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CORPS	POSITION	JUDGES SCORE	MY SCORE	ORDER OF FINISH
THE ENTERTAINERS, SARNIA, ONTARIO				
GENERAL PUTNAM'S MEN, OTTAWA, OHIO				
MIDSHIPMEN, PETOSKEY, MICH.				
BANDETTES, SAULTE STE. MARIE, ONTARIO				
SAGINAIRES, SAGINAW, MICH.				
GUARDSMEN, WINDSOR, ONTARIO				

HOW A CONTEST IS JUDGED

All competitors are scored by the judges according to the five basic rules which are listed below. One-tenth of a point, or tick, is deducted for each error.

MARCHING AND MANEUVERING - 25 POINTS - Judged on intervals, files, distance, rank, out of step, turns, military bearing, conduct.

DRUMMING - 20 POINTS - Position and execution.

BUGLING - 25 POINTS - Position, execution, ensemble and rhythm.

GENERAL EFFECT - 30 POINTS - MARCHING - Repertoire, field coverage, colors, showmanship, concert formation, entry, exit. DRUMMING - Repertoire,

quality, expression, showmanship, concert number. BUGLES - Repertoire, quality, expression, showmanship, concert number.

TIMING - Corps can lose points for being on the field less than 11½ minutes or more than 13. They must be in motion at least 8 of the 11½ minutes. A warning signal will be given at the expiration of 11½ minutes.

COMPETITION JUDGES

Announcer--John Agnello, contest director of the Great Lakes Drum Corps Assn.

Panel of Judges, Great Lakes Judges Association

Marching and Maneuvering--J. Robertson

General Effect Marching and Maneuvering--D. Comerford

Brass--C. Chapman

Musical Analysis--R. Rice

General Effect Brass--K. Snaeck

Drums--D. Canont

General Effect Drums--N. Campbell

Timing and Penalties--B. Seiler

Tabulator--J. Comerford

Tabulator--L. Rice.



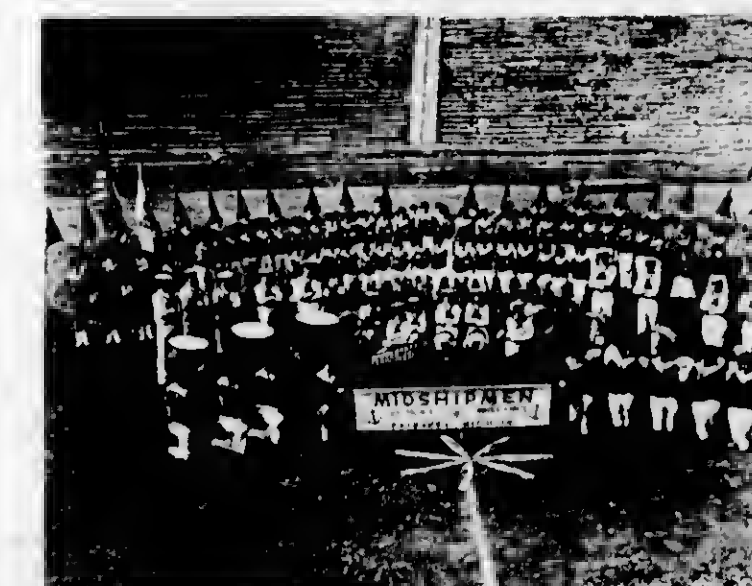
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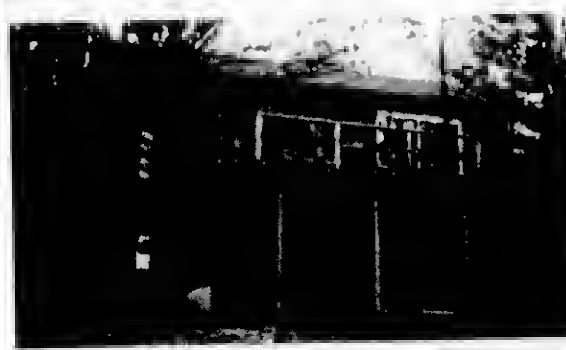
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Two industries planning move

Two new industries will soon be making their homes in Charlevoix.

The Charlevoix Common Council approved site plans for Hufford Industries and Trison Industries Monday night.

Hufford Industries is planning to construct a 6,400 square foot factory area and a 1,500 square foot office area in its proposed new building on property in the industrial park area on the north side of Charlevoix.

Construction on the factory, which will contain the Hufford Industries operation currently located in East Jordan, is expected to begin immediately.

The factory will employ eight people. Trison Industries is planning a 16,000 square foot building including 15,700 square feet of plant space and 1,000 square feet of office space.

The plant, which will manufacture parts for steering gear, is expected to employ between 15 and 25 people when it opens and increase to a work force of about 80 people.

Construction of the building, which will also be located in the industrial park area on the north side of Charlevoix is expected to begin in the fall.

Alderman Ray Wood urged his fellow council members to consider weighing the advantages of being a residential community versus being an industrial community. No action was taken on the proposal.

In other action, City Administrator Allen Sandberg presented a list of streets to be included in a resurfacing program this summer.

Sandberg's list covered 10,300 feet of road surface and will require 1,000 tons of asphalt at an approximate cost of \$16,200.

The roads included: Carpenter from State to Charlevoix, Garfield from Grant to Lake, Nichols from Dixon to Petoskey, Nettleton from Petoskey to Crouter, E. Lincoln from Bridge to May, Hurlbut from Bridge to May, Alice from Garfield to Hurlbut, Prospect from Dixon to Petoskey, Antrim from Grant to Park.

Council put the proposal into committee so that it could be studied along with the streets in the southwest section

including Wood, Robinson, Sherman and Sheridan for resurfacing.

Council also approved expenditures for up to \$20,000 to have the city streets resurfaced.

Council hopes to get construction started by mid August.

Alvin Ranger presented council with the first part of the Charlevoix Municipal Airport Master plan. The plan offers suggestions for improvements at the airport.

Following review of the plan by the common council and the Michigan Aeronautics Commission and the Federal Aviation Administration, a second public information meeting will be held to determine if any other improvements should be included in the plan and to help set priorities.

Retrial slated in Charlevoix

Jury selection for the retrial of St. Joseph resident David J. Purnell began Monday in Charlevoix County Circuit Court.

Purnell is being retried on a charge of second degree murder in connection with the death of Janet Uland, also of St. Joseph. The case will be heard before Berrien County Circuit Judge William S. White in Charlevoix on a change of venue.

More than 29 prospective jurors were interviewed Monday. The trial was expected to begin with opening remarks by Tuesday noon.

Purnell, 28, was sentenced to life in prison by Judge White in 1972 for the 1971 slaying of Miss Uland, following a confession on the witness stand.

The state appellate court overturned Purnell's conviction because the court held Judge White did not instruct the jury they could find Purnell not guilty even though he had confessed.

That instruction was not required at the time of the trial because Purnell had based his defense on insanity, but the appellate court held it should be applied retroactively.

Purnell's confession is expected to be used as evidence during the retrial.

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Charlevoix Native Speaks Out

It is amusing to read of our "once-a-year" visitors berating our environment here and trying to tell us "natives" how to run our beautiful city. The woman who wrote in "knocking" Medusa Cement Co. for dust and fumes undoubtedly comes from a city environment that has such obnoxious odors and dust a hundred-fold the year around and they do nothing about it! This Cement Company has the highest pollution-free standards in the United States and constant rigid monitoring by qualified personnel maintains this standard. This "fudgie" would do well to visit here and appreciate the beauty of Charlevoix without criticizing us. Medusa's tremendous taxroll helps maintain these accepted privileges so we all can enjoy them. Don't knock it, please! — A Charlevoix Native

Venetian Weekend

I thought it was very thoughtless to have the barge and the tug in the harbor during the Venetian weekend. I've heard others comment about it. I hope it doesn't happen again.

Venetian Parking

I think, during the Venetian Festival, the most unwise move made by anyone in the City of Charlevoix, is the removal of parking in the downtown area by the placement of the amusement park in the lakefront parking area.

P.S.



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betcha never thought you'd make the front page!

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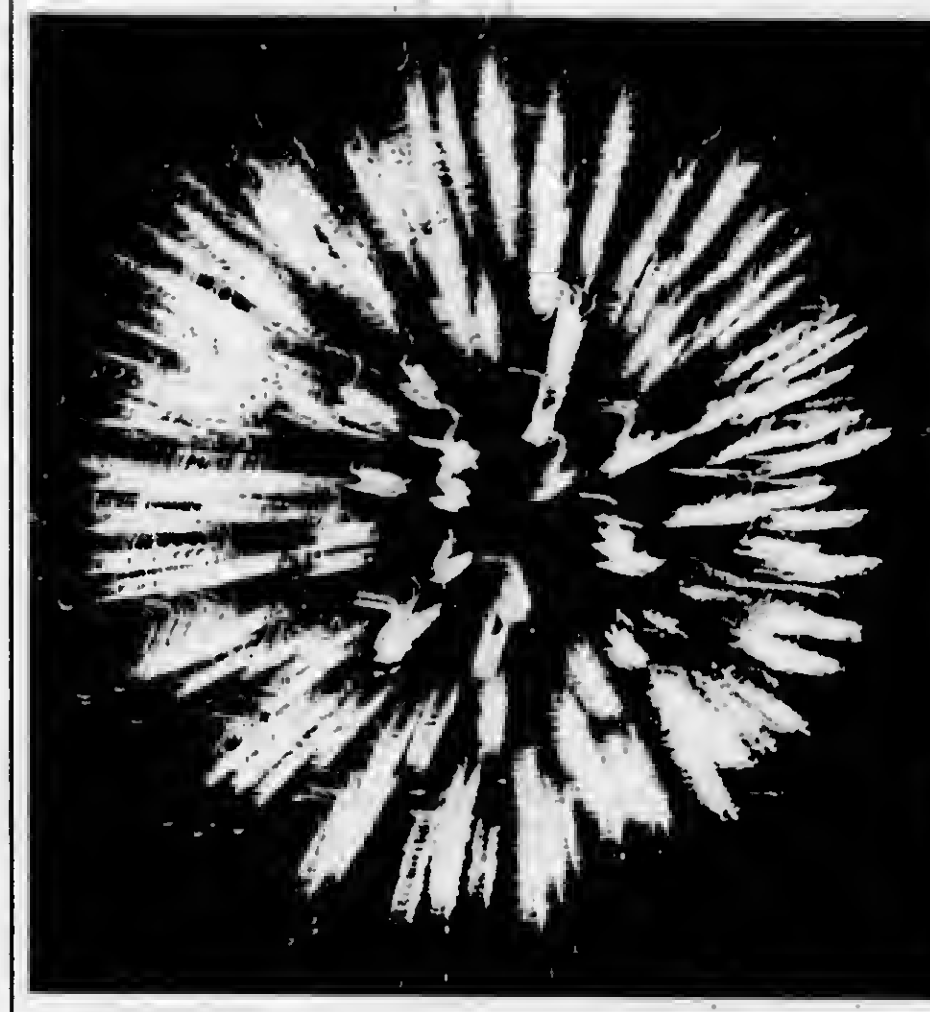
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Venetian Festival

GOV. WILLIAM MILLIKEN (right) and fireworks (below) brightened the 47th annual Venetian Festival. For more pictures of Venetian activities see pages 6 and 7.



Women in Charlevoix County, country spending more time as part of work force

Are the women in Charlevoix County freer than the men? Do they lead lives of relative ease, with plenty of time each day for luncheons, card games, back fence gossip, naps and general time killing?

That, at least, is what many husbands have been saying. But, according to the women and according to some Government statistics, it is a very distorted picture.

Whether or not it ever was the case, in the last few decades local women have been emerging from the house in ever-increasing number to take outside jobs.

Nowadays, according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, American men are devoting a smaller part of their lives to work than formerly while women are devoting a greater part of theirs.

The findings indicate that today's women are spending approximately 66 percent more of their time at work than their mothers did back in 1950 and that men are now spending about 4 percent less than then.

On the basis of the general figures, Charlevoix County's females, who constitute 51 percent of the local population, will be spending an average of 25.1 years of their lives working. This compares with 15.1 years in 1950.

The work-life expectancy of the males, however, has been dropping. In 1950 they were putting in 41.5 years on the job. It is now down to 39.6.

In accounting for the trend, the Labor Department says that the shorter work-life expectancy of men is due to various factors, including better pension plans, bigger social security checks, the difficulty older men have getting new jobs and the entry of their wives into the labor force.

plained "We have just hired our first and only paid employee. William Cashman will serve as our project director to supervise and conclude the various projects we have started."

"They also attempted to organize a group of people who would be interested in preserving and protecting the island's history," she said.

"At that time the group was mostly made up of summer residents. The villagers weren't too interested in the project."

"That's not saying anything against them," Mrs. Townsend added quickly. "The American philosophy at that time was to measure progress in terms of technology and growth and not through the preservation of historic sites."

"We were fortunate to have Hoffmann and Roy who realized the value of the sites."

In order to recoup his investment in the museum property, Roy started the first ice cream stand on the island on property behind the museum. With the proceeds from the stand he gradually recovered what he had spent and had some left over to invest in renovating the print shop, Mrs. Townsend said.

And as the years went by and more islanders became interested in the museum project, it began to flourish as donations of money, energy and artifacts from the benevolence of islanders poured in.

"At the present time, the historical society is undergoing a historical revision itself," Mrs. Townsend ex-

In addition to maintaining the print shop museum, the historical society plans to enlarge its facilities by adding a post office addition to the print shop and opening a Marine Museum and displays at Heritage Park.



THE FORMER Mormon Print Shop has been converted into a museum on Beaver Island.

Editorials/Opinions

Housing commission needs assistance of senior citizens

The Charlevoix Housing Commission should be commended for its dogged persistence in trying to bring low cost senior citizen housing to the city.

The housing commission has been dealing with the Farmers Home Administration, the State Housing Commission and the Federal Department of Housing and Urban Development for several years attempting to cut through the red tape that is delaying the construction of a senior citizen housing complex in Charlevoix.

Several times the housing group has had to watch its hard work go down the drain as the state and federal agencies changed their funding programs like the changing of the proverbial horse in the middle of the stream. Sometimes the changes not only led to backtracking for the housing commission, but they even left the group without a horse to ride at all.

Despite the discouraging situation, the housing commission has pressed on, trying to find another avenue for the funding of what they feel is badly needed senior citizen housing in the city.

Once again, the housing

commission has found what they feel is a promising route to follow to funding. They have already had a Big Rapids firm conduct a needs survey as the first step toward applying for that funding.

The survey points out a need for senior citizen housing in the Charlevoix area, but the housing commission would like to strengthen the findings of the survey with a survey of people who would like to live in the proposed senior citizen complex.

All senior citizens who would be interested in seeing the development of a senior housing complex should respond immediately to the survey. The time for complaining about the lack of low cost senior citizen housing is over.

Now is the time that senior citizens can take the matter in their own hands and respond to the survey. The housing commission cannot carry the ball by itself any longer. It needs help from the seniors in order to help the seniors.

If the funds for the proposed senior housing complex do not come through this time, senior citizens will have only themselves to blame.



Clockwise
by Bob Clock

How much crime can be laid at the doorstep of the nation's newspapermen?

Put this question before any group of working reporters and editors and you'll get a range of answers from "all" to "none."

The truth is probably somewhere in the middle—if a truth so illusive can ever be pinned down.

Anyone who has been in news work any length of time knows that the reporting of details of bizarre or unusual crimes sometimes, usually within days, begets similar crimes with equally bizarre or unusual aspects. This phenomena is particularly noticeable following the suicide of a well-known personality. The method he uses to bid goodbye to this vale of tears crops up for weeks in other suicide news stories from coast to coast.

Freddie Prince's suicide, for example, touched off a series of self-inflicted gunshot wounds by young people the country over.

By the same token, if a two-bit thief used a pair of stilts to enter a second-story window, you can be sure other two-bit thieves will start using stilts to do their dirty work.

All of which is working up to a gentle reproach of my colleagues on the metropolitan dailies who have made a big to-do in recent days over the 10th anniversary of the racial warfare which swept the country in 1967. United Press International (UPI) has filed literally yards of copy and albums of pictures on the Detroit race riots alone. Over the weekend the Grand Rapids Press devoted parts of four pages to the mini-riot which shook the Furniture City but fortunately resulted in no fatalities.

As a native Detroit, I was shocked to see my city—my old neighborhood—go up in flames on television back in

1967. Details of the riot, as I read them in the press, were extremely painful. The summer of 1967 was a very hard time for all of us with close ties to the big cities and I, for one, wouldn't want to live through that particular era again.

To tell the truth, it hurts even today—3,650 days later—to read about what happened to Detroit 10 years ago.

Then why are the metro dailies serving up such ample helpings of riot and mayhem in the summer of 1977—a time when race relations are holding a fairly steady course compared to the warring days of the Johnson administration when the nation was seething with discontent over the Vietnam War and other failures of the Great Society.

I really don't know. The riots today are history, bad history. They are not new. And I can think of very few valid reasons for the nation's press to dust off old horrors and trot them out as fresh merchandise for those who were too young to read in 1967.

My real fear, of course, is that by recounting the facts of ancient race hatreds the press is unwittingly whetting the appetites of the young and foolish for more and better racial violence. Make no mistake. Conflict is tremendously appealing to most of us, whether on a field of battle, a boxing ring, a football field, a hockey rink—or a steamy street corner in a black ghetto. And it is sometimes difficult to draw lines between the sometimes legitimate violence of war and sports and the illegitimate violence growing from blind racial prejudice.

I wish the metro press would quit making a big fuss over the race riots of 1967—particularly when they could happen again, so easily, in this steamy summer 10 years later.

Humane society says thanks

Dear Editor:

The Charlevoix County Humane Society would like to express its thanks to all those people who supported our recent dog show with their hard work, their donations and their presence. We appreciated the support.

We would also like to thank the fifth grade students and the Friends of the

Humane Society in East Jordan who recently contributed a considerable sum to the humane society to help us with our work.

Sincerely,
Mary Haggard,
for the Charlevoix County Humane Society



If it Fizz
by Jim Fitzgerald

You have probably worried about the unemployment problem faced by the U.S. military specialists who used to count dead bodies in the Vietnam war. Stop worrying. The neutron bomb will put them back to work, and business will be better than ever before—if the body-counters are ready.

Unfortunately, the neutron bomb cannot be dropped until there is a decent-sized war. In the meantime, our body-counters remain idle, waiting around on street corners for the first body to fall.

There is simply not a big demand for body-counters in civilian life. Since the U.S. pulled out of Vietnam, most body-counters have been forced to rely on seasonal employment—working for the Auto Club on holiday weekends. Naturally, they have become rusty. When a man counts dead bodies only twice in three years, he soon loses his touch. The first thing you know, he has counted a live one.

This nation can ill afford body-counters who can't detect a pulse from 500 yards away. If the Russians find out, they will train their soldiers to play dead. American boys could be killed in

August by Russian boys who were dead in July.

Too many of us have forgotten the heroic job of arithmetic done for us during those precarious years in Vietnam. We at home awoke every morning secure in the knowledge that we would learn today exactly how many enemy were killed yesterday.

And it was never a sloppy job. General Precise never announced "about 1,000 enemy died yesterday." He said "today's body count was 1,563 enemy soldiers, 543 unfriendly civilians who got in the way, and 15 Communist arms and legs not otherwise identified."

But that war ended, and our body-counters were sent home, discarded, with no way to earn a steady living doing the one job they had been trained to do. Only the occasional holocaust keeps them from feeling completely useless.

This nation has been wasting a positive deterrent against World War III. Now with the invention of the neutron bomb, this terrible problem takes on agonizing dimensions.

The neutron bomb kills people but preserves property. The human beings



**Paula Holmes...
...Speaking Her Mind**

There's nothing like the Venetian Festival to put a little excitement into an editor's dull life.

Like most residents in Northern Michigan, I had company last week. Beginning on Tuesday, my parents and one set of grandparents arrived for a one-day stay. I put them up in my apartment and we had a great time playing college dormitory days.

They left on Wednesday and I began to gather up all the dirty sheets and towels. As it turned out, every sheet and towel I owned was dirty. And that meant I had to get to the laundromat before Friday when the second wave of visitors was due.

As luck would have it, my schedule didn't allow me to get the laundry done until Friday morning. Of course by then it was a do or die situation.

So early Friday morning, after my daily jog mind you, I trekked off to the laundromat. Much to my surprise things were already hopping with four other people doing the same thing I was.

Well things went along quietly and we all read while the laundry went through the wash and dry cycles. Things began to pick up however, as I got to the folding stage.

All of a sudden a swarm of young men poured through the door of the laundromat and lined up in front of the washers. I could hear a female voice commanding, "Whites in one washer, darks in another. I've got the soap when you're ready."

Outraged, the young men separated their wash and then went to get the soap and change to put in the washers.

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Then at the command of a male voice, the group headed out to the parking lot. As I watched, with my mouth hanging open, they began to march back and forth across the parking lot in formation, holding their hands at their mouths.

It was then that I surmised they were probably part of the drum and bugle competition for the Friday night festivities of the Venetian Festival.

And I was right. The woman who belonged to the female voice I had heard earlier explained that the group was General Putnam's Men from Ottawa, Ohio. The group had been on the road for seven days, she said.

"I suppose it would have been nice to let them relax on this nice sunny morning," she said. "But I thought they had better get their laundry done. So here we are."

"They think they're really hot stuff when they master this."

Was she a mother of one of the members of the corps, I inquired.

"Oh no," she smiled weakly. "I'm the wife of the director."

Drum and bugle corps continued to provide me with excitement through the day. That night as I was taking pictures of the competition, I stepped over the white boundary line on the field.

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Grand Venetian Parade thrills young and old



BILL SUPERNAW, chairman of Venetian Festival, and assistants announce entries in the Grand Venetian Parade.



VENETIAN QUEEN Kay Cutler and her court of Louise Caldwell, Patricia Egler, Nora Lewis, Theresa Russell, Teri Novotny and Sandra Hufford added beauty to the Venetian Parade.



BUGLERS FROM the Sagnians, first place drum and bugle corps, joined the Grand Venetian Parade.



THESE SPECTATORS have a bird's eye view.



THE ICE CREAM truck provided a good perch for these parade watchers.



THESE YOUNG ladies were intent on viewing the parade Saturday.

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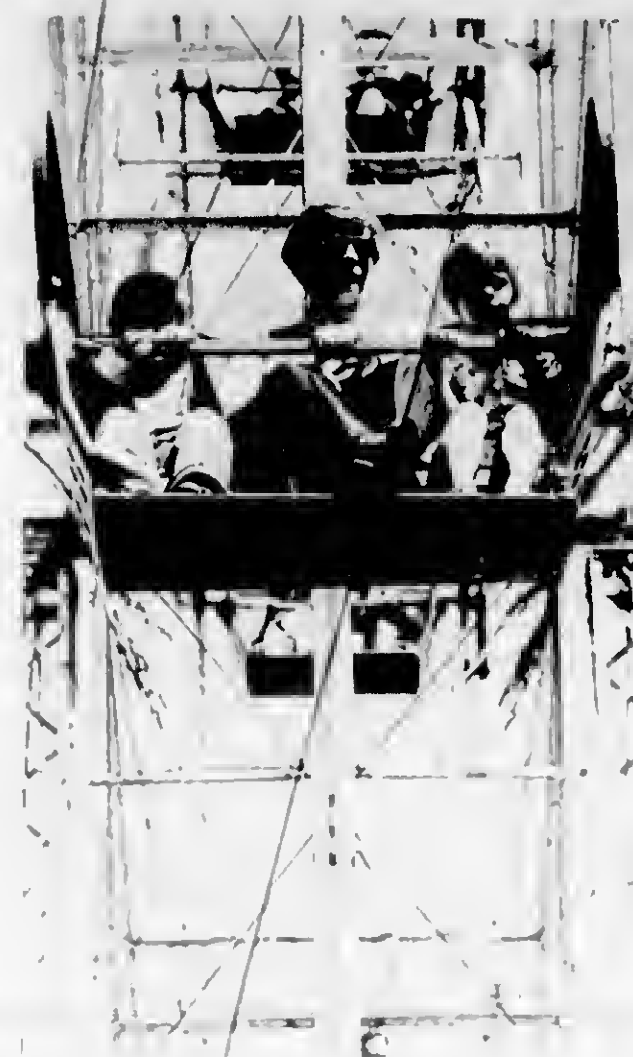
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CARNIVAL RIDE with many children and their mothers.



AMY BLOSSOM took first place in the doll division of the Dress Up and Doll parade.



SAM SUPERNAW, chairman of the Long annual's picnic barbecue, with some chicken during the cook out in East Park.



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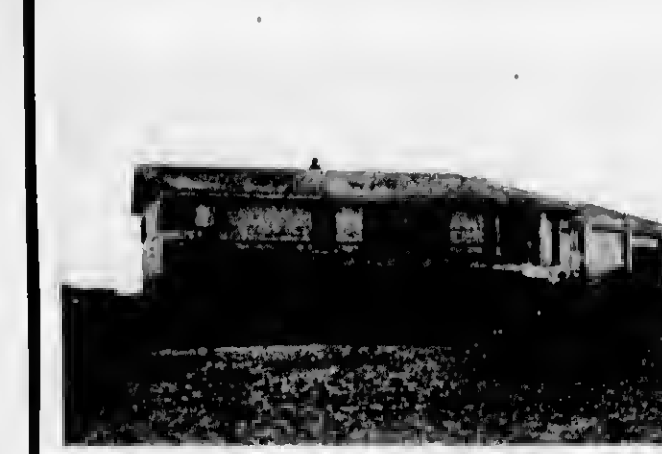
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Dorothy Pelton is director of the Charlevoix County Senior Citizens' Center in East Jordan, operated by the Charlevoix County Commission on Aging. This week the Courier talks with her about the services offered by the Commission and activities at the Center.

COURIER: Who makes up the Commission on Aging?
PELTON: It is a group of men and women from all over the county, appointed by the County Board of Commissioners.

COURIER: What services and programs does the Commission on Aging offer to Senior Citizens?
PELTON: We serve nutritionally balanced meals three times a week in the three cities in the county: Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday in Charlevoix at 12 o'clock in the high school cafeteria; Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday at 12:30 in the Senior Center in East Jordan; and Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday at the American Legion Hall in Boyne City.

COURIER: How many meals do you serve?
PELTON: During June we served 586 meals in Charlevoix, 602 meals in East Jordan, and 273 meals in Boyne City. We hope to start serving meals in Boyne Falls in the fall.

COURIER: What about your transportation services?
PELTON: We have two buses, one equipped for handicapped people, and a mini bus. We make two round trips to Petoskey each week. On Monday we go from Charlevoix to Petoskey and on Friday we go from East Jordan and Boyne City to Petoskey. We also use the buses to take people to and from the meal sites, to doctors and dentists, to the Bergmann Center, to shop, to visit friends, and other places.

COURIER: What goes on at the Senior Center?
PELTON: The building is the Center for the whole County. Some day we hope to have satellites in other towns. At the Center we have speakers on various subjects, including legal matters such as wills, medical problems, first aid, psychology, and so

forth. We help people fill out forms for tax exemptions. We now have applications for people who want grants for the winterization program. We run a referral service for people with various problems. If we don't know the answer, we'll find it. We have crafts classes, including wood-working. One man who became interested in wood-working used to spend all his time watching television. Now he is so busy making things from wood he doesn't have time for TV. All in all, the Senior Center tries to provide family interest and love for those who don't have a family.

COURIER: Is there a need for housing for Senior Citizens in the County?
PELTON: There certainly is. We have Lakeview Manor in East Jordan and Littletonburg Place in Boyne City. There is none in Charlevoix. They need some, and we could use more housing in both East Jordan and Boyne City. I don't go along with the idea that housing for Senior Citizens is bad. Some say they are segregated, but they can have

company when they want it, they're not a burden to their children, and they're not bothered by screaming kids. Statistics show that the elderly population increases by two percent a year, so we're going to need more Senior Citizens' housing.

COURIER: Tell us about the new free medical examinations for Senior Citizens.
PELTON: We are giving them in cooperation with Health Department No. 3. The purpose of the program is to help identify unrecognized diseases or defects in individuals before they become apparent, and to keep track of known chronic conditions. The examinations consist of blood pressure, pulse, blood tests, urine tests, vision and hearing, weight and height, physical examinations, breast examinations, etc. Registration for the examinations is the fourth Wednesday of each month - this month, the 27th. Charlevoix Senior Citizens may register at the City Hall from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m., those in

East Jordan at the Senior Center during the same hours, and those in Boyne City at the Top of Michigan auditorium at the same hours.

COURIER: Are you still taking blood pressures at the meal sites?
PELTON: Yes, we do that every two months.

COURIER: Do you have any special fun activities planned for the future?
PELTON: We're going to have a campout at Wilderness

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Sequanota Club celebrates 75th



THE CLUBHOUSE at Sequanota, which was built in 1903, is the center of activity at the resort. Here members eat their lunches and dinners, gather for Sunday evening suppers, and hold their meetings.

Lower lake levels make boating hazardous in area

Now that the water level of Lakes Michigan and Charlevoix is down almost two feet from what it has been in recent years, there is danger for recreational boaters from unseen and uncharted hazards.

Petty Officer Steven Neal of the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station reports that some of these hazards have recently come to the attention of the

Coast Guard. "When the water level is higher, people get used to crossing certain points and entering docks a certain way. Sometimes they cut buoys sharper than they should. Now that the water is down two feet, this could cause problems," he says.

Logs, stumps, and rocks normally covered by an ample depth of water are now just below the surface in some

waterways and present a serious danger to boat hulls and propellers. The Coast Guard warns that special care must be taken when boating in such areas, particularly during periods of reduced visibility.

The best safety tip, according to the Coast Guard, is to always be familiar with local conditions before beginning a voyage

By PEG OHLE

Members of the Sequanota Club will celebrate the Club's 75th anniversary with a week of festivities beginning next Sunday.

Sequanota is located on the south side of Lake Charlevoix near Ironton. It is a small resort with 22 cottages and a clubhouse, where residents eat their noon and evening meals.

Sequanota is a quiet, friendly community. Families have known each other for generations, some for four generations.

The idea for Sequanota had its inception in 1901 when Dr. John Winter Thompson, head of the organ department at Knox College in Galesburg, Illinois, brought a party of more than 50 Galesburg residents to Ironton, where they occupied the empty cottages of a defunct iron furnace company.

Dr. Thompson had spent some summers in his early life working at the iron works in East Jordan and remembered the special beauty of the area.

He and Professor Frederick Mueller, also of the organ department, and their wives incorporated the Sequanota club, which was chartered in 1902. Thirteen cottages were built that year, and nine later,

bringing the number to the charter limit of 22.

Today, only one cottage is owned by descendants of a charter member.

The program for Anniversary Week includes a tennis tournament, sailboat races, a bridge tournament, a golf tournament, a cruise and dinner aboard the Beaver Islander on Lake Charlevoix, a "speakers night" to hear representatives of the Charlevoix Historical Society, flag dedication, memorial tree planting, and a special dinner at which old movie clips and snap shots will be shown.

Erwin E. Schulze of Libertyville, Illinois is chairman of the event. Present officers of the Sequanota Club are William Klingbeil of Grosse Pointe, president; Mrs. John Voelker of Ishpeming, vice-president; and Mrs. Franklin Lounsbury of River Forest, Illinois, secretary.

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A DISPLAY commemorating the baking of the world's largest cherry pie is nearing completion at the Charlevoix Township southside fire station. The display includes the original pie tin and a model of the oven the pie was baked in.

Le Harve chosen as site of 1978 Pontiac PR shots

Lights! Camera! Action! Le Harve last week. General Motors selected the condominium site on Round Lake in Charlevoix as the location for publicity and

advertising photographs of the upcoming publicity campaign. A crew of 12 worked out of two trucks loaded with equipment throughout the day. Two models were also on hand for the filming.

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71 enter Junior Open during Venetian festival

The second annual Venetian Festival Junior Open Tennis Tournament attracted 71 entries, according to Dwight Boss, City Recreation director.

Winners in the four U.S.T.A.-sanctioned meets were Bob Heckeroth of Midland in the Boys 18 years and younger group, Mike Sparta of Midland who topped the field of entries in the boys 16 years and younger, Brenda Westbrook of Midland, top player in the Girls 18 years and younger and Kate Rentschler of Walloon Lake in the girls 16 years and younger.

The tournament was started at the municipal courts here but ended up at the Racquet Club at Petoskey when driven indoors by the rain Sunday.

In winning over a field of 25 entries, Heckeroth defeated Matt Sandler of Essexville, 3-6, 7-6, 6-1, in the final after knocking out Billy Holmes and Keith Haugland to get to the finals.

In the Boys 18 years and younger where there were 28 entries, Sparta defeated Lance Hawkey of Petoskey 7-6, 6-4, to take this division. Enroute to the finals, he had

eliminated Kevin Rankin, Brett Miller, Robert Russell and Brian Black.

In the girls 18 and under where there were only seven entries, Brenda Westbrook of Midland won Mary Stoner, also of Midland.

In the girls 16 and under division where there were 11 entries, Kate Rentschler of Walloon Lake defeated Sally Hatch of Bay View 6-2, 6-2, to take the title after defeating Margaret Fenneth, Linda Topolky and Sherry Hoshild.

Rainy weather halts play in Venetian tourney

The fourth annual Venetian Festival Fastpitch Tournament sponsored by the Charlevoix Recreation Department was halted by the rain Sunday as the thirteenth game in the double elimination tourney was being played.

Viking Athletics of Petoskey was ahead of Charlevoix County State Bank 2-1 in the bottom of the seventh when the game was called. It was expected to be completed at 8

p.m. Tuesday.

The tournament will continue in the loser's bracket with Bess Engineering and Alpha Bar Americans clash at 9 p.m. and game 16 which will pit the winners of these two games against each other at 10:30 p.m. Tuesday.

The winner of this game will meet the loser of the final game in the winner's bracket Petoskey Eagles-Ref Petroleum which

was to have been played at 9:30 p.m. Monday.

The finals in the loser's bracket are scheduled for 9:30 p.m. Wednesday. If another game is necessary it will be played at 11 p.m. Wednesday.

Charlevoix Slo-pitch Association games scheduled for the early part of the week will be pre-empted by the fastpitch tourney games.

Men's city league has abbreviated schedule

Charlevoix Recreation Department Men's Slo-pitch League had an abbreviated session of play last week due to the rainy weather and the Venetian Festival.

However, G-men, Kit Carson and Wojaans all managed to chalk up a win.

The G-men defeated Fred

Taylor, Inc., 9-6. Bub Holtzman took the win on 11 hits and Ken Willett had the loss on 17 hits.

Wojaans defeated the Hospital 9-5. Bill Supernaw was the winning pitcher letting up nine hits while Barney Roeters took the loss on 11 hits.

Steve Dunkelberg and Dave Novotny had home runs for Wojaans and Barney Roeters had a home run for the hospital.

Sports

Kusina team back in first place tie with Dairy Queen

Kusina Motors cemented its first place position in the Womens Slo-pitch League by defeating Tri-County Asphalt 13-3.

Tammy Mitchell was the winning pitcher on a mere four hits. Clara Martin took the loss on six hits. Pam Parsel and Chris Johnson both had home runs for Kusina.

The Kusina team also defeated the County State Bank 10-8 in women's league play last week. Ms. Mitchell again took the win on six hits. Jodi Alger was credited with the loss on seven hits.

The other first place team in the league, Dairy Queen also had a winning week of play.

Dairy Queen defeated Tri-County Asphalt 12-3. Cindy Kitley took the win on six hits with Sue Holm gathering up the loss on 10 hits.

In other action, the Topside plucked Kentucky Fried Chicken 28-6. Carol Vasselou had the win on five hits with Pam Collins taking the loss on 17 hits.

Barb and Cathy Mosorjak, Sue Meir, Sherri Shellen, and Joyce McClelland and Pam Collins all had home runs for the Topside.

VIP defeated Medusa 12-9. Sue Peters had the win on 13 hits while Carol White took the loss on eight hits.

Township Standings

Player's Name	AB	BA	AVG
Mike Bartlett-Murdick's Fudge	48	26	.542
Gary Probert-Chester's Boat Livery	42	22	.524
Harold Thorne-Tri-Co. Well Drilling	44	23	.523
Robert Russell-V.F.W.	47	24	.511
Charles Borths-McArt's Mart	45	21	.467
James Moore-Murdick's Fudge	41	19	.463
Robert Warner-Tri-Co. Well Drilling	48	22	.458
John Hutchison-Chester's Boat Livery	49	22	.449
Bill Belfy-Chester's Boat Livery	50	21	.420

Team	W	L
Chester's Boat Livery	14	1
Air Force	8	5
Coast Guard	8	5
Murdick's Fudge	6	6
VFW	5	6
Tri-Co. Well Drilling	5	6
Koonitz Construction	2	12

Standings as of July 11, 1977

Chester's Boat Livery still league leader

League leading Chester's Boat Livery had another successful week in Charlevoix Township Slo-pitch league action.

Chester's narrowly defeated Murdick's Fudge 7-6.

Greg Revolt had the win on nine hits and Jack Niswander took the loss on nine hits.

Chester's also defeated McArt's 8-1. Dave Charbeneau took the win on four hits with Bob Borth taking the loss on 14 hits.

In other action Tri-County Well Drillers drownd Koonitz Construction 20-18. Harold Thorne had the win on nine hits with Pete Culver taking the loss on 20 hits. Randy Harvard had a 275 foot, over the fence home run.

The Air Force dropped McArt's 6-5. Bob Barths had the win on nine hits and Bill Hargrove took the loss on seven hits.

The Coast Guard also took two wins during last week's play. The guardsmen defeated the VFW 20-11. Rene Mendez took the win on 13 hits with Dan Wells taking the loss on 10 hits.

John Rock had a home run for the Coast Guard and Mike Kane had a home run for VFW.

In their second game, the Coast Guard again defeated VFW 9-4. Richard Sedlissen had the win on nine hits and Robert Wells took the loss on five hits.

In Friday night play, McArt's pulled off a win in a

Nunemaker gets hole-in-one

Charlevoix resident took his place in the golfer's coveted hole-in-one league during the St. Marks Golf Tournament at the Briarwood Golf Course in Grand Rapids recently.

Larry Nunemaker, 14, had a hole-in-one on the 165-yard, 15th hole of the course. The hole is usually a par three.

City Standings

Player	Team	AB	BA
Buch Potter	Fred Taylor, Inc.	29-38	.763
Steve Dunkelberg	Wojaans' Alum.	22-29	.759
Bernie DeVries	Kit Carson Lmbr.	22-15	.592
Tim Carey	Wojaans' Alum.	23-37	.622
Andy Carey	Wojaans' Alum.	23-37	.596
Bruce Meggison	G-Men	15-26	.577
Pat Kerr	G-Men	19-33	.576
Jerry Skippergosh	Hawks	18-27	.571
Kragg Lieberman	Kit Carson Lmbr.	21-38	.553
Steve McClellan	Hawks	19-35	.543

Standings	W	L
Kit Carson Townhouse	10	0
Hospital	8	3
Wojaans' Alum.	8	5
Fred Taylor, Inc.	5	5
G-Men	5	5
Erber Auto	4	7
Credit Union	4	7
Medusa	2	8
Hawks	2	8

Home Runs	12
Tim Carey, Kit Carson Lmbr.	
Steve Dunkelberg, Wojaans' Alum.	

CHARLEVOIX SLOW PITCH LEAGUE	Men's League
Wednesday, July 27	
6:00 p.m. Hospital vs Beebe's G Men	
7:15 p.m. Medusa vs Hawks	
8:30 p.m. Townhouse vs Wojaans' Alum.	
Friday, July 29	
8:00 p.m. Kit Carson Lmbr vs Credit Union	
7:15 p.m. Hospital vs Fred Taylor, Inc.	
8:30 p.m. Medusa vs Erber Auto	
Monday, Aug. 1	
6:00 p.m. Townhouse vs Beebe's G Men	
6:00 p.m. County State Bank vs Kentucky Fried Chicken	
7:15 p.m. Village Inn Pizza vs Topside	
Wednesday, Aug. 3	
6:00 p.m. Medusa vs Kit Carson Lmbr.	
7:15 p.m. Townhouse vs Fred Taylor, Inc.	
8:30 p.m. Wojaans' Alum vs Erber Auto	
Thursday, July 28	
6:00 p.m. Coast Guard vs Tri-County Well Drilling	
7:15 p.m. Village Inn Pizza vs Topside	
8:30 p.m. Tri-County Well Drilling vs Medusa	
Friday, July 29	
6:00 p.m. Ky. Fried Chicken vs Kusina Motor	
7:15 p.m. Topside vs Dairy Queen	
8:30 p.m. Village Inn Pizza vs County State Bank	
Tuesday, Aug. 1	
6:00 p.m. Tri-County vs Ky. Fried Chicken	
7:15 p.m. Topside vs Medusa	
8:30 p.m. Village Inn Pizza vs Kusina Motors	
CHARLEVOIX TOWNSHIP SLOW PITCH ASSOCIATION (ball park at Waller and Martin roads)	
Tuesday, July 26	
6:00 p.m. Coast Guard vs Air Force	
7:15 p.m. McArt's vs Tri-County Well Drilling	
Wednesday, July 27	
6:00 p.m. Murdock's Fudge vs V.F.W.	
7:15 p.m. Chester's Boat Livery vs Koonitz Construction	
Thursday, July 28	
6:00 p.m. Coast Guard vs Tri-Co. Well Drilling	
7:15 p.m. McArt's vs V.F.W.	
Monday, Aug. 1	
6:00 p.m. McArt's vs Tri-Co. Well Drilling	
7:15 p.m. Chester's Boat Livery vs Koonitz Construction	
Tuesday, Aug. 2	
8:00 p.m. Murdock's Fudge vs Coast Guard	
7:15 p.m. V.F.W. vs Air Force	
Wednesday, Aug. 3	
8:00 p.m. Chester's Boat Livery vs McArt's	
7:15 p.m. Koonitz Construction vs Tri-Co. Well Drilling	

CHARLEVOIX CITY RECREATION	Peonut League
Tuesday, July 26	
6:00 p.m. A's vs Red	
7:15 p.m. Pirates vs Cubs	
Friday, July 29	
6:00 p.m. Cubs vs Reds	
7:15 p.m. Pirates vs A's	
Tuesday, Aug. 2	
6:00 p.m. Pirates vs Reds	
7:15 p.m. Cubs vs A's	
T.Ball	
Thursday, July 28	
6:00 p.m. Yellow Sox vs Blue Sox	
7:00 p.m. Red Sox vs Black Sox	
8:00 p.m. Orange Sox vs Green Sox	
Monday, Aug. 1	
6:00 p.m. Yellow Sox vs Maroon Sox	
7:00 p.m. Blue Sox vs Grey Sox	
8:00 p.m. Orange Sox vs White Sox	
Friday, July 27	
8:00 p.m. Blue Jays vs Orioles	
7:15 p.m. Cardinals vs Indians	
Wednesday, Aug. 3	
6:00 p.m. Cardinals vs Orioles	
7:15 p.m. Blue Jays vs Indians	

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

A public hearing will be held at seven-thirty PM, on August 9, 1977 in the Hayes township hall, to hear public comment on a proposed Hayes Township Zoning Amendment.

The proposed amendment involves a zone district change from A-1 to C-1, on the following parcel of property:

In township of Hayes, part of Government lots 1 & 2, Section 3, T.34N., R.7W., approximate land area, 10 acres, far Phase one site plan. Owned by Roy V. and Nancy R. Wood.

Lillian Bergmann, chairman
HAYES TOWNSHIP PLANNING COMMISSION



SEVERAL LOCAL officials were on hand during special ceremonies Friday celebrating Big Rock Nuclear Plant's new record for continuous days in operation. Here Cyril Hartman, plant manager, receives commendations from Charlevoix Mayor Edward Hansen, Clyde Cunningham, chairman of the board of directors and Lee Sneathen, Jr., Hayes Township supervisor.

Big Rock breaks operating record

Charlevoix is the home of a new world's record.

The Big Rock Nuclear Power plant, owned by Consumers Power Co., has set a new world's record for continuous generation of electricity by a nuclear power plant.

The plant has been in continual operation for 343 days since Aug. 13. The former world's record of 322 consecutive days was held by an Italian nuclear plant.

Several Charlevoix County officials were on hand Friday

to congratulate officials and employees at the nuclear power plant located on the shores of Lake Michigan four miles north of Charlevoix, on their operational and safety record.

Charlevoix Mayor Edward Hansen presented Cyril Hartman, plant supervisor, with a certificate of commendation both for the operating record and what the plant has done for the socio-economic community of Charlevoix.

Clyde Cunningham, chairman of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners, presented a letter of recommendation and Lee Sneathen, Jr., supervisor of Hayes Township where the nuclear plant is located, presented a plaque of commendation.

During Big Rock's world record setting operation, it produced more than 520 million kilowatt hours of electricity. Based on BTUs (British Thermal Units), it would have taken a train of

full oil tankers 110 miles long to produce the same amount of energy.

The Big Rock plant will be out of service for about seven weeks for refueling, inservice inspection and maintenance. About 12 tons of uranium fuel or one-fourth of the fuel in the reactor core will be replaced.

Since it started operation in 1962 as the nation's fifth commercial nuclear plant, Big Rock has generated over 5.09 billion kilowatt hours for Consumers Power.

Rabbi conducts services in Petoskey

Rabbi Harold Caminker, a senior at Hebrew Union College in Cincinnati, will conduct worship services every Friday evening at 8:15 at Petoskey's Temple B'nai Israel, located at the corner of Michigan and Waukazoo-ave.

Rabbi Caminker is a native of Detroit and received his B.A. degree in Social Sciences at Michigan State University in 1972. After graduation he spent a year in Israel to begin his rabbinical studies.

From 1973 to 1976 he studied at the Hebrew Union College in Los Angeles, followed by a year's internship as student rabbi at Alexandria, Va.

He presently is completing his final two years before ordination at Hebrew Union in Cincinnati.

Rabbi Caminker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Caminker of Farmington Hills.

CHICO book sale slated

Residents of the Charlevoix area are reminded that books are still being accepted for the CHICO book sale scheduled for Aug. 12-13.

Mrs. Ethel Wiesinger, general chairperson for the sale, said books of every description are acceptable

While in Petoskey he is staying at the Forrest Eggers home on Division St.

The Friday worship services will be followed by a reception (Ong Shabbat) in the temple parlor.



Rabbi Caminker

and may be left at her residence at 201 Petoskey-Ave. or at the Charlevoix Public Library.

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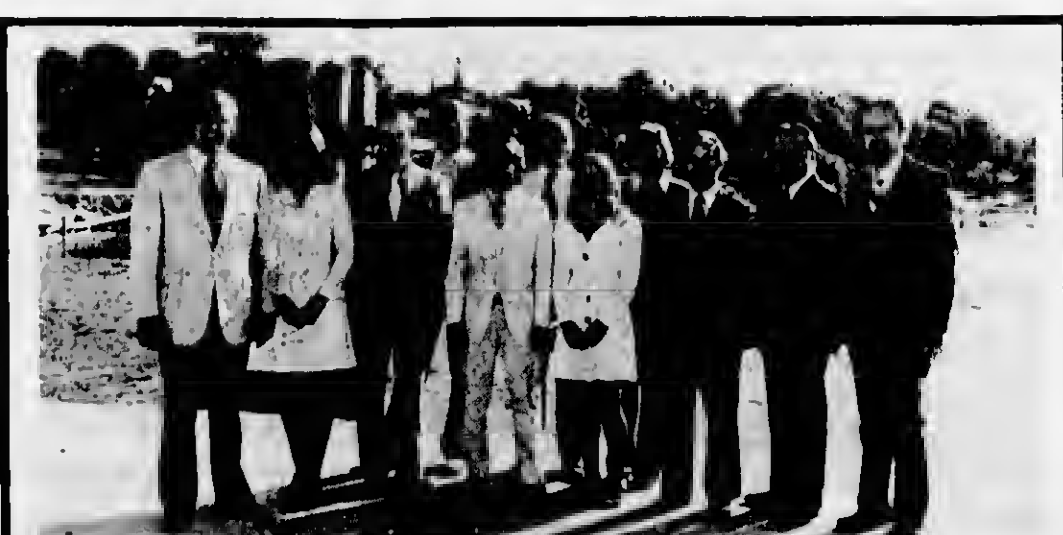
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THE MAJOR LEAGUE Division of the Little League Boys All Star team participated in a tourney last weekend. Members of the team are: (front row, left to right) Matt Peterson, Alan Bergmann, Kevin Morrison, Jim Herriman and John Spieles. In the middle row is Gary Carson, Rusty Williams, and John Supernaw. In the back row are: Fred Mielke, Todd Daylong, Kraag Klooster, Jeff Trimmer, Jim Buchanan and Manager Lawrence Bergmann. Missing from the picture are Brent Cole, Chris Putman, Mike Martin and Coach Rusty Smith.



Meet the Charlevoix staff at Ski & Shore. Pictured above from left to right are: Dick Georgi, Jan Crawford, Rick Bartrem, Bob Murray, Rik Lobenzherz, George Richardson, Pat Harrison, Alyce Lessar, Leo Moulleur, Jim Mitchell and Roger Shepard. Not pictured is Joe Morris.

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Very few white people had seen a sunset over Little Traverse Bay on that late fall day in 1863, when the first train whistled to a stop at the end of its line.

On board was a reporter for a Grand Rapids newspaper, who in reporting on the wilderness scenery, dubbed it Petoskey's Million Dollar Sunset.

The metamorphosis of Petoskey was rapid. It grew from a small Indian settlement at the mouth of Bear river, to a dynamic, busy village catering to the needs of sightseers and homebuilders. To house the visitors, the Arlington and other luxury hotels were constructed overnight. Rooming houses for

the less affluent were soon to follow.

By 1890 a substantial number of shops had sprung up along the main street, creating a very unique pioneer shopping area. Along the Bear River waterpower was harnessed to run sawmills, flour mills, hardwood flooring industries, butter bowl factories, and furniture making industries. The limestone cliffs along Little Traverse Bay provided Petoskey with lime, a natural resource of great importance to the industrial development of the town.

Little steamers plied the Bay, and the summer visitors who registered at Petoskey hotels and rooming houses took advantage of the many excursions offered. The most popular trip was the Circular or Island Route. This lengthy excursion took the traveler up the coastline of Little Traverse Bay into Lake Michigan, around to Mackinac Island, on to Cheboygan and then down the chain of rivers and lakes to what is now Conway. Until the quaint little dummy trains were in operation, the excursionists were jolted back to Petoskey from Conway by wagon and team.

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In 1880 the system was in full operation and trips were being made every fifteen minutes. By 1905 two trains ran from Petoskey to Harbor Springs at half hour intervals. Many of the people who had come to see the area on the train liked what they saw and became regular summer visitors. By the 1900's the shift from tourism to settled summer communities was in motion. Many resorts developed around the Bay and inland lakes of the area. The new tangle of summer resorts spelled the doom of the delightful little steamers on the Bay, the little dummy trains, and the luxury hotels. Many of the hotels burned and were not rebuilt. The dummy engines were sold for scrap, and the steamers sailed off over the horizon.

Although the modes of transportation have seen drastic change, Petoskey's magnetism remains. There is still an element of charm and friendliness in shopping adventure which belongs uniquely to Petoskey's Gaslight District. One may still marvel at the beauty of Little Traverse Bay and experience the wonder of the Million Dollar Sunset.

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Manager & Demonstrators needed in this area. Over 400 fast-selling items! Best Hostess Awards. No investment! Call Toll Free 1-800-243-7066, or write SANTA'S TOY PARTIES, Avon, Conn. 06001. ALSO BOOKING PARTIES. (7-20-2-101)

103 Fuller Brush Products
Home delivery. Phone 547-9609. (7-20-4-101)

104 Cards of Thanks
I WOULD like to extend my sincere appreciation to all my friends, the doctors, nurses, and everyone who was so kind to me during my recent stay at Charlevoix. Aree Hospital. LaRue Gill. (7-13-1-121)

105 Free Offers
FREE TO good home, 2 mixed female collie puppies, 9 weeks old. Call 547-4930. (7-20-2-142)

106 Lost and Found
LOST black and brown beagle in Charlevoix, July 23rd, evening. During fireworks. Reward. Call 347-8904. (7-21-1-163)

107 Charlevoix Marina
collie type puppy, July 16. 582-6960. (7-21-1-163)

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CHARLEVOIX STORAGE - INDIVIDUAL STORAGE UNITS
• SAFE
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From 60 to 600 Square Feet. Call 547-9431
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Ask About Our Commercial Reasonable Rates - Pk. 547-6316
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110 Jack Stebbins
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547-9066 (4-9-11-181)

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LOW RATES
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114 BECKMAN PLAYER PIANO
wood and bench in good condition, keys need work. Never stored in dampness or cold. Will deliver within 30 miles radius. Asking \$400. Phone 533-8545. (7-20-2-361)

115 TWO YEAR OLD B-flat clarinet.
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116 VIZSLA PUPS - Hungarian
Pointers. Bred for hunting ability and temperament. Fine hunters and companions. Call Potosky, 347-4983. (7-27-3-368)

117 WANTED: Cedar Logs - 100' long, 8" to 10" in diameter, must be straight & sound. Will pay \$70.00 a cord delivered to our yard. For further details, call No. 616/549-2421 days, or No. 616/549-2706 evenings. (7-27-1-415)

118 REMODELED HOME
3 bedroom older home near downtown Charlevoix that has been remodeled and is in very good condition, call for all the details. CHARLEVOIX PROPERTIES, INC. 547-4411. (7-27-1-415)

119 IMMACULATE RANCH HOME
3 bedroom ranch on huge lot with nice view and garden spot. Has black garage. All in front. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, Charlevoix, 547-9782. (7-27-1-415)

120 OVERLOOKING CHARLEVOIX'S YACHT HARBOR.
An attractive 3 bedroom ranch home with a large picture windowed living room. You'll love the "Florida" room and patio too. Only \$59,900. COLWELL & CO., REALTORS. (7-27-1-415)

121 RETIREES DELIGHT
near downtown Charlevoix, garage and nice garden spot. Only \$25,000. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, Charlevoix, 547-9782. (7-27-1-415)

122 2 FAMILY INCOME.
Plus Office Space on Bridge Street in Charlevoix. \$15,000 down. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, Charlevoix, 547-9782. (7-27-1-415)

123 FOR LEASE - 7500 sq. ft.
commercial building on U.S. 31 S. Charlevoix. Will lease all or part. For use of offices, light manufacturing, and ware house. Call 547-6273 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. or 547-4936 after 5 p.m. (6-13-11-401)

124 UNION SIBB NEW
looking for residential Journeyman. Must have experience in residential wiring and be able to handle a full service truck. Union scale and fringe benefits. Call 547-6273 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. WAUN ELECTRIC CO. (7-27-1-290)

125 RESIDENTIAL ELECTRICIAN
needed. Must have a background in production housing and be able to handle a full service truck. Union scale and fringe benefits. Call between 6 a.m. and 5 p.m. 547-6273. (6-8-11-290)

126 THE SISTERS ANTIQUES
2 miles south of Charlevoix, Old U.S. 31. Furniture, antiques, collectibles. Buy, sell or trade. (7-27-1-308)

127 TWO BEDROOM bungalow
on Park Ave. Call 547-4282. (7-27-1-340)

128 BACKYARD SALE
Thursday and Friday, July 28 and 29, 9 to 4:10 P.M. Upright, clothing, toys and old dishes, dryer. (7-27-1-340)

129 IN CHARLEVOIX, 3 or 4 bedroom,
living room with fireplace, enclosed porch, den, 2 baths. Call 547-4953. (7-20-2-415)

130 A DELIGHTFUL little cottage
ideal for vacation or rental use. Partially furnished. Newly decorated and ready for your enjoyment. Under \$20,000. SKI AND SHORE POTOSKY, 347-7600. (7-13-3-415)

131 LOOKING FOR A STARTER HOME?
Take a look at this efficient Charlevoix chalet. Ample living, including a full basement and a 2 car garage. SKI AND SHORE POTOSKY, 347-7600. (7-13-3-415)

132 CEMENT MIXER
Price \$29. See it at 707 Grand St., Charlevoix, or phone 547-9445. (7-27-1-359)

133 AVOCADO
Side by side freezer-refrigerator. Sears best. Used 1 year. 40" front load. Formica top, table, 4 swivel chairs. Antique oak desk and other small articles. 547-4613. (7-27-1-359)

134 OAK BUFFET
50" wide, 54" deep, 8914 evenings. (7-27-1-359)

135 YOU REACH MORE PEOPLE
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123 MAKE YOUR APPOINTMENT EARLY
to view this exceptional northside duplex in Charlevoix. Two full sized apartments with 2 bedrooms in the downstairs unit and 3 in the upstairs. Excellent condition, top to bottom. A sound investment at \$59,900. Call today. COLWELL & CO., REALTORS. (7-27-1-415)

124 IF YOU'VE ALWAYS LOOKED FOR THE CHANCE TO BUILD
near beautiful Torch Lake, but the price of property was always out of reach... Here's your chance... We have just put the market 7 lots overlooking Torch Lake from a distance of less than one mile. All 7 have county maintained road access, underground utilities, over an acre of land and can be bought with little down and 8% terms. Call for details... (7-27-1-420)

125 TWO MARVELOUS 10 acre
Lake Charlevoix parcels. Tree covered and each with nearly 500 feet of north shore frontage. Near Charlevoix. Very private and with deed restrictions. Priced at \$200 per front foot. COLWELL & CO., REALTORS. (7-27-1-420)

126 BEAVER ISLAND
- beautiful contemporary year-round cottage, shake roof, on 600 ft. Lake Michigan frontage, \$35,000. Terms, trade-in or down. L.D. Decker, Realtor, Alma, Michigan, 317-483-2515. (7-27-1-420)

127 2 COTTAGES - LAKE CHARLEVOIX
100 foot lot on Lake Charlevoix with 2 cottages priced to sell at \$39,900, with terms, call today for your tour. CHARLEVOIX PROPERTIES, INC. 547-4411. (7-27-1-439)

128 LYMAN 25'
kept under cover, sharp condition, down riggers, reasonable. Lewis Drake at Ulrich's Campground, Lot No. 10, Hwy. 31, across from Wayside Motel. (7-20-4-507)

129 FOR SALE 2 1/2
Richardson cabin boat, equipped with Solar fishing gear. \$3,000. Call 547-6423. (6-22-11-507)

130 16' CROSBY 7 1/2 h.p. motor.
Older boat, 1 owner, has been kept in good condition, is equipped for skiing, might throw in skis and line, children grown, will sell for best offer. For more information, call 547-6020 or see it at Swan Marina. (7-27-1-507)

131 14' GLASSAR
runabout with 50 h.p. Mercury. Electric start and alternator. Pacer trailer. See at 604 May St. Call 547-4987 or 547-4484 days. Ask for Bob Miller. (7-27-1-507)

132 16' REBEL - 850
Very good condition. 547-4936. (7-27-1-507)

133 401 Apartments for Rent
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123 HAYES TOWNSHIP
ACREAGE 10 acres on a dead end county road, rolling land with open meadows and woods, priced right at \$6,500. CHARLEVOIX PROPERTIES, INC. 547-4411. (7-27-1-420)

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a unique parcel with a 40' knoll overlooking Monroe Creek Valley. A beautiful and secluded parcel for your get away. \$17,500. SKI AND SHORE POTOSKY, 347-7600. (7-27-1-420)

125 ONE OF A KIND
in Charlevoix's Pine Point. Beautifully wooded, double corner lot ready and waiting for your new home. Tons of water and natural gas. Just two blocks from a Lake Charlevoix bathing beach. One of the very best lots around. COLWELL & CO., REALTORS. (7-27-1-420)

126 ON HISTORIC BEAVER ISLAND.
A wealth of Health Department approved lots in Port St. James Subdivision. Lake Michigan lots for only \$7,500. Financing available with but 20 percent down. Contact Ed Wojan on Beaver Island at (616) 488-2282 or stop by any Colwell & Co., Realtors office. (7-27-1-420)

127 THIS IS JUST ONE OF THE MANY GOOD BUYS AVAILABLE
FROM THE NEW KEITH DRESSSEL OFFICE IN CHARLEVOIX..... KEITH DRESSSEL REALTY 100 PARK AVE. CHARLEVOIX 547-6592 (7-27-1-420)

128 180 ACRES:
a large parcel of land surrounded by State land in northern Charlevoix County. Gentle rolling land, green grass and blue skies and a perfectly wooded knoll make this a beautiful parcel, 1/4 mile of road with easy access. SKI AND SHORE POTOSKY, 347-7600. (7-13-3-420)

129 LAKE CHARLEVOIX
Frontage... 100' x 700' wooded, on paved road, only \$15,900. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, Charlevoix, 547-9782. (7-27-1-420)

130 COUNTRY LIVING - CH102
Executive style mobile home, 14 x 65 on ten acres in an attractive setting. Large front yard and king size garden space. Lots of extras here. Bay Shore Area. Also ten level acres near this location high and dry. Approximately one mile from Lake Charlevoix. Building site five acres. Some open, some hardwood, some apple trees. Gently rolling on your round access. Make offer. (7-13-3-420)

131 10 ACRES
in Hayes township on year round paved road. Nice open terrain with a view of Lake Charlevoix. Perfect building site. Priced to sell. (7-13-3-415)

132 MAPLE WOODS
Firewood gal, and a new Chalet in Ironport. Must sell! J.H. CORBIN REALTY, Charlevoix, 547-9782. (7-27-1-415)

133 MICHIGAN SHORES
wooded all year spot, \$15,000 down. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, Charlevoix, 547-9782. (7-27-1-420)

123 2 BEDROOM, 1 1/2 baths
mobile home on 100' lake front lot. All for \$14,900. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, Charlevoix, 547-9782. (7-27-1-439)

124 439 Mobile Homesites
- Real Estate Wanted

125 WISH YOU WERE HERE!
100 feet on Susan Lake, well & septic, \$8,900. Easy terms. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, Charlevoix, 547-9782. (7-27-1-439)

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Former Charlevoix resident wed in outdoor ceremony

A former Charlevoix resident was married Saturday during outdoor ceremonies at Stoney Hill Lake near Ilesperia.

Deborah Jean Potter and Dale R. Houghtaling, both of Gunnison, Col., were married before 75 guests during double ring ceremonies performed by Rev. Peter Kunn of White Cloud.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Tubman of Sault Ste. Marie. Parents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Houghtaling of Fremont.

For her wedding, the bride made her own gown out of floor-length ivory cotton eyelet based on a design by Oscar de la Renta for Vogue. She carried a bouquet of ivy, yellow daisy pompons, Queen Anne's Lace and yarrow. She had a matching headpiece.

Diane Potter of Goleta, Calif., assisted her sister as maid of honor. She wore a floor-length pale blue eyelet cotton dress of the same design as the bride's dress. She carried a bouquet of yellow daisies.

Steven Paris of Woodland Park, Col., was the best man. For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Tubman wore a floor-length yellow polyester knit sleeveless dress. The groom's mother Mrs. Houghtaling wore a floor-length green and blue print dress with a chiffon overlay.

Following the wedding was a picnic buffet given by the bride and the parents of the couple.

After a wedding trip through Northern Michigan, the couple will make their home at Stoney Hill Lake, Ilesperia. The bride is a registered nurse and the groom is an elementary school teacher.



Mr. and Mrs. Dale Houghtaling

Engaged

Klama-Donaldson

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Klama announce the engagement of their daughter Tina Marie to James Lee Donaldson. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Donaldson.

Miss Klama is a student at Charlevoix High School and is working as a waitress. She will graduate next June. Her fiancé is stationed with the U.S. Air Force at Castle Air Force Base in California.

He is a 1975 graduate of Charlevoix High School and also a graduate of security police academy at Lackland AFB in Texas.

The couple is planning a wedding for next June.



Tina Klama

Rita Rosenthal named to Evangel College list

A Charlevoix student has been named to the academic honors list at Evangel College. Rita B. Rosenthal, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Rosenthal was honored.

by the school for her academic achievement in elementary education. She is a junior at the school.

She is a 1973 graduate of Charlevoix High School.

NOTICE

THE CHARLEVOIX BOARD OF EDUCATION WILL MEET IN REGULAR SESSION AT 7:30 P.M. IN THE CHARLEVOIX HIGH SCHOOL ON THE FOLLOWING DATES:

July 18, 1977	January 16, 1978
August 1, 1977	February 6, 1978
August 15, 1977	February 20, 1978
September 19, 1977	March 6, 1978
October 3, 1977	March 20, 1978
October 17, 1977	April 3, 1978
November 7, 1977	April 17, 1978
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December 5, 1977	May 15, 1978
December 19, 1977	June 5, 1978
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TED COLE (right), member of the credit committee for the Charlevoix Federal Credit Union, receives the Thrift Honor Award from Morris Rosenstein, examiner with the National Credit Union Association. The award is presented annually to the top 10 to 14 percent of the credit unions in the country which show the largest increase in total savings. The Charlevoix credit union has received the award for the past several years.

114 units of blood donated during local bloodmobile

The recent visit of the Red Cross Bloodmobile resulted in 114 units of whole blood.

The heat combined with the fact that this is a summer resort and many donors are working were credited with keeping the community below its quota of 175 units.

A total of 121 donors responded, among them eight first-time donors, with seven being deferred for various reasons a spokesman for the Bloodbank said.

Unless an emergency arises this is said to be the last visit of the bloodmobile until May 1978.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Marion Township Residents

There will be a regular meeting of the Marion Township Planning Board, July 28, 1977 at 8 p.m. at the Marion Township Hall.

Any zoning problems will be discussed at that time.

Mike Bonar,
Chairman Marion Township Planning Board



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Condominiums--Problem or solution?

Condominiums are one of the oldest forms of land ownership that exists.

The idea of the condominium can be traced back to early European history when people developed their housing close together in clusters and went out to the surrounding fields to work.

"It made sense to them to have cluster housing and to leave the open space open for use as farm land," Rick Smith, developer of Wildwood on Walloon, said reflecting on the ancient custom.

"And it makes sense for today, especially in this area where the land is very desirable."

Historical or not, condominiums have raised the ire of many Northern Michigan residents. And whenever a large tract of land, that is near the water or has a view of one of the lakes, goes up for sale, immediately there is speculation that a condominium will be built on it.

The concerns expressed by local residents about condominiums are not without reason. Since 1973, 18 different condominium groups consisting of a total of 2,600 units have been constructed in Charlevoix County, many of them on valuable lake front property or in scenic view areas.

And many of the condo groups such as the Wharf, an 11-unit condo sitting between Round Lake and Belvedere Avenue in Charlevoix, or Wildwood on Walloon, a 16-unit group sitting on 200 acres around Walloon Lake, are planning to expand.

But area residents are beginning to stand up and be counted as far as condominiums are concerned. They are

asking governmental officials to turn down requests for rezoning to accommodate more condominiums.

A recent request for the rezoning of property along Lake Charlevoix in Hayes Township from single family to multiple family for the construction of condominiums was turned down following much protest by area residents and visitors.

Of the more than 20 letters received by the Hayes Township Planning Commission, 100 percent were opposed to the construction of condominiums, Todd Warner, commission member, said.

One of the biggest concerns expressed by residents was that the land had always been zoned for single family use.

"The lake has a tradition of being single family and most people said they would hate to see it go to condominiums, especially since most of them had bought their land because it was zoned for single family use," Warner said.

"Others expressed environmental concerns."

Some of those concerns were about the added pressure a septic system for 40 condo units would place on the lake. Another concern was about the construction of a breakwater for the additional boats that would be showing up on the lake and the pollution that would create.

Special groups have even cropped up to protect their interest in the use of the lakes.

"We're concerned about lake use and water use," Josh Barnes, of the Lake

Charlevoix Environmental Protection Foundation, said.

"Our big concern is that the people have the right to know what's being planned for the lakes so that they can protest what they feel is a misuse of it," Barnes explained.

Whatever their reasons, people seem to have an ingrained dislike for condominium units or multiple living units in general, according to Bill Mercer, former Charlevoix County planner.

And that's too bad, Mercer said, because vertical housing structures may be the way of the future.

"There's just a certain amount of land," the former planner explained.

"In order to shore it we need to go vertical with our living arrangements."

"I really think that having a congregation of people in one area sharing services allows them to have more open space and undeveloped space than they would have with individual homes."

"If you go cottage, cottage, cottage, then you need more roads, more wires and more developed area than if these services were combined."

Smith said that area residents have to

accept the premise that the area will continue to attract people and will continue to grow.

"It's no longer a question of shall we have growth, but now that we do have it how can we put some control on the quality of the growth," he pointed out.

Smith is convinced that a carefully planned condominium unit is the best way to handle the growth. He believes that the restrictions surrounding the sewage systems and other technical aspects of condominiums will protect the citizens and the environment.

"I think condominiums are the best

alternative to satisfy growth pressures with the smallest degree of impact on open space," the developer said.

"Condominiums have a bad reputation because of the poorly conceived high rises on Miami Beach. But it doesn't have to be that way."

Smith said the condominium could be used to the advantage of area residents to leave open space instead of consuming the land as individual homes do.

"The land will always be here. We should be careful how we treat it while we have control of it," he cautioned.

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Young Belgian visitor finds Charlevoix to her liking

Charlevoix and the United States should be at the top of any list of places



Barbara Thevelin

to visit, according to Barbara Thevelin.

Miss Thevelin spent the last two weeks visiting Charlevoix and parts of Michigan as a guest of the Peter Kleinpeltz family through an International Rotary Club exchange.

About 170 students between the ages of 18 and 22 participated in the exchange, visiting many communities throughout the state. Miss Thevelin was the only student staying in Charlevoix, but another student visited the East Jordan area.

"I think I will come back, perhaps next year," Miss Thevelin said bubbling with enthusiasm.

"I would like to see New York, the west and the petrified forest," she said.

"And I'd like to come to Charlevoix in the winter and see the snow."

The Belgian girl explained that it rarely snows where she lives near the border of France. She has to go to Switzerland or France to ski.

"I've only been to Switzerland once to ski and see the snow," she said. "And I would like very much to see it here."

Miss Thevelin said she was impressed with many things she had seen

during her 16-day stay in Michigan.

"I was surprised by all the water in Charlevoix," Miss Thevelin said. "The first time I went to Lake Michigan, I called it going to the sea."

"It's so big and it's not salt," she exclaimed, her blue eyes flashing.

She also enjoyed seeing the Mackinac Bridge and Mackinac Island.

"Mackinac Island was nice, but I don't like so many tourists," she said.

"I know I'm a tourist, but still..."

The young woman said she had noticed some differences between the American and Belgian way of life. She said the dress here was much more casual with people wearing shorts or even bathing suits downtown or while visiting. She said she and other Belgians wore skirts and were generally more dressed up.

Miss Thevelin also noticed some differences in the food. While Belgians are acquainted with the hamburger, they usually don't eat it on a bun and they rarely have cheeseburgers, which Miss Thevelin thoroughly enjoyed. She also liked the buffet lines at area restaurants. In Belgium, the buffet line

is only used during wedding receptions, she said.

She also noticed some differences in the English she heard being used here and the English she had studied at home.

"In your language you have a lot of words that mean a lot of different things," she said. "They had to keep explaining to me what cool meant."

In addition to English, Miss Thevelin has also studied Dutch, German and French in school. At home she speaks yet another language, a kind of dialect of the Dutch language.

The young woman, who is studying art, has one more year of schooling to complete before she goes to college.

During her stay, Miss Thevelin has been collecting things to take home to her parents, brother and two sisters.

"I'm taking home fudge, of course," she laughed. "And some Petoskey stones I found on the beach."

She also purchased some jeans here because they were much less expensive than in her own country and she plans to take back some sweets, crackers and instant cake mixes.

Opening day for school set Sept. 7

The opening of school for the 1977-78 year is just around the corner.

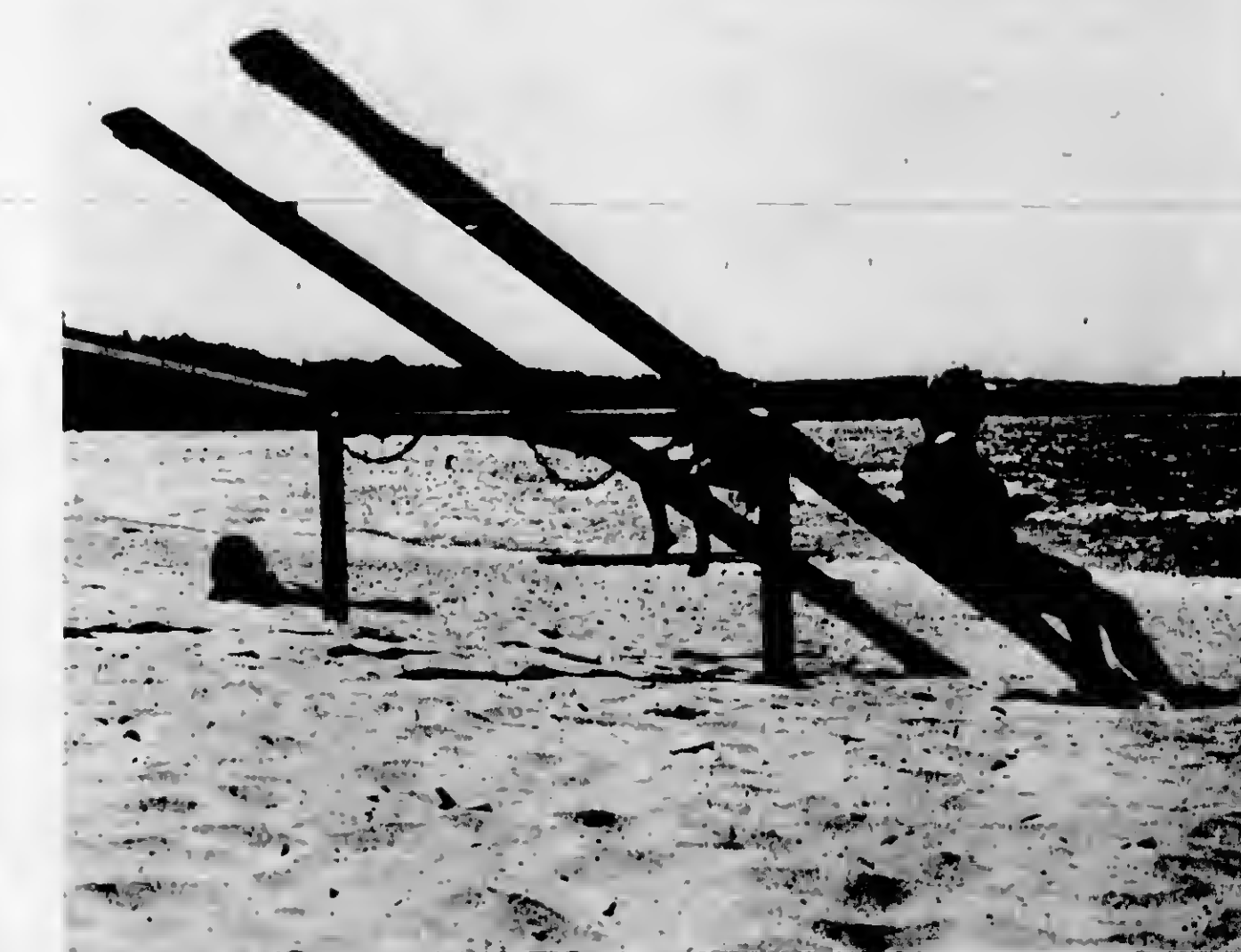
The Charlevoix Board of Education set the calendar for the upcoming school year at its regular meeting Monday.

School will open Wednesday, Sept. 7, Sept. 20, 21 and 22 have been designated as days for mini-sessions when parents will attend abbreviated classes with their children in the middle and high school and parents of elementary students will meet with the faculty to discuss goals for the year.

In other action, the school board heard a request for the transfer of property to the Charlevoix School District, discussed curriculum recommendations made by Superintendent Gordon VanWierden, awarded a bid for sealing the Charlevoix Elementary School driveway and accepted a bid for two school buses being offered for sale.

Superintendent VanWierden presented curriculum recommendations that included setting up a reading program in the middle school and a complete testing program throughout the school district including a readiness test.

VanWierden stressed the importance of the test in helping teachers determine how to use outside resource people from the intermediate school district and the state.



Summer Daze

THERE'S NOTHING LIKE the beach to bring peace to a weary soul and a battered body. And there's nothing like a water tower for providing a good vantage point. To find out how else people enjoy the beaches in Charlevoix, see the photo display on page 14.

HOTLINE
Dial 547-6559

Hotline lets others know what you think. Tell us your opinion on anything by calling 547-6559 anytime after 6 p.m. No need to give your name. Selected opinions will appear each week.

Need New Signs

First, may I ask a question? Do you try and rectify the "wrong" and comment the "right"? I have two wrongs, which I wish would be corrected. First, on the road from Boyne City and East Jordan, known as the Ferry Rd., just past the Hemingway Rd. (turn right) there are two signs, one on each side of the road. ROAD ENDS. Now, I ask you, are you, a stranger, going on? The road evidently ends in water, so you turn and go back!! Miss the ferry ride and the short way to Charlevoix. What those signs should read and please try to do something about it, "FERRY AHEAD." Second, a few weeks ago I took the little train ride from Boyne City to Boyne Falls and it is a nice ride. But, it was spoiled for me. Wherever you looked were small saplings loaded with the tent moth nests. Now, unless they are BURNED the results next year will be completely out of control. I'd like something done about this, too.

Michigan Beach Litter

We have nice beaches here in Charlevoix, and Michigan Beach is one of the nicest. I was just wondering, though, if someone forgot to put disposal cans on the long stretch of road leading into the beach area? It is littered with bottles and cans. If these cans were placed along this road, I'm sure it would encourage neatness. Thank you.

Thanks Venetian Committee

I want to thank the Charlevoix Venetian Committee for the lovely Venetian Parade, a terrific day in the park, and most memorable the Venetian Night activities. I would also like to thank the dockmaster and his wife for all their efforts on behalf of us, the boaters, who are here in the park. Carol Shaw, well No. 10, City Dock.

Enjoyed Venetian

I just want everyone to know that I enjoyed the Venetian Festival thoroughly.

P.S.



Mike Davis

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Community Calendar

Fran Martin
547-4433

Wednesday, Aug. 3

Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational church will meet at North Point home of Mrs. Charles Bleha for 1:30 p.m. potluck luncheon. Co-hosts: Mrs. William Padock; Devotions: Mrs. R.G. Reimann; Program: Book review by Mrs. Kit Carson.

Norwood United Methodist Women will meet with Mrs. William Parsons 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Scouting Club will meet at each room of club hangar 8 p.m.

TOPS will meet at undercroft of Christ Episcopal church. Weigh-in: 8 p.m.; business meeting: 8:30 p.m.

Thursday, Aug. 4

Weekly Concert in the Park will be presented in East Park by the Charlevoix City band 8 p.m.

V.P.W. Auxiliary will meet at the post home 8 p.m.

Friday, Aug. 5

Al-Anon Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.

Saturday, Aug. 6

Women of the Church of God will hold a Bake Sale at the Market Mall beginning at 9:30 a.m.

Petoskey Whirl-Aways Western Square Dance Club will meet at the Lincoln School in Petoskey 8-10:30 p.m. Members are asked to bring sandwiches for refreshments. Visitors are welcome.

Sunday, Aug. 7

Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by the Community Church of God.

Barnard Old-Timers annual potluck picnic, Veterans Park at Bridge st. and Belvedere ave. 1 p.m. In the event of inclement weather, the picnic will be held at the Barnard United Methodist church dining room at 2:30 p.m. Arrangements have been made for parking at the Oleson Parking lot.

Monday, Aug. 8

Char-Em Board of

Education will meet at the Service Center, Mercer Blvd. 8 p.m.

Women's Guild of the Charlevoix Area Hospital will meet at the hospital 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club Auxiliary family potluck at the Clubhouse 8:30 p.m. Business meeting will follow at 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Township board will meet at township hall 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday, Aug. 9

Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will meet at Grey Gables Inn 8 p.m.

Men's Prayer meeting 7 a.m. Community Church of God.

Charlevoix Area Garden Club will meet with Laurie Lesser at her home, P.O. Box 11, U.S. 31 South 1 p.m. She will "show and tell" of her hobby adventure.

Wednesday, Aug. 10

Charlevoix County Board of

Commissioners will meet at the county building annex 9:30 a.m.

Charlevoix County Chapter, Michigan Association for the Blind, will meet at community room, First State Bank, 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at the hangar each room 8 p.m.

Mary Brewster circle will meet with Mrs. Milton Adams of Norwood 9:30 a.m. Program: Book review by Mrs. James Irwin. Members will meet at First Congregational church to consolidate transportation.

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Editorials/Opinions

There's a lesson in Waldner's conviction for all citizens

There is a lesson for all of us in the recent conviction of Karl Waldner.

Waldner, a Boyne City resident, was found guilty of violating Michigan election laws by a six-member jury 10 days ago. The decision was reached in 15 minutes following one day of proceedings.

Last spring Waldner circulated a petition to nominate his wife, Janet Waldner, for a position on the Boyne City Board of Education.

Witnesses testified during the trial that Waldner, as the carrier and circulator of the petition, had not been present when all the signatures were signed on the petition, as it required by state law. School officials also complained that the length of the term sought for Mrs. Waldner was changed by Waldner after several people had already signed the petition.

No doubt all of these things have happened before on other petitions for other candidates in other races. But until now, one had been prosecuted for doing something that is a pretty well accepted

practice in Northern Michigan and other areas even though it is illegal.

And that brings up a good point. Elections are a serious business. Running for office is a serious business and helping someone run for office through circulation of a nominating petition is also a serious business.

Americans are a fortunate lot among the people of the world. The founding fathers of this country saw fit to set up a government for the people, by the people and of the people.

And one of the things they included in their governmental plan was the petition system for running for office.

The founding fathers felt that if anyone wanted to run for office they could, providing they had enough support from their friends and neighbors to get their name placed on the ballot.

Misuse of this form of government only cheapens the meaning behind it and may result in the loss of a right Americans have held dear for two centuries.



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Clockwise by Bob Clock

No month on the calendar is filled with omens and portents as August. Now don't get me wrong, August is a perfectly fine month. Although the days are growing noticeably shorter, there are still lots of good weather ahead. Probably more important, August is the month when corn ripens in Charlevoix gardens and plates of plump red tomatoes become a familiar sight on the dinner table.

The problem with August is that it is only a hoot and a holler from Labor Day, the resumption of school, September rains and nippy weather.

Pity the poor kids in Boyne City! Before another month passes they'll be back in school. And Charlevoix and East Jordan kids won't be far behind. August also is a time to hurry up and do all the things you planned to do last May. The weekend trips you kept postponing. Picnics that never materialized because you were too busy in June and July. Beach outings that were cancelled because something else came up.

The eighth month also is when Charlevoix can expect its first three-day blow, a harbinger of autumn storms to come. Ah! August! It's a lovely month, but it's fraught with portents of what's to come.

IN THE OLDEN DAYS in the newspaper business, ingenious reporters could be counted on to enliven a slow news day by filling stories about bird and wonderful world of natural oddities—some of which were more fiction than fact. I suspect that the Loch Ness Monster received much of its early publicity on slow news days.

Lately, however, monsters keep creeping into the news on perfectly ordinary days and have managed to hold their own despite Middle Eastern wars and protests against nuclear proliferation.

At first I was patient. Carefully I watered the plant and rotated it so that all the leaves got equal amounts of sunlight. I talked with it daily and encouraged it to put forth some blossoms. When that didn't work I began to ignore it, giving the violet only the minimum amount of attention.

Finally, for the last six weeks I have been bawling the plant out and even cursing at it. Just to let it know how mad I was. After all, a college educated house plant grower doesn't take defeat lightly.

I even accused the plant of being deformed, defective and a traitor. After that I just gave up.

But to my surprise, when I went into the kitchen to have breakfast one morning last week I was greeted with two beautiful deep purple blossoms. And my love affair with the plant started again.

OK, I'll admit I'm a bug on the subject. Many years ago I pledged myself to never look for those facial features and personality traits which are supposed to reveal whether a person is a rich kike, a dumb Polack, a greedy Wop or a lazy nigger. I knew I was reaching for a special kind of blindness that couldn't be attained outside of Utopia. But I figured my vision would get plenty blurred in the reaching, and that would be something.

This summer, "Big Foot," the elusive monster which reportedly has put in appearances in Asia, Oregon, Washington, Florida and Northern Michigan, is very much in the news, as monster-hunters report sightings matter-of-factly to the press.

The Japanese also have grabbed headlines with their catch of a two-ton monster from a watery grave off New Zealand. One Japanese professor has tentatively identified the ugly creature as a type of dinosaur—a plesiosaurus—thought to have been extinct for more than a million years.

Unfortunately, the fishermen who snaggled the critter in their nets were forced to dispose of the smelly hulk because they were afraid it would contaminate their fishing catch. All we have left are a few fuzzy photos, sketches by one of the fishermen and chunks of flesh dissected before the monster was returned to the Pacific Ocean.

Now, out of the sleepy farmlands of central Illinois, come stories of monstrous birds capable of lifting a 70-pound boy two feet off the ground. Over the weekend, the birds were sighted—and filmed—wheeling from tree to tree on their 12-foot wingspans.

Of course, Nessie—the Loch Ness Monster—is a veritable fixture in the daily press, as a harbinger of dedicated, responsible naturalists take advantage of summer weather to get a more positive fix on the elusive creature which inhabits the murky waters of northern Scotland.

And so it goes, day after day, as phenomena once believed to be the fantasies of fertile imaginations, gain stature in the annals of natural science.

If such monsters do indeed exist, what other fantastic creatures wait to be discovered in this little-explored world of ours?



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If it Fitz by Jim Fitzgerald

Last March I laughed at Anita Bryant. But now she has won an election, and young John is dead, and I'm not laughing anymore.

I knew John for several years, but not well. He promoted dances in my old hometown and he regularly sought publicity in the newspaper where I worked. He seemed a shy but friendly kid and I enjoyed talking to him.

I had no idea John was a homosexual. I didn't know whether he was Protestant or Catholic, either. I have never been good at finding the labels on people. I figure it is not my responsibility, so why should I care whether a person is drip-dry or should be sent to the dry cleaner?

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A few years ago there was a story in the newspaper about a woman I'd known in my youth but hadn't seen since. There was a clear photograph of her and her 2 sons, both adopted. It wasn't until recently that I saw my old friend and her family in the flesh, and noticed that one of the sons is white and the other is black.

I hadn't noticed in the photograph, or at least I'd forgotten because it wasn't important enough to remember. That's the type of blindness I'm dreaming about. We should all have it.

So anyway, it is not surprising that I was probably the only one in town who didn't know John was gay. He hadn't told me, and he hadn't tried to freshen his ranks with me, even though Anita Bryant says all gays are recidivists.

I'd seen John's obituary in the newspaper, but I didn't say the young man, not yet 30, had died. I found out a few days after the funeral. The information came in a letter sent me by one of John's friends. That's also how I learned that John had been gay.

There is a connection between John's death and his sexuality. Add another notch to the Bible as wielded by the link

Letter to the editor

Mrs. MacArthur surprised at reaction to letter

Dear Editor:

Just got the Courier & read the Hotline—I seemed to have touched a sensitive nerve in my one sentence remark about Medusa's odor. I wonder if any of the dozen or so people who've complained to me about Medusa also will back me up in print? Or the businessman who is disillusioned because he was told his taxes would go down if Medusa was allowed to operate in Charlevoix. I am sure the word "allowed" is correct, as I probably had the right without any official blessing.

I guess I should have explained that my family connections in Charlevoix covers four generations, that we pay well over \$2000 in taxes yearly, we own a home in Charlevoix and come up for more than the traditional two weeks.

It's too bad that the real point of my letter is being misread—that ugliness is insidious and we should be alert to it. But living in a community day to day is difficult to realize what's happening until it's too late. Incidentally, the community where I spend most of my time has a population just over 25,000, and the lichen grows on the trees still.

I spend most of my spare time here fighting ugliness because the same problem exists, apathy and lack of awareness. I think you would do the community a

service if you could editorialize some aspect of the problem. For instance, I think the economy and the environment can co-exist but only if a balanced viewpoint is presented. All too often only the economic viewpoint is presented, to the detriment, in the end, of everyone, including the business. Every decision should include the economic, social and environmental results.

As a sidekick I can't help commenting on the side tone of these letters—why are the natives so scornful of visitors? Aren't they their bread and butter? If they don't want visitors, they're on the right track to allow anything and everything to go in. One woman, I understand, begged the council to require some trees preserved when Oleon's shopping center was built—think how nice it would be today if they had! You probably never saw it as it was before—a corner of grass and trees where the asphalt is now. If you ever go to Washington D.C. and see the new White Flint shopping center—it's a veritable park-lush landscaping around the stores & in the parking lots.

This is an increasing trend as many are beginning to recognize that landscaping keeps the urban environment more humane. Sincerely, Barbara MacArthur



Erma Bombeck

I'm as crazy about dogs as the next person, but long ago I realized we had inherent differences.

(a) When I mistrust people, I do not bite them on the leg; (b) I cannot shed all over the sofa and still expect my hostess to be a good sport; and (c) Newspapers are meant to be absorbed—not absorbed.

If I have one major criticism of orthodox dog lovers, it would be their inability to view their pets as they really are—animals. I have noted dog enthusiasts, in particular, have a couple of catch phrases that seem to be universal.

"He won't bite." This would be reassuring if it weren't for the fact that the dog is rigid, his teeth are bared, there is a guttural sound coming out of his throat and he has just penciled a bull's eye on the calf of your leg.

"I am going to leave the room so that you and Killer can get to be friends." That's a phrase that hasn't popped up since they gave Daniel a plastic bone and put him in the lion's den.

"Oops, you're sitting in King's chair." You already suspected that when you sat down and King covered you with his 90-pound body.

"Is that Fritz smelling up the room?" This is awkward as the only other

person beside the host is you and Fritz doesn't look like he is going to admit to anything.

"He won't hurt you. He's just (check one) teething, playful, needs attention." Which is exactly what I told my doctor. "He didn't hurt me. I'm just bleeding, hysterical and need stitches."

"Get down, Brute. She's not used to dogs tearing her stockings." (Could you throw in licking my toes and eating my fountain pen?)

I had one friend who always admonished, "Don't make any sudden moves as Flossie is a high strung." Sudden moves included chewing gum, swallowing and breathing in and out. In the eyes of the owner, Flossie had become human.

It became quite apparent one evening when a policeman knocked on the door at the request of my friend. He told him that the police were going to have to do something about all the male dogs who were arriving by bus and trains from as far as 80 miles away to court Flossie.

"They are nothing but sex maniacs," said my friend. "And I want them off my property or I will have all of them arrested."

I breathed a sigh of relief when Flossie refused to sign the complaint.

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John is dead, Anita

One day John was found dead. His co-workers said he was accidentally electrocuted by a hair dryer.

"Because I knew John, I understood it was more than that," his friend wrote. "He was an army-trained electronics expert with years of experience in that field. He would not have been electrocuted unless he wanted to be."

"I think he did it because the pain of fighting had grown to be too much," Anita Bryant says the Bible proves that homosexuals, "have no place in the kingdom of God." I say the Bible also "proves" that people who eat pork are sinners.

Anita Bryant says the law must protect our children against abuse from homosexuals. I say the laws are already there, to be applied equally to homosexuals and heterosexuals. There is no need for separate drinking fountains marked "Gay" and "Straight."

In this column, I changed John's name. I wish I could have changed his story. But the Anita Bryants of this world were too much for him, and there is no changing that. Anita Bryant is a clown, but I can no longer laugh at her.

Meet Charlevoix

...John and Pearl Rowe

John and Pearl Rowe's truck garden on Park Avenue is one of the few left in the area. This week the Courier talks with them about their produce and the work involved in growing it.

COURIER: How long have you been working the garden? ROWE: We've been in business 12 years, since I retired as manager of a sporting goods company in Detroit, where I worked 37 years.

COURIER: How did you happen to settle in Charlevoix? ROWE: We visited my

sister at Oyster Bay and liked the country. This property was for sale so we bought it. COURIER: Was there a garden here when you bought the property?

ROWE: About one-third the size of this one. We now have four acres of grapes, currants, raspberries, fruit trees, vegetables and flowers.

COURIER: How do you sell your produce? ROWE: Right from the house here.

COURIER: Do you can or freeze any of it for your own use? ROWE: Oh, yes, we have

two deep freezers and we fill them up. We even freeze grape juice, apple juice, and cherry juice. What we can't freeze we put in jars.

COURIER: Are there any vegetables that can't be grown in this area? ROWE: Well, we grow about everything, including broccoli and cauliflower.

COURIER: Do you have any help working the garden? ROWE: No, we do it ourselves. It keeps us busy most of the year. Of course, most of the work is in the summertime, but in the fall we have to clean it all up and in

the spring we rototill, fertilize, start plants in the greenhouse, and in April begin planting outdoors—things like peas, lettuce, carrots, and beets. We also transplant the flowers, cut out the raspberry canes, prune the grapes and fruit trees, and apply the dormant spray. That's the only time we spray.

COURIER: Has the cost of materials you use gone up much? ROWE: We use animal fertilizer, which we get for the hauling. We save some seeds but buy most of them in large quantities by the pound. We also buy quite a few flower plants each year. We have almost every flower that can be grown in the area, but we lost some last year because of the cold weather. This year one of our biggest expenses is water. We have our own well because we couldn't afford city water, but even so, it cost us over \$70 for water in May.

COURIER: What do you do in the wintertime? ROWE: We catch up on our

housework, paint, clean the cupboards, and do odd jobs. We also take short trips to the ski resorts and other places of interest.

COURIER: Did you know anything about gardening when you started into the business? ROWE: We knew a little about it. We had always had a garden of our own. We learned by trial and error. What didn't survive we didn't plant again.

COURIER: You seem to have a lot of raspberries right now. Is it a good crop? ROWE: It's our biggest crop ever.

COURIER: Do you encourage people to pick their own berries? ROWE: Adults, yes, but no children.

COURIER: When will your tomatoes be ready? ROWE: About the middle of August. We start them from seed in the greenhouse, but had to replant them twice this year because of the late frost.

COURIER: You have a lot of birdhouses around. Do you have many birds?

ROWE: We have 27 birdhouses and a big variety of birds. We feed them year around. We have a pair of scarlet-breasted grosbeaks, ten pairs of cardinals, Baltimore orioles, indigo buntings, purple finches, and some swallows. The swallows eat the bugs. We also have a badger in the garden which eats the fallen fruit from the ground. Our squirrels are so tame they eat out of our hands. We try to keep our place as natural as possible.

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Letters to the editor

Calls celebration of Big Rock absurd

Dear Editor: Yippee we're sitting on an atom bomb.

I am amazed and dismayed that any so called "intelligent adult" can celebrate the new world record of 342 consecutive days of operation set by our Big Rock Nuclear Plant, when the waste product of that plant is the deadly plutonium, a waste product that threatens the lives of our children, ourselves and our world.

If we are intelligent enough to

overwhelmingly indicate that we do not want our state used as a dumping ground for nuclear waste, we must be responsible enough to demand and find alternative energy sources to produce our much needed energy.

Until a safe reliable method is found to reprocess the tons of waste generated by our nuclear plants, tons of waste that are being stored within a few miles of most of us at this moment, I will continue to mourn each second of the plants continued operation.

Jo Ann Bler

Dave Phillips says thanks

Dear Editor: A week ago Monday, our restaurant and home was struck by fire. The fire could have very easily destroyed the building and everything we own. But, instead, the tragedy of fire gave us the opportunity to experience the beauty of friendship which is abundant in our community.

The Charlevoix Police and Fire Departments and the volunteer firemen displayed their skill by confining and extinguishing the fire before it could do more extensive damage. Our friends, neighbors and employees came to our aid in the middle of the night to help us clean up and to lend moral support. What was accomplished in a 24-hour period was astounding—the entire restaurant operation was completely taken apart and re-assembled in order that we could re-open the business. Carpenters, roofers and electricians

were on the job at 8 a.m. to repair and replace parts that had been burned out. The carpet cleaners began their work at 10 p.m. and worked into the early morning hours. The news media was very co-operative in reporting that the fire had temporarily interrupted business and telling when we would re-open.

Most important, our friends and employees volunteered hundreds of man-hours to scrub walls, ceilings, floors, chairs, curtains, windows, dishes...literally everything that had been damaged by the fire, smoke and water.

The success we've achieved in business and in life in Charlevoix is attributed to these people and the assistance they've given us in such instances. I sincerely thank God for each of them and their friendship.

Dave Phillips

Sandra Chew takes position with college

Sandra Chew of East Jordan, a 1977 graduate of Bob Jones University in Greenville, South Carolina, has accepted a secretarial position in the administrative offices of the university. Sandra graduated from East Jordan High School in 1973. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Chew of East Jordan.



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Tim Bradley serving in Kanehoe Bay, Ha.

Marine Lance Corporal Timothy P. Bradley, son of Mr. and Mrs. John C. Bradley of 531 Petoskey Ave., Charlevoix, is currently on an extended deployment to the Marine Corps Air Station (MCAS), Kanehoe Bay, Hawaii.

He is serving as a member of the 2nd Light Anti-Aircraft Missile (LAAM) Battalion, homebased at the Marine Corps Air Station, Yuma, Ariz. His battalion is a unit of the 3rd Marine Aircraft Wing, which provides air defense capability against both low and medium altitude air at-

tacks. His battalion employs a unique radar system, to enable its firing batteries to locate, identify and track hostile aircraft. A 1973 graduate of Charlevoix High School, he joined the Marine Corps in December 1975.

Whitley completes electrician's course

Navy Airman Apprentice Larry J. Whitley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley J. Whitley of 720 Sherman, Charlevoix, Mich., has completed the Aviation Electrician's Mate Course.

The 11-week course was conducted at the Naval Technical Training Center, Millington, Tenn. The concentrated training program is designed to provide an introductory understanding of electrical theory and circuitry, and serves to prepare trainees to perform basic electrical maintenance on jet aircraft. Students received

classroom instruction on, and studied the operating procedures for, electrohydraulic and automatic flight control systems, plus power generation and distribution systems. A 1976 graduate of Charlevoix High School, he joined the Navy in July 1976.

L. Wiklanski completes recruit training in Florida

Navy Airman Recruit Lucy J. Wiklanski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley F. Wiklanski of P.O. Box 328, Bayshore, Mich., has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Orlando, Fla.

During the eight-week training cycle, trainees studied general military subjects designed to prepare them for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic occupational fields. Included in their studies are seamanship, close order drill, Naval history and first aid. Included in their studies were seamanship, close order drill, Naval history and first aid. She joined the Navy in November 1976.

Jon Legato promoted to staff sergeant

Jon E. Legato, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Legato of Rt. 1, East Jordan, Mich., has been promoted to staff sergeant in the U.S. Air Force. Sergeant Legato, a telephone equipment installer/repairman, is assigned at Mather AFB, Calif., with a unit of the Air Force Communications Service. The sergeant is a 1972 graduate of Twin Valley High School. His wife, Catherine, is the daughter of Thoma Gergas of 6412 Edgemere, El Paso, Tex. A/3

Frank Ellis receives duty assignment

Airman Frank W. Ellis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Germain of 312 Antim St., Charlevoix, Mich., has received a new assignment following graduation from the carpentry specialist course conducted by the Air Training Command at Sheppard AFB, Tex. Airman Ellis, who was trained to construct and maintain buildings and assemble prefabricated structures, will go to Homestead AFB, Fla., for duty with a unit of the Tactical Air Command. Completion of the course enables the airman to receive academic credits through the Community College of the Air Force. The airman entered the Air Force in January 1977.

Daryl Penfold graduates from basics

Airman Daryl D. Penfold, whose parents are Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Penfold of R.R. 1, Ellsworth, Mich., has graduated at Sheppard AFB, Tex., from the U.S. Air Force technical training course for heating systems specialists. Airman Penfold, now training to install, operate and maintain heating systems and generators, is being assigned to Spongshalem, Ab. Germany, for duty with a unit of the U.S. Air Forces in Europe. Completion of the course enables the airman to receive academic credits through the Community College of the Air Force. Airman Penfold is a 1975 graduate of Ellsworth Community High School. R4

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THE CHARLEVOIX COUNTY 4-H members that attended the first week sessions of summer camp were: (front row, from left to right) Sue Stolt, Jennifer Clock and Diane Tolas. Back row, Julie Stolt and Jean Stolt, counselor.

Local kids enjoy 4-H camp

"I'm a camper, not a camper, and my ears are made of leather. How they flop in windy weather. Gosh O' Henlock, I'm tough as a pine knot, cause I'm from Ocqueoc Group Camp."

That merry little jingle was learned by eight Charlevoix County campers as they joined more than 200 4-H members from eight Northern Michigan counties recently for camp sessions near Onaway. Jennifer Clock, Cinda Crozier, Keisha Crozier, Julie Pail, Diane Tolas, Sue Stolt, Julie Stolt and Bob Parsons enjoyed a week of classes including swimming, weaving, African mask making, tree identification, canoeing, archery and folk dancing.

Camp followed a safari theme and campers were divided into groups of ten with such names as hyenas, giraffes, lions, tigers and many others. The campers ranged in age from 9 to 13 years old and they had counselors, who are also 4-H members, ranging in age from 14 to 19 years old.

Bob Bellairs, 4-H Program assistant from Charlevoix County and Beverly Voss, 4-H Assistant from Presque Isle County, were camp directors. Several special events

highlighted the week. Square dance instruction was given to all campers and a chicken barbecue and camp olympics were held. Each group of campers was also given special responsibilities with all campers sharing in dinner detail, grace and song, flag raising, flag

lowering and reflections. Campers from Charlevoix, Emmet, Cheboygan, Alcona, Alpena, Montmorency, Oshtemo and Presque Isle counties attended the two-week camp sessions. Many of the Charlevoix County 4-H members attending camp were assisted by



JENNIFER CLOCK of Charlevoix, pulls along with her teammates in the tug-of-war during the camp olympics at the summer camp.

Health department to begin survey of water systems

The local Health Department will soon begin conducting a survey of public water systems in the area to determine the number and location of public water supplies that are subject to the standards and monitoring procedures of the Federal "Safe Drinking Water Act". Under the law, the Federal Environmental Protection Agency is charged with the ultimate jurisdiction of all public water systems in the country, but a state may be granted primary enforcement responsibility if it demonstrates the ability to carry out the requirements of the act. It is anticipated that the State

Health Department will assume primary responsibility for the enforcement of the act in the near future. In the act, a public water system is defined as a system for the provision to the public of piped water for human consumption if that system has at least 15 service connections or regularly serves at least 25 individuals daily for at least 60 days a year. Besides community water supply systems such as cities, villages, mobile home parks, condominiums, etc., the law also applies to non-community systems provided they meet the usage requirements of the act. Non-community supplies

could include such sources as wells supplying motels, schools, campgrounds, marinas, roadside parks, churches, restaurants, factories, golf courses, and gas stations. The health department is requesting the cooperation of the public and especially the owners and operators of such facilities.

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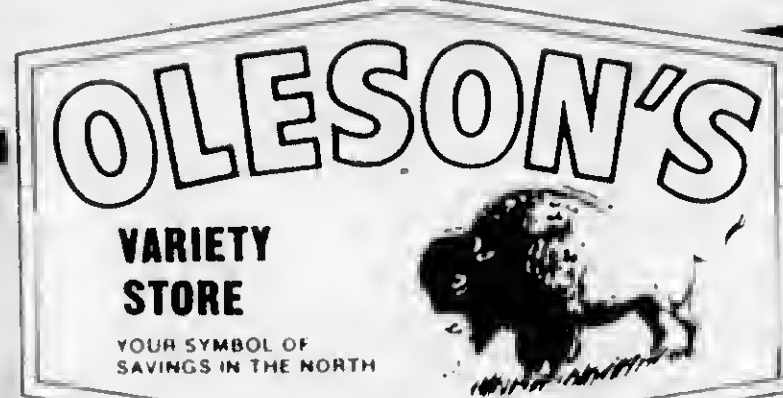
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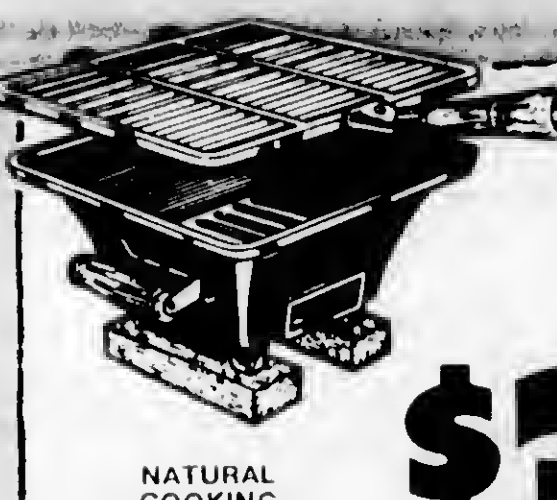


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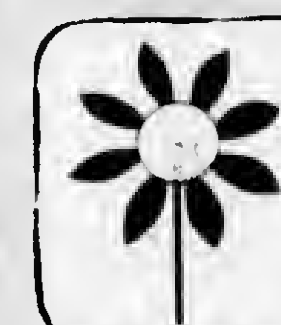
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Modern dance demonstration set Aug. 11



A MODERN DANCE demonstration will be presented by students of Joan Karff at 8 p.m. Aug. 11. Demonstrating some of the moves are Kim King, Debbie Tollas and Jenny Wright.

5 local women to show techniques

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A special demonstration of modern dance techniques will be presented at 8 p.m. Aug. 11 in the Body Work Studio upstairs in the Market Mall.

The demonstration will be danced by several local residents who have been studying under Joan Karff throughout the summer.

Participating in the demonstration will be: Jenny Wright, Kim King, Debbie Tollas, Joanie Garthe and Jeanine Etienne.

Some funds available for energy conservation

Low-income families whose homes are in need of weatherizing to conserve fuel may qualify to have the work done through the "Emergency Energy Conservation Program" sponsored by the Northwestern Human Services Agency.

Applications may be obtained by writing to the Agency at 202 Beaumont Place, Traverse City, Michigan 49684.

Weatherization consists of minor repairs, replacing windows, caulking, weatherstripping, storm doors and windows, and insulation at an average material cost of approximately \$250 to \$300 per dwelling.

With priority to the elderly and handicapped, the principle eligibility for the weatherization service is family annual income. A family of four, with an annual income at or below \$7,300, would qualify for this service.

Survey reveals to Davis how constituents feel

State Senator Bob Davis learned in no uncertain terms how his constituents feel about important legislative issues when he read the answers to his recent questionnaire.



Bob Davis

A compilation of the answers shows that the greatest percentage favored requiring minimum mandatory sentences for certain serious crimes. Not far behind were those who favor reforming the state's welfare system by adding several additional requirements for qualification.

They also favored granting the elderly a voluntary discount through a statewide senior discount program, and for the younger generation, raising the legal drinking age to 21.

A little further down the line, those surveyed wanted the state to devote more funds to tracking down absent fathers whose children are supported by ADC, wanted the state to institute the death penalty to deter serious crimes, wanted to deny unemployment benefits to those who voluntarily quit jobs, wanted to reform the single business tax to assist smaller and less profitable businesses, and wanted to ban phosphorus from laundry detergents.

A few number, but still a majority of those answering the questionnaire, favored earmarking lottery revenues specifically for school aid, favored requiring Medicaid recipients to pay a

minimum charge per service, favored lowering PBB tolerance levels and compensating farmers for losses, favored an increasing emphasis on vocational or career education in schools, favored funding education through personal income tax rather than property tax, and favored creating a budget

stabilization "rainy day" fund.

The most "no" answers were related to the questions on allowing striking workers to collect food stamps and other public assistance and increasing gas taxes and license plate fees to improve all aspects of travel in Michigan.

City crews busy with various projects

Charlevoix city crews were busy last week with a variety of projects.

The street crews are working on the installation of new directional signs along local streets. The city is participating in a program funded by the federal government that replaces worn out signs and posts. The program was designed to help communities bring their signs and posts up to date with standard markings and height.

The electrical crews have also been busy installing a new hook up for Huffard Industries in the industrial park on the north side of town.

The company plans to relocate its East Jordan plant in the industrial park. Work has already begun on the construction of the new plant. Sewage treatment plant crews were also busy last week. The crews are working to widen the back driveway to the plant. The driveway needs to be widened to allow the tanker, which transports chemicals used in the plant, easy access to the plant.

Special division of United Way reaches 1/2 of goal

The Special Gifts Division of the 1977 Charlevoix United Way Campaign has reached about 50 percent of its \$4,325 goal, Tom LaBlance, division chairman, has announced.

The Special Gifts Division is made up of contributors from the Belvedere Club, Chicago Club, Sequanota Club and other residents of Charlevoix who do not live in the community for the entire year.

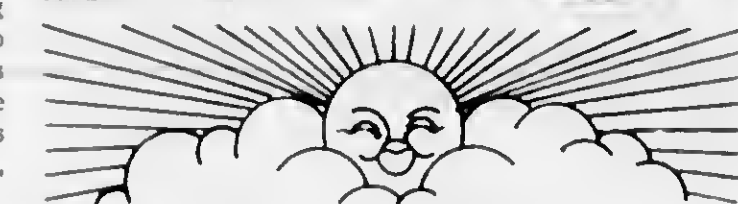
The division is aiming to collect 25 percent of the United Way's 1977 goal of \$17,300, LaBlance said. Contributors were contacted through mailings around the middle of July.

"The early response to our campaign has been gratifying," LaBlance said. "And I and all of the members of the Charlevoix United Way Board of Directors would like to express our appreciation to those special friends and residents of Charlevoix that

make up the Special Gifts Division."

The chairman said if the response to the division's campaign was any indication of what the United Way could expect this year, he didn't anticipate any problem reaching the group's goal.

"These people should be commended for their continued contributions, not only to the Charlevoix United Way, but to the many other organizations in our community that depend on their continued support," LaBlance said.



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Hospital practices disaster techniques

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Charlevoix Area Hospital's emergency Disaster Plan, July 21st. The simulated collision took

Department truck were on the scene. The victims' specific wounds were described on



VICTIMS WERE spread out across the airfield during the scene of a crash between two single-engine planes for the Charlevoix Area Hospital disaster drill. (Photo by Gene Farley)

the second at 5:02. Each made two trips, so that all the victims were on their way to further treatment by 5:13 p.m., only twenty three minutes after the initial phone call.

The hospital's Disaster Plan went into action with the arrival of the first mock casualties at the emergency room. Most hospital personnel, physicians and nurses included, were not aware that the incident was only a test. A nursing supervisor helped unload the first ambulance and the initiated the hospital's "call up plan," whereby all physicians and key nurses were alerted and asked to report to the hospital.

Also called to the hospital were the necessary services of

X-ray, lab, inhalation therapy (for resuscitation, oxygen administration and blood gas tests), operating room staff, and a nurse anesthetist.

When so many casualties are arriving at once, someone must assess each injury and quickly send each injured person the proper place for care. A triage officer is the physician specifically charged with that quick examination of each patient and the appropriate assignments to X-ray, operating room, emergency room, or other area of the hospital.

At this point, with each patient assigned to an area for care, the drill was declared over. The time was 5:45, less than an hour from the initial phone call to the police.

Hospital staff, administration and patients held an immediate critique of the exercise, rearranging a few procedures for increased efficiency, but declaring the drill an overall success.

Roeters explained that Disaster Drills are conducted twice yearly at Charlevoix Area Hospital, as required by the Joint Commission for Accreditation.

The Safety Director also disclosed that the Disaster Plan was actually put into operation a few weeks ago to care for the victims of a nine person car accident south of the city, involving a fatality and critical injuries. Then, too, the hospital staff implemented the plan quickly and smoothly.



LEE MOERLAND and another member of the ambulance crew work with a sheriff's deputy during the Charlevoix Area Hospital disaster drill. (Photo by Gene Farley)

place at 4:50 p.m., on the grass runway at the Charlevoix County Airport. Eleven mock casualties, with injuries ranging from minor cuts and bruises to fatal wounds, were involved.

The Charlevoix City Police Department was called immediately. Police were at the scene of the accident by 4:53. The only individuals who knew the accident was staged to test Charlevoix Area Hospital's Disaster Plans, were Hospital Administrator Richard Krueger, Police Chief Jack Mol, the eleven volunteer victims and a very few observers.

Four minutes after being notified by phone, two city ambulances and a city fire

department truck were on the scene. The victims' specific wounds were described on

paper bibs pinned to their shirts. Ambulance, fire and police personnel were told to proceed as though each were a real case, treating the injury and making snap judgements as to who should be transported to the hospital first.

Charlevoix Area Hospital Safety Director Barney Roeters, who arranged the drill, explained, "While police directed traffic away from the scene, ambulance and fire personnel assessed each casualty's injury and proceeded to load those most critically injured into the ambulances."

Roeters reported that the first ambulance left for the hospital at 5:00, followed by

For graduating students

Booklet describes future job market

By PEG O'LE
High school and college students, preparing for the careers in the near future will find a new booklet, "Michigan Job scene," helpful in selecting a field of work in

which jobs will be available within the next few years. The booklet describes the number and kinds of white collar, blue collar, and service job openings that will be available in Michigan through 1980.

According to the booklet, white collar jobs, which include professional and technical occupations, managerial and ad-

ministrative jobs, sales and clerical positions, account for about 46 percent of all jobs in Michigan. Approximately 166,000 openings per year are anticipated in this area, with a steep increase in demand for medical professionals and technicians.

Blue collar workers (skilled, semi-skilled, and unskilled) account for about 39 percent of

the jobs in the state with expected openings of 44,200 per year. About 33,300 job openings are expected for service workers, such as police officers, hairdressers, cooks, and practical nurses.

The outlook for laborers and farm workers is less favorable with only slight growth in manual labor openings and a decrease in farm jobs by three

percent each through 1980. "Michigan Job Scene" provides specific breakdowns of the types of jobs in each category, the duties of each job, and the skills and/or education required for each occupation.

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Carnival closes season for summer recreation program

Come one, come all, to the greatest show on earth. While the carnival at the Charlevoix Elementary School may not have been the same as going to the Ringling

Brothers Barnum and Bailey Circus, the Charlevoix area children visiting it probably had just as much fun.

Children manned the sponge throwing and ring tossing

booths while their friends came to try their luck. Others sold balloons, pop and popcorn or told fortunes.

There was even a surprise performance by some acrobats. All in the under 15 years set.

The carnival closed out a summer of activities held at the elementary school under funding from the Juvenile Justice program.

Students from Central Michigan University conducted daily activities at the school playground Monday through Friday with more than 200 local children participating in the various events.

The children were a part of such special events as a pet show, bike parade and olympic games during the six-week session.

And most of them agreed it was a fun way to spend the summer, but it sure went fast.

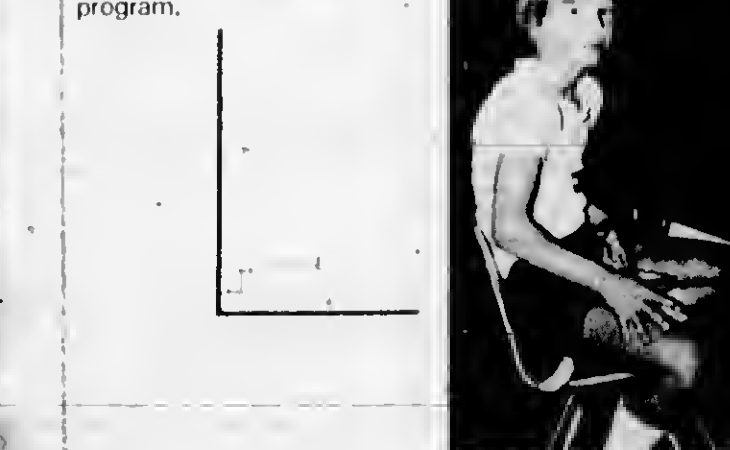


JACKIE SADOWSKI heaves a sponge at her victim during the summer recreation program carnival.



SHELLEY SZUDZIK, one of the leaders of the recreation program, wins as a sponge bounces off her during the carnival. The carnival was the final activity for the summer recreation program.

SHERYL MILLER tests her luck at the ring toss during the carnival sponsored by the summer recreation program.



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Family, child services looking for local board members

Child and Family Services is looking for people from Charlevoix County to serve on its board of directors.

The agency was formerly known as Michigan Children's Aid and Family Services and serves families and children of the 13-north-western counties of Michigan.

The board of directors is a policy-making governing board which controls the budget. Board members are citizens representing the 13 counties served. At present, Charlevoix County is not represented on the board.

The board meets once a month from September through June at the agency office in Traverse City. Members also serve on committees to carry out their responsibilities as directors.

Directors must be interested in children and families and be concerned with welfare of all citizens. They will be made familiar with the many programs of the agency such as adoption, foster care, counseling for families and individuals, and

services to youth.

Anyone wanting to learn more about serving on the board should contact Dr. Philip Miske, Child and Family Services, 210 Beaumont Place, Traverse City, Michigan, 49684.

First Baptist plans music ceremony

A special evening of Christian music and testimony will be presented by Tom and Lynette Pierce of Holland on Sunday, at 7 p.m. in the First Baptist Church, Charlevoix.

Lynette has appeared in the nationally known "Children's Bible Hour" radio broadcast, and has performed in concerts, churches, jails, youth rallies, and many other meetings across the country. She has performed with Pat Boone, Billy Spear and soloed in Bill Gatter's "Alleluia," a Praise Gathering for Believers.

Tom has worked with such organizations as Fellowship of Christian Athletes, Youth for Christ, Campus Crusade, as well as in churches.

The Pierses also have two long-play stereo albums with a third being planned.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jerry VanStedum



The Leaning Tree

By Marlene Carroll
For the Charlevoix Courier
Auntie & Auntie's Cousins

HOUSEPLANTS AND YOUR VACATION

You can send the kids to the neighbors and the dog to the dog kennel but what do you do with your houseplants when you leave on vacation? You plan ahead!

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My favorite way to take care of them is to water the plants thoroughly and seal them in clear plastic bags. Then place them in a cool location out of direct sunlight. If your plants are in porous containers, stand them on clay bricks placed in a watertight container. Bring the water level up to the top of the bricks. Reduce the light intensity to decrease evaporation. Another suggestion is to take your plants potted in porous containers and plant them outdoors in a shady location. Bury the containers up to the rim in soil or saturated peat moss.

Horticulturists suggest not leaving your houseplants more than two weeks unattended. Flowering plants are the most difficult of all and often will not last without routine care.

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Janet Potter marries Jerry VanStedum

Arrangements of yellow and white carnations with candles graced the altar at the Ellsworth Christian Reformed Church for the afternoon wedding of Janet L. Potter and Jerry A. VanStedum.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Archie Potter of Charlevoix and Mr. and Mrs. Fred VanStedum of Ellsworth.

The Rev. Dan Minor officiated in the double ring ceremony before 150 guests. Sharon Aloft of Ellsworth provided organ music for the ceremony playing a program of traditional music. Mrs. Robert Klooster sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

For her wedding, the bride chose a gown of satrapeau with decorated lace and pearl beads. It had bishop sleeves with ruffled cuffs, A-line skirt and a chapel length train. Her cap-like veil was designed to

match. She carried a bouquet of yellow roses and baby's breath. Assisting her sister as maid of honor was Mrs. Ronald Simpson. Jean VanStedum, sister of the groom, and Holly Gerten were bridesmaids.

The girls wore gowns made of flowered polyester styled with a high neckline and laced bodice with puff sleeves and full skirts. They carried bouquets of miniature roses and baby's breath with identical head pieces.

Tom VanStedum, brother of the groom served as best man. Scott Essenberg and Ron Simpson were groomsmen and ushers were Jim Potter and Glen Rubling.

Buffy Kooyer and Tracey Simpson, niece and nephew of the bride were flower girl and ringbearer.

After a trip to the Upper Peninsula, the couple will reside in Ellsworth.

A rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents on the Friday before the wedding at the Country Kitchen in Ellsworth.

For her daughter's wedding,

Grandvue auxiliary installs newly-elected officers

The newly elected officers of the Grandvue Medical Care Facility were installed at a recent meeting.

They are Mrs. Lawrence Schumaker of East Jordan, president; Mrs. Carl Gun of Charlevoix, president-elect; Mrs. Theodore Malpass of East Jordan, MI, vice president; Mrs. Theodore Malpass of East Jordan, MI, vice president; Mrs. Theodore Malpass of East Jordan, MI, vice president.

Episcopal women plan Art Fair luncheon

The Christ Episcopal Church women's group will hold its annual Art Fair, will take place in the undercroft of the church.

Tickets will be \$2 for adults and \$1.50 for children under 12.

Severe summer heat requires careful health care habits

"Summertime and the livin' is easy," goes the old song. True. Summer has pleasures all its own - soaking up the sun, boating, contemplating the dazzling view of a blue-green lake.

"However," says Dr. Sol Pickard, cardiologist and president of the Michigan Heart Association, "while almost everybody is aware by now of winter's hazards to the heart, few know that a summer hot spell can bring its own hazards."

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RICK AND ERIC KLONOWSKI enjoy the waves at Lake Michigan Beach aboard their air mattresses when they spend a summer day at the beach.

A summer day at the beach

Students in the Charlevoix Recreation Department swimming classes are learning two important things this summer.

They're not only learning how to swim, but they're learning how to keep from drowning.

More than 220 students in the five different swimming class categories have been

taught the new down proofing method and will be tested on it as part of passing their swim course, according to Dwight "Ike" Bosa, recreation department director.

The down proofing method currently being taught is a variation of the front survival float that students have always been taught, Kim Mahoney, swim instructor explained.

Miss Mahoney said the students are taught to use a jelly fish float, then every five seconds they bring their hands up to their faces and push down against the water with their hands as they make a scissors kick.

This method allows the swimmer to get his or her head far enough above the water for a breath, Miss Mahoney said.

"Sometimes you'll find that it is easier for a person to float on their stomachs," the swimming instructor said. "Teaching them this method may make it easier for them to relax and stay afloat if they have a problem."

"Also this method takes less energy than treading water. It's just an added precaution."

Also teaching swimming lessons for the city this summer is Chris Davenport.



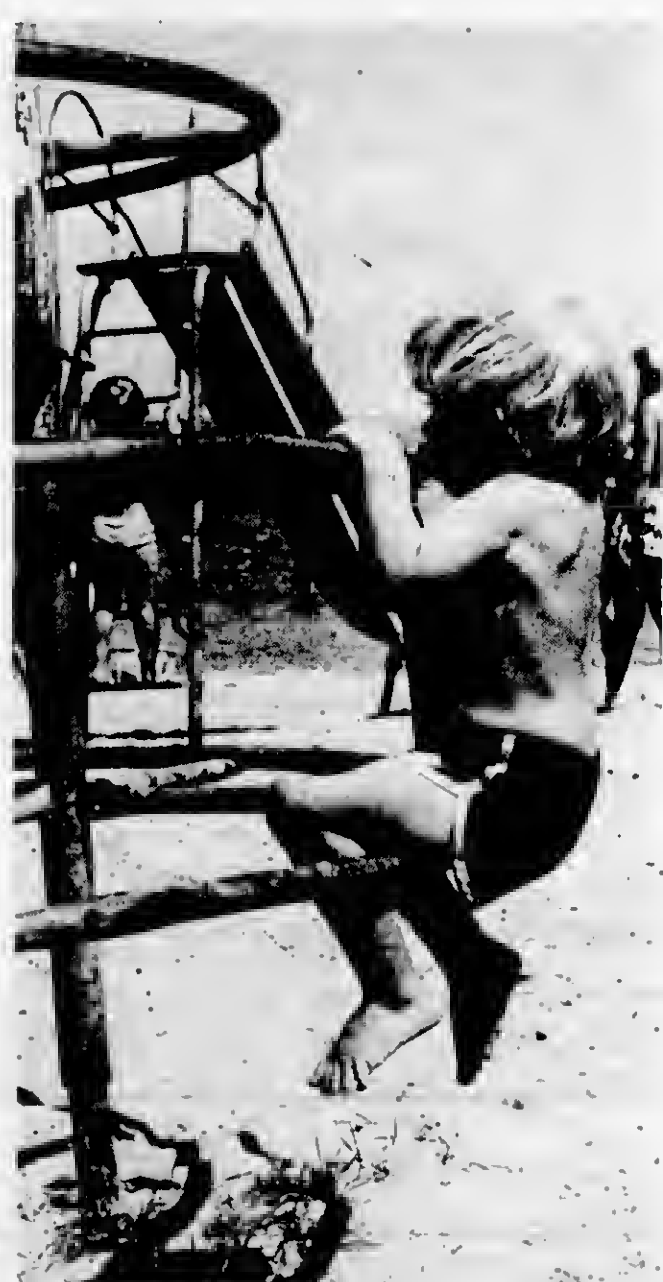
MEMBERS OF A Charlevoix Recreation Department swim class practice the down proof method all swimmers are being taught during class this summer.



MAKING SAND CASTLES is another way to enjoy a summer day at the beach.



SCREAMING DOWN the slide adds a little excitement to this young man's day at the beach.



TRAVIS BLISSETT enjoys the monkey bars at Ferry Ave. Beach when he spends a summer day at the beach.



RELAXING UNDER A beach umbrella is a pleasant way to spend a day at the beach.



RELAXING ON the teeter totter is a good thing to do at the beach.

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Swim class students learn down-proofing

Lung unit surpasses goal

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Little Traverse Bay has quiet beauty and unforgettable charm. When the setting sun spreads its radiance over the waters, it is indeed lovely from the vantage point of the limestone cliff on which the city of Petoskey now stands, the setting sun provides a spectacular show. The Indians created a legend about it. Since the first settlers and sightseers arrived over one hundred years ago, the beauty of the sunset has been a thing of wonder and awe to all.

Very few white people had seen a sunset over Little Traverse Bay on that late fall day in 1863, when the first train whistled to a stop at the end of its line.

On board was a reporter for a Grand Rapids newspaper, who in reporting on the wilderness scenery, dubbed it Petoskey's Million Dollar Sunset.

The metamorphosis of Petoskey was rapid. It grew from a small Indian settlement at the mouth of Bear river, to a dynamic, busy village catering to the needs of sightseers and homesteaders. To house the visitors, the Arlington and other luxury hotels were constructed overnight. Roaming houses for

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the less affluent were soon to follow.

By 1890 a substantial number of shops had sprung up along the main street, creating a very unique pioneer shopping area. Along the Bear River waterpower was harnessed to run sawmills, flour mills, hardwood flooring industries, butter bowl factories, and furniture-making industries. The limestone cliffs along Little Traverse Bay provided Petoskey with lime, a natural resource of great importance to the industrial development of the town.

Little steamers plied the Bay, and the summer visitors who registered at Petoskey hotels and roaming houses took advantage of the many excursions offered. The most popular trip was the Circular or Inland Route. This lengthy excursion took the traveler up the coastline of Little Traverse Bay into Lake Michigan, around to Mackinac Island, on to Cheboygan and then down the chain of rivers and lakes to what is now Conway. Until the quaint little dummy trains were in operation, the excursionists were jolted back to Petoskey from Conway by wagon and team.

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In 1890 the system was in full operation and trips were being made every fifteen minutes. By 1905 two trains ran from Petoskey to Harbor Springs at half hour intervals. Many of the people who had come to see the area on the train liked what they saw and became regular summer visitors. By the 1900's the shift from tourism to settled summer communities was in motion. Many resorts developed around the Bay and inland lakes of the area. The new lapidated summer resorts spelled the doom of the delightful little steamers on the Bay, the little dummy trains, and the luxury hotels. Many of the hotels burned and were not rebuilt, the dummy engines were sold for scrap, and the steamers sailed off over the horizon.

Although the modes of transportation have seen drastic change, Petoskey's magnetism remains. There is still an element of charm and friendliness in shopping adventure which belongs uniquely to Petoskey's Gaslight District. One may still marvel at the beauty of Little Traverse Bay and experience the wonder of the Million Dollar Sunset.



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Art fair group picks Lori Bolt for scholarship

A fourth year student at the Cleveland Institute of Art has been chosen as the recipient of the 1977 Waterfront Art Fair Scholarship.

Lori Bolt, the daughter of Russell and Sue Bolt, was awarded the \$500 scholarship for the second year in a row. She was selected by a committee made up of: Connie Pointner, chairman, Suzi Kels, and Bill Staffel.

Miss Bolt, 21, is majoring in textile design at the Cleveland Institute and is minor in film making.

The young woman said she has always been interested in textiles and designs and so she decided to major in the field during her five-year program

at the art institute. She will receive a bachelor of fine arts when she completes the program.

She has been taking classes that cover the printing of yardage and the designs of fabrics. Following graduation, the young artist is considering starting her own business of custom designed clothing.

Samples of Miss Bolt's work will be on display during the 1977 Annual Waterfront Art Fair, Aug. 13 in East Park. She will be displaying quilts, pillows, and dolls made out of fabrics she has printed or designed herself.

The scholarship funds are raised from the proceeds of the annual art fair.



CONNIE POINTNER congratulates Lori Bolt on her selection as the winner of the annual Waterfront Art Fair scholarship. This is the second year Miss Bolt has received the \$500 award.

East Jordan honored for safety

The City of East Jordan is among 45 Michigan communities to receive a Pedestrian Safety Citation in the American Automobile Association's 38th annual Pedestrian Safety Inventory for going one year without a pedestrian fatality.

Other Michigan cities received top honors included Auburn, Greenville, Holland, Lincoln Park, Grose Pointe Woods and Grose Pointe Farms, Middleville, Sebawa and Trenton.

East Jordan's award will be presented at a later date by the Automobile Club of Michigan.

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Residents, visitors fight battle of the beach

By PAULA HOLMES

There's nothing like the feel of the wind whipping against your face and the smell of Lake Michigan in the air as you stroll across the beach in your four-wheel drive vehicle or on your dirt bike. There's nothing like it, that is, unless you are a person lying on the beach or a property owner who would rather not be disturbed or have his or her beach property turned into yards of tire tracks.

Each year, Northern Michigan residents face the battle of the beach. On one side of the two warring factions are the four-wheel drive and dirt bike enthusiasts and on the other side are the environmentalists and private property owners.

"This is a beautiful area for play, but people are ruining it," Harley Burris, area law enforcement supervisor for the state Department of Natural Resources, said.

Burris said the trail left by dirt bikes and four-wheel drives raises havoc with the beaches creating erosion and he said he had received some complaints about the danger of the vehicles to other people trying to enjoy the beach.

The law enforcement official said he

had received many complaints about the misuse of four-wheel drive vehicles in the Mt. McSaba area, in front of the condominiums and in the Bell's Bay and Fisherman's Island areas.

Burris said he had asked some of his officers to patrol the Bell's Bay and Fisherman's Island area to try and keep it clear of four-wheel drives and dirt bikes because of many complaints about molestation of swimmers and of danger to people playing on the beach.

"I know this creates a bad situation for many of the young people, but I think if they used the area wisely there wouldn't be so many complaints," Burris said.

One attempt to get people to use the beaches wisely and to end the war between the two beach-loving groups, is the establishment of Off-Road Vehicle (ORV) registration stickers by the state Department of Natural Resources (DNR).

In order to operate a vehicle off of a commonly used roadway, drivers must have an ORV sticker, Burris said.

"The purchase of an ORV sticker just recognizes that the vehicle is used off of the road," he explained. "Purchase of the sticker does not permit people to

room at large over state or private property. It does not permit people with jeeps and other vehicles to go on the beaches or in open fields.

"It just allows them to use the overgrown trails and two-tracks that are not commonly used as roads."

Burris pointed out that the sticker also gives the state an idea of how many vehicles are being used off the roads. Eventually the state plans to use the money from the sale of registration stickers to construct pathways for the use of ORVs just as it has done for snowmobiles.

"They estimate that only 5 to 8 percent of the ORVs are registered," Burris explained. "The faster we get total registration, the faster we will get the program for the development of pathways going."

"The state figures those people who are going to use it should pay for it," Burris said that violation of the new law can result in a common misdemeanor charge with a maximum penalty of 90 days in jail or a \$100 fine.

He said that enforcement of the new law was incidental to the many other duties of the conservation officer.

So what can the property owner do to protect himself from what he sees as

unruly hordes of four-wheel drive owners.

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department is encouraging property owners to come in and fill out a trespassing complaint, Sheriff George Lasater said.

"About all they can do is come in and fill out a no trespassing report," Lasater said. "We'll help them with the paperwork."

The sheriff said he had only received four complaints about four-wheel drives on the beaches this year. And, those complaints came from township officials and others, but not the regular citizen.

Charlevoix Police Chief said that many property owners don't meet the criteria they have to meet to comply with the new recreation trespassing act. Fencing and signing is required under the act before prosecution can take place.

"I don't question that there is a problem," Chief Mol said. "But it is difficult one to police."

"And it is hard to catch a four-wheel drive when you are on foot. And for the city to purchase a four-wheel drive vehicle is too expensive."



OFF THE ROAD vehicles are causing some concern among environmentalists and private property owners in Northern Michigan.

Many area students on NCMC dean's list

Several area students were named to the dean's list for the spring semester at North Central Michigan College in Petoskey. To earn a place on the honor list, a student must have carried at least 12 credit hours in the semester and maintained a grade point of at least 3.5 on a 4.0 scale.

Two area students, Margaret A. Warner of Charlevoix and Shirley J. Boss of Charlevoix, earned straight A's during the semester.

Others on the dean's list are

Joel A. Dyksterhouse, Mark E. Emmmons, Barbara J. Harvey, Pamela A. McDonough, and Candace P. Olson of Charlevoix.

Darla R. Shooks of Ellsworth; William R. Benser, Mary J. Grimm, Eric C. Hartley, Jason R. Lewis, and Lori K. Sulak of Boyne City; Corrine C. Fisher, Mona L. Frank, Betty J. Osowski, and Sarah A. Smith of East Jordan; Gerald G. Klooster of Central Lake; and Patricia A. Wojan of Beaver Island.

Five local students honored at Central

Joe D. Kaufman of Charlevoix was one of 100 students receiving straight A's at Central Michigan University during the winter semester.

In addition, two other students from Charlevoix were named to the honors list, Tom L. Alger and John F.

Greene. To qualify for honors, a student had to have completed 12 or more letter-graded hours of on-campus credit during the semester and have a grade point average of no lower than 3.50 out of 4.0 possible.

Kevin G. Klevorn and Elizabeth Smith of Boyne City were also on the honors list.

Laurie Pidek honored by business school

A Charlevoix student has been named to the Dean's List for the Detroit Business Institute.

Ken Tunison promoted to Lt. Col. recently

Reserve Officer Lt. Col. Kenneth R. Tunison of 3 Cherokee, Painesdale, Mich., has been promoted to that grade in a recent ceremony at Ft. McPherson.

While on active duty he served in the Deputy Chief of Staff for Operations, U.S. Army Forces Command, Ft. McPherson, Ga. He has previously served with the 70th Infantry Division, Livonia, Mich. He is a graduate of Royal Oak High School, Royal Oak, Mich., and holds a masters degree from

Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, Mich. He is a German-English teacher in the Adams Township School District, and holds membership in the South Range Lions Club.

Lt. Col. Tunison is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth J. Tunison, Box 130, Charlevoix, Mich. He, his wife, and their four children, Barton, Heidi, Garrett, and Roland reside in Painesdale, Mich. Mrs. Tunison is the daughter of Henry Barton of Lynchburg, Md.

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Plans study on future extension out of city limits

City to extend utilities

A request for the extension of city electrical service beyond the city limits sparked a short but heated debate during the Charlevoix Common Council meeting Monday.

Robert Sooy asked for the extension of the utility service across the city boundaries for his proposed 14-lot Birchwood subdivision.

Several aldermen said they thought it was unwise to extend city utilities beyond city limits, especially to property right next to the city boundaries, without requiring annexation.

"The real problem with extending city utilities across the boundary lines has been that people want to share the service, but they don't want to pay for it

like the city people have to," Alderman Jeannine Wallace said.

However, council decided to approve the extension, which is expected to cost \$5,000, with a 75 percent deposit required.

Alderman Ray Wood then made a resolution suspending any other extension of city utilities across the city limits until the current policy regarding the extensions has been revamped.

"I think we should hold on any extension until we come to a good, fair and definite decision about how we are going to handle it," Wood said.

In other action, council discussed sewer and water extension to the new shopping center on M-46, Captain's

Corner.

Council agreed to extend the waterline along May Street and across M-46 to the shopping center property. The shopping center will then pay for the remaining extension to the construction site.

As far as sewer extension is concerned, council agreed to a \$100 fine. He said that enforcement of the new law was incidental to the many other duties of the conservation officer.

So what can the property owner do to protect himself from what he sees as

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Wilma Stabnick
President, Charlevoix Garden Club

Clean Up Depot Area

The area around the freight depot and the former passenger depot in Charlevoix is an eyesore. There are wire and cable rolls all over the place. Somebody should contact the C & O Railway and tell them that if they don't clean the area up that the city will clean it for them and then place a lien on the property. If we're going to call the city Charlevoix the Beautiful then somebody should clean up that area.

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If the police department would put a deputy on East Dixon, he could make his salary just by ticketing the wrong-way drivers! Thank you.

P.S.

Betty Nietopski

Betty "never thought you'd make the front page!"

Deadline for voter sign-up set Monday

The deadline for voter registration for the Sept. 13 Charlevoix School District election is Monday.

All people who are interested in registering to vote in the upcoming election should visit either the Charlevoix City clerk's office or their respective township clerk's office in order to register for the election.

People may also register to vote at the Secretary of State's office at its new location at the corner of Bridge and Hurbit streets.

The Charlevoix Board of Education will be seeking approval of an additional 1 mill for operations on the Sept. 15 election ballot.

Couple finds home wrecking interesting summer project

By PAULA HOLMES

Tom and Cheryl Sothard are home wreckers.

The husband and wife team is responsible for the demolition taking place at what was once the parsonage of the Charlevoix Congregational Church on Park Avenue.

"We call it demolishing, and they call it recycling," Rev. Raymond Giffin, pastor of the church, explained.

The young couple is dismantling the former parsonage and saving the materials for use in the construction of their own home on property between East Jordan and Boyne City.

Giffin said the church had planned to use the parsonage to house the CHIP Counseling Center, but due to state regulations it was not feasible to remodel the parsonage for use as a counseling center. So the church decided to have the home demolished to make way for a possible parking lot.

"The two needs seemed to go together rather nicely," Tom, a teacher at the Charlevoix Middle School, said. "They needed to have the house removed and we needed the materials."

Tom said that when the couple first moved to the Charlevoix area three years ago, they wanted to buy a big

farm house and remodel it. But circumstances didn't allow them to go ahead with their plans, so they decided to build instead.

Tom said he and Cheryl, who is a teacher side in the East Jordan School District, had talked about recycling the parsonage for more than a year before they really decided to do it.

In preparation for the project, Tom read some old carpentry books.

"Removing a house is an unknown art," he grinned. "You can't find too much out about it."

He said he did watch a man take apart a house in East Jordan and got some pointers from him. But mostly the couple is playing it by ear.

They work at dismantling the house like it was a six-day a week, 9 to 5 job. They have until Nov. 1 to complete their project and Tom thinks they will need every day of it.

The couple began their project with a house demolition sale. They advertised in the classified ad section of the newspaper and attracted people from as far away as Kalkaska to purchase or barter for items in the house that the couple did not want.

People bought such things as glass panes, screen doors, oak wainscoting and even old nails. In exchange for a



CHERYL SOTHARD tosses some materials out the window to the waiting junk pile below. She and her husband Tom are dismantling a home.

fireplace screen, the couple obtained two hard hats for when they start taking the roof apart.

Other interesting things happened as the couple began to dismantle the former home of Frank Lines, one of the early druggists in the community. They found a 1909 Free Press, a 1920 Christian Science Monitor and a 1908 picture post card of the Pines Hotel in Grand Rapids.

"It makes an interesting summer," Tom laughed as he and Cheryl told the story of their project.

The couple saves every usable item from the parsonage, including the nails, and then carts the materials to friends' barns to store. They hope to recycle it all into their new home.

Unusable burnable items are also carted away while nonburnable materials are thrown in the basement to use as fill.

Tom and Cheryl said the dimensions of the parsonage have caused them to alter their plans for their own home.

"We've had to change plans to meet the materials available," Tom explained.

Removing windows has been another interesting part of the couple's project. All of the windows and window jams had to be numbered so that they wouldn't get mixed up as they were transported to the storage site.

Just numbering the windows was quite a project—there are 43 in the house.



Tom and Cheryl Sothard pull down parts of the inner wall. The couple is tearing down the house next to the Congregational Church on Park Avenue to recycle into materials for the new home they are planning to build.

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Charlevoix County Chapter, Michigan Association for the Blind, will meet at community room, First State Bank, 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at the hangar tach room 8 p.m.
Mary Brewster circle will meet with Mrs. Milton Adams of Norwood 9:30 a.m. Program: Book review by Mrs. James Irwin. Members will meet at First Congregational church to consolidate transportation.

Margaret Parker circle will meet at the First Congregational church 1:30 p.m. Hostesses: Mrs. Floyd Chamberlain and Mrs. Lester Smith.
TAPS will meet at Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. for weigh-in. Business meeting 8:30 p.m.

Thursday, Aug. 11
Charlevoix City Band will present its weekly "Concert in the Park", 8 p.m. East Park.
Great Pines Retired School Personnel Association will meet at Whiting Park 12:30 p.m. for carry-in luncheon. Members are asked to bring a dish to pass and their own table service.

V.F.W. will meet at post home 8 p.m.
Grandview Medical Care Facility Auxiliary will meet at the Facility at 2 p.m.

Annual Track and Field meet sponsored by Charlevoix Recreation Dept. at Kipke Field Girls' Division 1 p.m. (see story)
Annual Coffee Klatch, bake sale and bazaar at the Ironton Congregational church, Washington st., 10 a.m. until 2 p.m.

Friday-Saturday, Aug. 12-13
Annual CHICO Book Sale at Charlevoix Public Library 9 a.m.-5 p.m. sponsored by Charlevoix Women's Club. Proceeds will benefit the CHICO fund used to aid Indian Children.
Friday, Aug. 12
Al-Anons Family Group will meet at the undercroft of

Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2146.
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Saturday, Aug. 13
19th annual Waterfront Fair for Artists and Craftsman, East Park, 10 a.m. until dusk. Episcopal Church Women will sponsor a salad luncheon at Christ Episcopal Church at

Clinton and State sts. 11 a.m.-2 p.m.
Charlevoix United Methodist Church Women will sponsor a rummage and bake sale at persons garage next to the Charlevoix Public Library 9 a.m. until 5 p.m.

Sunday, Aug. 14
Christian Brotherhood Hour Station WVOY 8 a.m. sponsored by Community Church of God.
East Jordan Fire Department's annual Summer Picnic noon in tourist Park.
Monday, Aug. 15
Charlevoix Board of Education will meet in the high school study hall 7:30 p.m.

Band Boosters will meet at high school cafeteria 7:30 p.m. LaLeche League will meet 7:30 p.m. in Ellsworth 7:30 p.m. For more information call Mrs. Robert Bellairs 547-4255.

Tuesday, Aug. 16
American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m.
Men's Prayer meeting 7 a.m. Community Church of God.

Wednesday, Aug. 17
TOPS will meet undercroft of Christ Episcopal Church 6 p.m. for weigh-in. Business meeting 6:30 p.m.

Pilot finds building an airplane simple

By PAULA HOLMES

It's just like building a model," the man said with a shrug of his shoulders.
"You draw the plans on the table and then you put the pieces. It's really quite simple."
With those few words, Robert Winchester described what's behind building an airplane. And Winchester ought to know what's behind it, he has built one plane and is currently working on a second.

Winchester got into the plane building business because he wanted a high performance biplane. He had been flying since 1948 and was interested in learning more about aerobatics.
"Aerobatics is just a type of flight that I find interesting," the pilot explained. "People have the wrong impression about it. It's not daredevilish. It's a real good sport."

It's somewhat between an athletic type sport and one that uses a lot of skills.
In order to practice the maneuvers that are a part of aerobatic flight, Winchester needed a special type of plane. In 1964, when he decided to learn more about aerobatics, there weren't too many of the type he wanted around.
"It's not uncommon to see these planes any more," the pilot said. "When I started building this, there were only about three in the country. By the time I finished there were probably a couple of hundred."
And now the same plane, a Pitt's Special, is being manufactured commercially.
"When Winchester started building his first plane, named the "Susie Lee" after his daughter and wife, he was not new to the business. He had already rebuilt a couple of two-place planes as a kid he had constructed several wooden model airplanes.
"I had a pretty good idea about certain design details," he said.
But still the pilot had a lot of things to learn. He took a night welding course and practiced his welds before getting started on the project.
"You read as you go along," Winchester said with a faint smile crossing his lips. "There is a construction manual that comes with the plans for the plane and that helps."
"It's a real diversion to build a plane. You have to really be concentrating on it in order to get everything right. You don't have time to think about anything else."
The Charlevoix man had some help with his first project which he estimates took between 2,000 and 3,000 hours to complete. His wife Leona, who is also a licensed pilot, helped with the covering for the wings of the plane.
"Covering is pretty easy to do," he said. "It takes a lot of time, but it's not that hard to do."
Winchester said he also got help from his kids who would hold pieces in place from time to time while he worked on them.
Winchester said the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) inspects the plane before it is covered to check out the body construction.
The pilot said if the builder has followed the plans closely he should have no problems passing inspection.



BOB WINCHESTER poses with his Pitt's Special, the Susie Lee. Winchester uses the bi-plane for performing aerobatics. He completed construction on the plane in 1971.

Committee decides on street program

The Charlevoix Common Council Utilities and Streets Committee has finalized plans for street construction this summer.

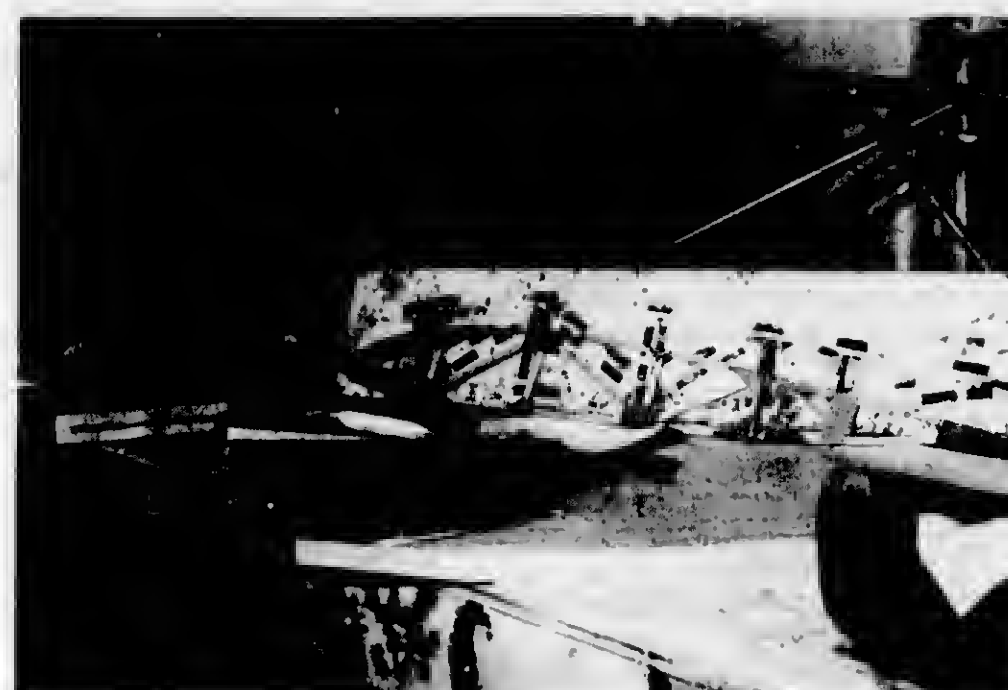
Chairman Ray Wood and committee members George Plumm and Ivan Whitley set up a schedule for repairing 7,100 feet of street at an approximate cost of \$23,000.

Common council had only approved expenditures for up to \$20,000 and City Administrator Allen Sandberg said he thought the city should stay within that budget even though the estimated cost of the projects is a little higher.

The schedule of streets that will be worked on this summer follows:

STREET	From	To	Length	Width	Est. Cost
Street Lewis	Dixon	Potoskey	600 feet	22 feet	1940
Burns		Potoskey			
Potoskey		Auld			
Auld			1500 feet	22 feet	4860
			2100 feet		6800
SECOND WARD					
Carpenter	State	Garfield	1500 feet	22 feet	4860
Garfield	State	Grant	1300 feet	22 feet	4210
Grant		Norwood	2000 feet		9070
THIRD WARD					
Hurlbut	900 feet	22 feet	2918		
Alice	650 feet	22 feet	2106		
East Lincoln	650 feet	22 feet	2106		
East Hurlbut	2200 feet		7130		
Total	7100 feet				23,000

"They all were home built at one time."



PARTS OF the fuselage and wing lay waiting on Bob Winchester's workbench. Winchester is constructing his second airplane, a Pitt's Special.

CHARLEVOIX COURIER

The Second Front Page

Top O'Michigan seeks three new board members

By PEGGIE GUILLE

Three directors will be elected to the Board of the Top O'Michigan Rural Electric Company at its annual meeting to be held at the Boyne City High School in Boyne City, August 15, at 8 p.m.

There are nine candidates for the positions, two of whom already serve on the board. Candidates for re-election are William A. Parsons of Norwood, who has served on the board since 1966, and Patrick E. Harwood of Grayling, who has served on the board since 1968.

Other candidates are James Behling of Boyne City,

William A. Burgess of Eastport, William McGowan of Grayling, Willis Walker of Johannesburg, Doris A. Pearl of Charlevoix, Emma Reinbold of Pellston, and Bruce M. Sanderson of East Jordan.

Of the above candidates those nominated by the nominating committee are Parsons, Harwood, Behling, Burgess, McGowan, and Walker. Those nominated by petition are Pearl, Reinbold, and Sanderson.

Those elected will serve three-year terms. This is the first time that a woman has been nominated to serve on the Top O'Michigan board. Both Mrs. Pearl and

Mrs. Reinbold are homemakers, and Mrs. Reinbold served 20 years as extension home economist in Charlevoix, Emmet and Cheboygan Counties.

In addition to electing the directors, those attending the meeting will vote on several proposed changes in company by-laws. A combination proxy and registration card has been sent to all Top O'Michigan members so that anyone unable to attend the meeting may designate another member to represent him. This is the first time that proxy votes have been permitted.

Charlevoix granted CETA funds for training programs, projects

Charlevoix County has been granted a still unspecified amount of money under the Comprehensive Training and Employment Act (CETA).

The grants are for positions in public and non-profit organizations and come under two titles.

Title I is a training program, and positions funded under it should provide an identifiable future opportunity to transfer the participant to unsubsidized employment within 12 months if possible.

Title VI provides funds for projects for non-profit organizations, state and local units of government, community based organizations serving

Indians, or other non-profit organizations and institutions engaged in public service.

"Project" means a definable task or group of related tasks which will be completed within a definable time period, not exceeding one year, which has a public service objective, and which results in a specific product or accomplishment when completed and which would not otherwise be accomplished with existing funds.

Projects may include the rehabilitation, alteration or improvement, but not new construction, of public buildings, roads, health and

educational facilities or other facilities for the improvement of the community.

Helen Phillips, Assistant Public Program Administration Director for the County, reports that the Charlevoix County Road Commission, Boyne Falls Public Schools, the City of Charlevoix, and the Department of Natural Resources have already had projects approved. Others are awaiting approval, but there will still be unspent funds to be put in circulation in the County.

Mrs. Phillips has advised all public and non-profit agencies in the County about the funds.



LIONS CLUB members have donated special equipment to the Charlevoix Area Hospital for use in the removal of eyes for cornea transplants. The Lions club members are also looking for people who would like to donate their eyes following death. George Duke, Charlevoix King Lion, gives a transplanting case to Richard Krueger, hospital administrator, while Reed Freidinger, M.D. studies a donor's card offered by Ivan Parsons, eye bank chairman for the East Jordan Lions.

Lions Clubs initiate program of cornea transplants here

A cornea transplant program has been initiated at the Charlevoix Area Hospital by the Charlevoix and East

Jordan Lions Clubs. The two clubs have donated the instruments needed for corneal extractions to the

hospital for use by area physicians, and the containers needed to ship the corneas to the University of Michigan and Wayne State University.

Members of the two Lions Clubs are also actively seeking area residents who would like to become eye donors. The clubs have donor cards available to people who would like to have their eyes used to help someone else see following their death.

The eyes must be removed within 72 hours following a person's death and sent downstate to a hospital which does corneal transplants. Dr. Reed Freidinger explained.

Freidinger said Little Traverse Hospital is doing some corneal transplants and that it was possible that corneas donated in this area would be used for local people.

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Editorials/Opinions

Bandshell project needs people to support and help complete it

It seems almost weekly that the Charlevoix Courier is asked to support community projects with pictures, news coverage and editorials.

Always willing to help the community whenever it can, the Courier usually obliges, sending photographers, writers and editors to get the story for the newspaper's readers.

Unfortunately, far too many of these projects are never heard of again, as the original enthusiastic backers drift away to other things and the projects are left to die.

There is one project in town, however, that is enjoying a revitalization—the bandshell in East Park.

Clarence Odmark, former Charlevoix High School and city band director, has taken the bull by the horns and set up a meeting to get interested supporters organized and back on the track with the bandshell project.

Odmark, the chairman of the original group to get the bandshell started, believes the time to take action on the bandshell is now. City residents have talked about building it long enough.

He points out that the stage area is a great asset to the community and is used regularly by the city band. It is also available for special events such as the Venetian Festival, the Waterfront Art

Fair and the Christmas Carol.

The only trouble is, it is hard to hear what goes on in the stage area even with a sound stage, because the wind blows the sound away before anyone can hear it.

The Courier joins Odmark in urging interested citizens to once again take up the cause of the city bandshell.

The city band has a long tradition in our community. For 50 summers residents and visitors alike in this community have been able to spend one evening a week enjoying music in the park. In addition, several other musical groups have been able to entertain people from the park because such a nice facility is available.

It is a shame that residents and visitors haven't been able to get it together enough to complete the bandshell and provide an even more enjoyable atmosphere for the performance of various musical groups.

It takes a lot more than talk or wishes to get a bandshell built. It takes a lot of hard work from dedicated citizens. And it takes a lot of follow up and pep talks to keep the entire group moving toward its goal.

The media can help just so much with its photographers, writers and editors, but in the end it takes some people who will see the project through.

Want to Write to Your Men in Lansing or DC?

Want to write your men in Washington or Lansing? Here are the addresses of the two U.S. Senators and the U.S. Congressmen from Michigan, the State Senator and the two State Representatives from the Charlevoix Courier's circulation area:

U.S. SENATORS—Donald Reagle (D), 438 Federal Bldg., 231 Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich., 48233; Robert Griffin (R), 1039 Federal Building, 231 Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich., 48233. In Washington D.C., write to the U.S. Senate, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

U.S. CONGRESSMAN—Rep. Philip Ruppe (R), Woodland Road, Houghton, Mich., 49931; or the U.S. House of Representatives, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C., 20515.

STATE SENATOR—Robert Davis (R), 351 E. Fourth St., Gaylord, Mich., 49735; or State Senate Chambers, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

STATE REPRESENTATIVES—106th District—Joseph Ostling (R), Route 2, Box 475B, Rosecrum, Mich., 49653; 106th District—E. Dan Stevens, (R), Atlanta, Mich., 49709. The representatives may also be reached at the House of Representatives, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

We suggest you clip and save this for future references.

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Clockwise by Bob Clock

SIDELIGHTS on the Purnell Murder Trial:
Although I didn't have an opportunity to talk to defendant David Purnell about his unscheduled mid-summer visit to Charlevoix, the Berrien County courthouse employees who have spent the past two weeks in Charlevoix seem to be enjoying their visit to northern Michigan.

Since it was impossible to find lodging for so many people (the delegation numbers about nine) for so long a time, the Berrien officials are staying at Petokey's Holiday Inn and commuting to Charlevoix when court is in session.

Some of the official party, including Court Reporter Jack McCarthy and Bailiff Thomas Gillespie have had their families with them at least part of the time.

Bailiff Gillespie, incidentally, is an uncle of Courier Editor Paula Holmes, so the trial has given her the chance to renew acquaintances.

One member of the official party pointed out Saturday while the jury was out that no one in Berrien County had a hand in picking Charlevoix as the scene of a mid-summer charade-of-venue trial. Such decisions are made by the Michigan Supreme Court.

PURNELL's retrial, incidentally, is costing Berrien County a bundle. One estimate pegs the cost between \$18,000 to \$20,000, including lodging for the courthouse employees and transporting witnesses to and from St. Joseph. There also are such incidental costs as feeding the jury during lunch breaks.

When the jury had failed to reach a decision by lunchtime Saturday, Circuit Judge William S. White sent the 12 jurors and the bailiff to Leuthener's restaurant.

The jurors were allowed to order from the menu and could have anything they wanted "except lobster."

A Berrien County official explained that a juror once ordered lobster at a St. Joseph restaurant and the board of commissioners threw a collective fit when the bill arrived.

"We just don't let the jurors order lobster any longer," the official explained.

BEFORE the jury was excused to begin deliberations, Bailiff Gillespie took the usual oath to keep his charges secluded from outside interference and to give them neither food nor drink, except water, without express permission from the bench.

"No Coke or coffee!" yelled Jury Foreman Norm Probert from the jury box.

Judge White said he had no objection to Coke and coffee and the jury breathed a collective sigh of relief.

A SURPRISE element in the trial last week was the revelation that the defendant is a great-grandson of King Benjamin Purnell, who bearded patriarch of Benton Harbor who once maintained a House of David colony on High Island.

There undoubtedly are many Charlevoixians who remember the village Purnell constructed on the south end of the island, complete with a school, dwellings, shops and a church.

The late Delores Fischer once told me that she spent a winter on the island as a girl during King Ben's reign. Her big sister was the school marm.

THE RETRIAL, incidentally, results from a change in Michigan law which requires judges to include "not-guilty" as an optional verdict in their charges to juries. The change could result in "thousands" of costly retrials in cases where such instructions were omitted, according to one Berrien County official.

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If it Fitz

by Jim Fitzgerald

For 2 reasons, it hurts me to type the following words: There is a big hole in the roof of the house at 1020 Pine Grove Ave. Port Huron, Mich.

The first reason it hurts is that there are 3 letter 'f's and 2 's' (commas) in that sentence. In the touch system, the middle finger of the right hand is used to type 'f's and 's'. A large piece of flesh has been accidentally cut off the tip of the middle finger of my right hand.

There is blood on my hand, keys, and there are tears in my eyes, but I keep typing because this is my job and I will not back away from it, no matter how severe the pain.

Well, I have made 1 concession to the agony. The right-hand middle finger is also used to type the 'k' key. In fact, the 'k' key is home base for that finger, and a particularly hard, downward push is required to operate it. It hurts more to type 'k's than 'f's and 's'. So I am avoiding 'k's whenever feasible.

Originally, today's column was going to be about the Charlevoix Clan. But that would be too bloody. So I am substituting the hole in the roof at 1020 Pine Grove Ave.

But first, you probably wonder how I

cut my finger. It was my wife's fault. Pat left me writing in the car while she dashed into the A&P to get a quart of milk. Because she was purchasing less than 9 items, she could use the express check-out line, which meant she wouldn't be gone more than half a day.

At our A&P, if you want to buy more than 9 items, you first should get a leave of absence from your job.

I figured I would pass the time by reading the newspaper. I reached into Pat's beach bag to get my eyeglasses. You remember that beach bag. It goes everywhere, and carries everything. My wife never leaves anything home for fear of mildew. And I never carry anything in my pockets because they are lined with oiled cloth and I must keep them available for smuggling slosh into the dry pavilion at Meadow Brook.

It is not easy to find what you want in the beach bag. While rummaging for the eyeglasses, I felt a sharp pain, and drew back a maimed finger.

"You must have found my razor," I said.

"I like to keep it handy for shaving my legs."

Pat said after I explained why I was sitting in my Oldsmobile full of blood.



Paula Holmes... ...Speaking Her Mind

If you get a chance this summer visit Beaver Island, especially if you like the outdoors and just want to relax and don't need to be entertained every waking moment.

I'm sure you'll meet some super people and have a good time, too.

As you have probably noticed, the Courier has had a few stories about the island in it for the past couple of issues. I've been back and forth to the island the last two weekends and I've really fallen in love with it.

The first weekend I only spent Saturday there covering the dedication of the old Mormon Print Shop by Lt. Gov. James Damman.

When I left on the 8:30 boat that morning, I was a little skeptical about going back to the island. I had been there only once before for a camping trip with 30 high school students.

As we were bedding down that evening, we discovered we were short tents. I ended up sleeping in a makeshift plastic garbage bag, leaning in the middle of one of the heaviest downpours in modern history. Needless to say, that didn't endear the island to me, nor did the island impress me as your ideal vacation spot.

But that Saturday was perfect weather-wise and I was determined to come back for a camping trip the following weekend, which I did.

Again, I left on the early morning boat and spent the day working. That evening a friend from the mainland joined me and we attended a fish fry at French's Bay with students and staff.

Friendlier people are hard to find.

An ad in a Midwest newspaper read, WANTED: Woman to do ironing for housewife. 10 years behind in everything. Must have strong courage and sense of humor. Phone _____

Now there's a woman I could live next door to in perfect harmony. I iron "By appointment only." I learned long ago that if I ironed and hung their clothes in my daughter's closet, she would change three times during dinner.

The other day my son wanted me to iron his jeans for a class play. "Which leg faces the audience?" I asked with my iron poised in mid-air.

"Boy," he said, "you're sure not like Mrs. Breck."

I hadn't thought about Mrs. Breck in years. She was an antiseptic old broad who used to live two houses down from me. She had an annoying habit of putting her ironing board up on Tuesdays and putting it away again at the end of the day. (What can you expect from a woman who ironed belt buckles?)

One afternoon I dropped in on her as she was pressing the tongues in her son's tennis shoes.

"You know what you are, Mrs. Breck?" I said. "A drudge."

"Oh, I enjoy ironing," she said. "You keep talking like that and someone is going to put you in a home."

The dear woman must be afraid of 10 a.m. shadow.

So that's how I cut my finger. Now you are wondering what is the second reason it hurts me to type those words in the opening paragraph. The second hurt is a pang, rather than a pain. I feel it in my heart, which is more useful than the middle finger, unless you are angry with some guy, in which case it is more appropriate to give him the finger and keep your heart.

For the most of the first 18 years of my life, I lived at 1020 Pine Grove Ave., in Port Huron. I loved that house, and never would have left it if it hadn't been for Hitler. When I returned from overseas, I discovered my parents had moved, swishing a leafy tree branch behind them to erase their footprints.

Anyway, the other evening I returned to Port Huron to take Mother and Aunt Madeline out to dinner. (Since I got my BankAmericard, Mother is no longer sorry that I ultimately found her new home.) On the way to the restaurant, we drove by 1020 Pine Grove Ave.

As a custom, I braked the car into a gunnedition. That's when I saw the huge hole in the roof. It looked like the

type hole firemen always chop into roofs, even when the fire is in the basement.

There wasn't time to stop and investigate, but now here I am, back in Detroit, hurting for my old home. Was I gutted by fire? Most important, was the maid's room damaged?

That's where I slept. It was not as sexy as it sounds. Before the Depression, my family could afford a maid. She was laid off in 1934 and hasn't been called back yet. But her bedroom was called the maid's room forever after, even after I slept in it for 10 years.

It was mother's way of keeping a tenuous hold on a grander past. If it were always the maid's room, there was always the hope the maid might return. Mother wouldn't have to wash windows anymore, and I could sleep in a cot in the basement.

Whatever I loved that little room, and the pang will not subside. Someone in Port Huron had better reassure me about what happened at 1020 Pine Grove Ave.

An of my maimed finger, it is now a mess. The key is modest. I have paid for my go in capital letters.

from the Central Michigan University Biological Station.

The fish was great and the company even better, ending a myth I had held to be true that science majors were mostly dull people.

From there we went back to that fatid campground and, armed with a tent, proceeded to camp out for the night. It did rain, but I was dry this time around.

In the morning we prepared for what my friend labeled a "healthy" seven-mile hike back to St. James. Mentally gearing up for the walk, I helped her pack the back pack and clean up the campsite.

And then we were off, full of vim, vigor and vitality. About 300 feet along on the seven-mile trek, a pickup truck stopped and the driver asked if we wanted a ride into town. Without any hesitation, we jumped in the back and were in town in a mere five minutes.

Determined to get our exercise, we walked a mile to the township park to investigate the camping sites for future trips. Again on our way back a car stopped and picked us up.

"It's not a matter of pride that you walk, is it," the driver asked us. Evidently it wasn't, because we hopped right in the car.

I can remember times when I've had to hitch hike and it seemed like the world would end before anyone would give me a ride. But on Beaver Island they stop and ask you if you need one, no matter if you're hitch hiking or not. Friendlier people are hard to find.



Erma Bombeck

"What's so bad about ironing?" she grinned.

"No one does it," I snapped. "Did you ever see the women on soap operas iron? They're just normal, American housewives. But do you ever see them in front of an ironing board? No! They're out having abortions, committing murder, blackmailing their boss, undergoing surgery, having fun! If you weren't chained to this ironing board you, too, could be out doing all sorts of exciting things."

"Like what?" she chuckled, pressing the wrinkle out of a pair of sweat socks and folding them neatly.

"You could give Thursday parties, learn to scuba dive, learn hotel management while sitting under a hair dryer, have an affair with the Avon lady's unemployed brother-in-law, sing along with Jack Lalanne, collect antique barbed wire, take a course in Hebrew Flower Arranging, start chain letters...I don't know, woman, use your imagination!"

I read the newspaper ad again. It intrigued me, so that I dialed the number and waited.

"Hello, Mrs. Breck speaking..."

Son of a gun. It sure makes you feel good when you had a part in someone's success, doesn't it?

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Meet Charlevoix

...June Cross

June Cross was chairman of the Charlevoix Women's Club bicentennial project, the preservation and improvement of Lake Michigan Park and beach. The project is on-going, and this week the Courier talks with Mrs. Cross about what has been accomplished to date, and plans for the future.

COURIER: Who owns Lake Michigan Park?

CROSS: The City of Charlevoix. The property was deeded to the City by Amos and Esther Fox in 1882, to be used by the citizens for recreational purposes, and kept in a natural setting.

COURIER: What does the park consist of?

CROSS: It covers about 15 acres. The east end contains the City supervised bathing beach, parking area, and rest rooms. The remainder of the beach, to the west, is a

favorite Petokey stone hunting ground, and is also used for swimming, sunning, or just relaxing. Adjacent to the beach is a partially wooded bluff cut by a number of small ravines.

COURIER: Why does the park need rejuvenation?

CROSS: Because it became an eyesore and health hazard. Piles of garbage were being left on the grounds, broken glass covered the area, rats were running around, and the area was completely overgrown with brush.

COURIER: Why did the Women's Club select this project for the bicentennial?

CROSS: Because of the above facts, and because of the historic background of the area. A Woodland Indian trail once ran along the same dunes toward Norwood.

COURIER: What are your specific plans for the beach and park areas?

CROSS: First, a general cleanup, which has largely been accomplished by members of the club as well as other local persons and organizations. We recently received the help of four CETA employees to carry on along these lines. We have repaired the steps running from the bluff to the beach, started putting wood chips on the trails, and are building the ramp from the parking lot for handicapped people. The next phase will include preventive measures against wind and water erosion, paving the parking lot and placing benches and picnic tables. We have other long range plans, too.

COURIER: How is this work being financed?

CROSS: The City of Charlevoix voted to spend up

to \$20,000 if we could get matching federal or state funds. So far we have received \$5,900 from the Department of Natural Resources and have been granted, but not yet received, about \$7,000 from the Northwest Michigan Resource Conservation & Development Project.

COURIER: How did you secure these funds?

CROSS: It took a lot of paper work, going from one agency to another, being turned down, re-applying, getting letters from professionals such as Ed Beutner, a geologist, John Campbell, a landscape architect, and William Grimm of the Soil Conservation Service. We did all the paper work and log work for the City. We spent \$1,200 for a conceptual design for the park and for a topographic map. We raised the \$1,200 through book sales,

meals and mileage.

The resolution was introduced by outgoing Alderman Robert Tumms and applied only to those aldermen and the mayor who were newly elected and had not voted on the resolution in effect giving themselves a raise.

The salaries and mileage and travel costs earned by the current mayor and aldermen during the 1976-77 fiscal year were: Mayor Edward Hansen, \$4,220; Sue Erber, \$600; Joe Morris, \$600; George Plumm, \$600; Jeannine Wallace, \$600; Ivan Whitely, \$450; and Ray Wood, \$507.

Mrs. Erber, Mrs. Wallace and Morris were the first council members to come under the new salary schedule. However, they did not enter office until the middle of the fiscal year, so they only received half of the new \$1,200 annual salary.

Other expenses of the council and mayor and how they compared with the 1975-76 fiscal year follow:

Category	1974-75	1975-76
Salaries	\$8,897.40	\$4,682.50
Pringe benefits	520.48	273.92
Office supplies	53.36	291.30
Postage	none	none
Publications	2,037.67	1,585.68
Misc. supplies	181.19	63.82
Professional services	2,926.80	491.25
Telephone, telegraph	3.80	3.80
Transportation	1,207.57	723.34
Memberships, dues	577.50	671.00
Miscellaneous	233.23	177.51
Office equipment	43.46	384.91

Letters to the editor

Janet Begrow expresses feelings about Charlevoix

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following is an essay written by Janet Begrow, a Charlevoix student attending Michigan State University. In the piece entitled, "Heritage Hill," she describes her feelings about the development of the area, a subject that evokes strong emotions from residents and visitors to our community.

HERITAGE HILL
By Janet Begrow

It was a long way to the top of the hill and he was tired and worn. But he puffed away crunching the leaves beneath his moccasins as he threaded his way through the trees. He reached the summit, took a long deep breath and turned. The wind caught his face and froze his brown wrinkled skin into place. His eyes sparkled like a young man's his face showed wisdom and pride.

This weathered warrior looked out over the land—like was Chief McSaubu and this was his home. Below, the multi-colored trees shimmered in the setting sunlight. On one side of him was Lake Michigan, fierce and vicious, crashing its waves on the sandy beach in rebellion of its barriers. Beyond the valley was Lake Charlevoix which extended its diamond studded tentacles for miles to the east.

The only sound to break the whistle of the wind was Chief McSaubu's deep heavy sigh which started at the bottom of his heart and flowed through his body into the roots of life itself.

The echo remained. "This is my home."

That was Charlevoix 200 years ago. The town was only a settlement of

proud Indians and rugged missionaries. There were no big barges or condominiums. There were no streets or houses.

Today Charlevoix is a lively, exciting resort town. Tourists have been renamed "Fudgies" because of their frequent use of the town's novel fudge store. These Fudgies clatter about the streets stopping to feed the ducks, snap pictures of the drawbridge going up, or gaze in one of the many curious little shops.

They come from Chicago, St. Louis and Cincinnati to lounge in white cushioned wicker chairs on the veranda of their elite clubhouse. They come from Detroit, Flint and Grand Rapids to stretch out on a secluded sandy beach on either Lake Michigan of Lake Charlevoix. They come to build memories of laughter and new experiences in a timeless zone.

Some of the people who have always lived in Charlevoix have a different perception of what has become of their home since the time of Chief McSaubu. I found this poem which appeared as an advertisement in the Charlevoix Courier one summer.

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(to Charlevoix)
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Charlevoix has indeed transformed considerably since the time of Chief McSaubu, but it is still an enchanted quaint resort town. Some people who have lived in Charlevoix all their lives feel that Charlevoix has been destroyed by all the new construction and continual flow of vacationers. I feel that Charlevoix has only matured and grown through the years enabling it to bring a little more happiness to more people. The new condominiums, homes and offices have enabled those who live here to stay here. The new expanded shops, new parking areas, and shopping arcade have opened up a means of income for those who depend on the tourist industry so that they may stay here also.

Charlevoix, even through its many changes, has not lost its mystery. The essence of Indian lore and beauty permeate the air and settle into the bones of all who come here.

I grew up in Charlevoix. I've watched many people come here. I've watched many people leave and go back to their cities. Every one of them have whispered, "I shall be back."

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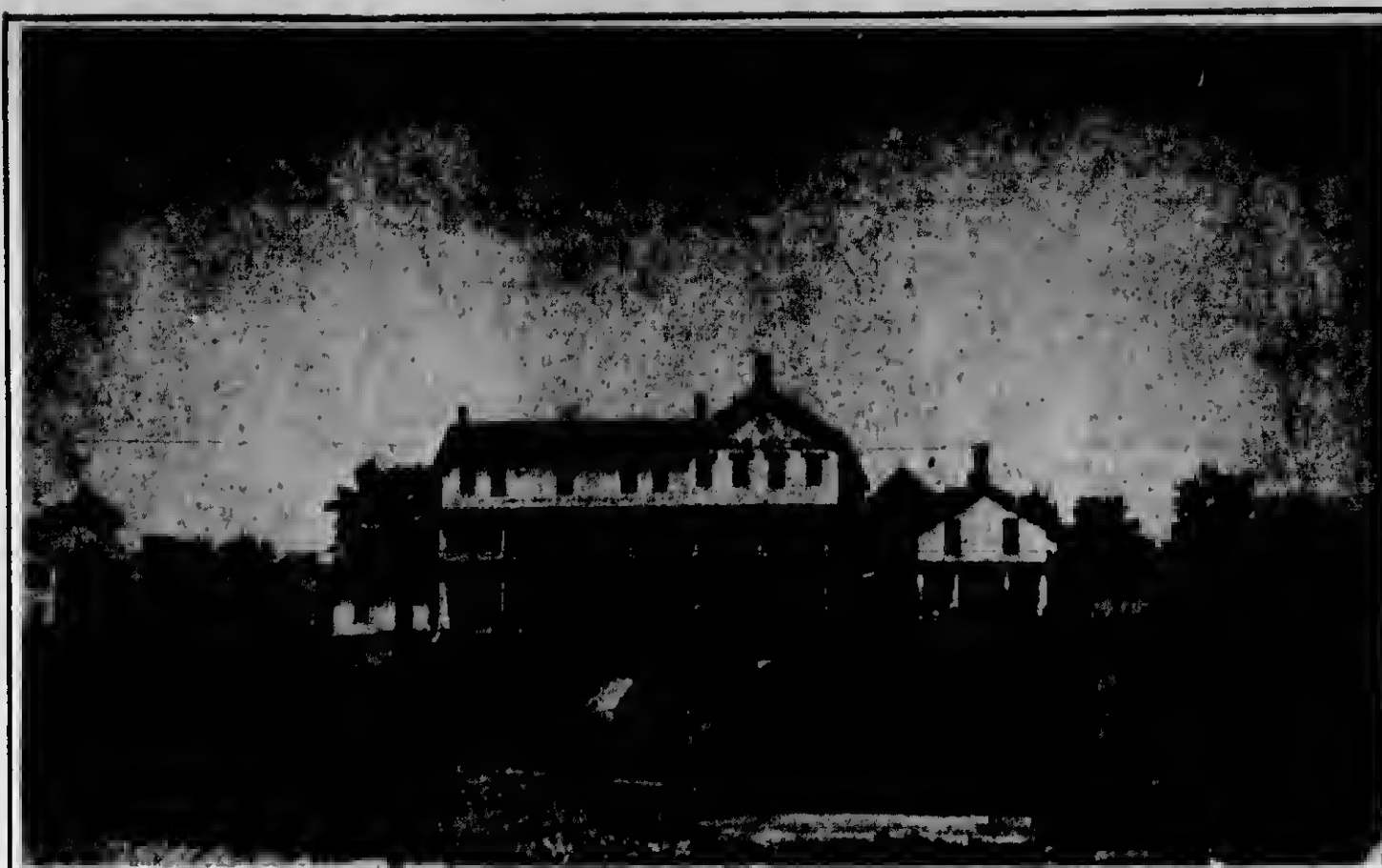
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Charlevoix Yesterday

THE FOUNTAIN CITY HOUSE, pictured here in 1884, was located on the Pine River Channel where the Weatherlane Terrace Motor Inn now stands. There is no record of the occasion which called out the band.

New newspapers in county possible, but not reality yet

The names East Jordan News Herald, Boyne Citizen and Boyne Publishing Company have been registered with the Charlevoix County clerk's office under new assumed names for businesses in the county.

George A. Colburn, who has a summer home near Walloon Lake, registered the names with the clerk, but he said he isn't going to start any new newspapers in the county, at least not right away.

"I have thought about going into business in the Boyne City area because I like the area and because I have a home near Walloon Lake," Colburn explained in a telephone interview from his office at the University of California.

"And those were the names that I wanted to be mine if and when I go into business," Colburn, who is the director of the Newspaper in the Classroom project for the

University of California, has been in the newspaper and book publishing business all his life. He is the author of one book.

He has also served as an instructor at Michigan State University and as a city councilman in East Lansing. Colburn said he has a number of friends in the communications business and that he and his friends have talked about going into business for several years.

"It's still very indefinite, but I've been thinking more definitely about it now that I'm approaching 40," he quipped.

"If the opportunity for starting a book and magazine publishing company or for opening a newspaper came up in that area, I would start one. But at this I'm just planning for a business opportunity for my golden years." Businessmen must register their names with the county clerk every five years.

Apprenticeships can increase people's chance of getting jobs

It seems like a good job is not so easy to find these days. But an apprenticeship or technical training can increase your chances. Competition for apprenticeships is less. They usually involve from two to five years of on-the-job training as well as some formal classroom experience. Technical training can be on the job or in a technical school or college. It can run from one year on up to continuing education for some jobs.

If you have been thinking about becoming a chef, a cosmetologist, a medical assistant or any other occupation field that requires apprenticeship or technical training, send for one of the new booklets made available by the U.S. Department of Labor. Jobs for Which Apprenticeships Are Available (681E) describes the kinds and lengths of apprenticeships offered for over 50 occupations. Jobs

Requiring Junior College or Technical Training* (680E) gives qualifications and training requirements for more than 35 occupations. Both booklets also give employment trends for each job through 1985. For your free copy of either or both booklets, send a postcard to the Consumer Information Center, Pueblo, Colorado 81009. Please note the item number (s).

Although they vary widely from state to state, here are some basic requirements for apprenticeship positions:

—Plumbers and Pipefitters. Usually you need to be at least 16 years old to apply for a plumbing apprenticeship. It takes five years to complete with on-the-job training and at least 144 hours of related classroom instruction each year. Prospects for employment look good.

—Cosmetologists. To apply for a cosmetology license you need to be at least 16 years

old; you must complete the 10th grade; and you usually need to finish a State-approved cosmetology course. However, some states will accept an apprenticeship in lieu of a cosmetology course. Employment prospects are about average.

—Medical Assistants. Training may be obtained in vocational high schools or institutes and in junior colleges. Most medical assistants also receive training in a physician's office. Employment prospects are excellent, particularly if the medical assistants have graduated from accredited junior college programs.

—Carpenters. Apprenticeship applications must be at least 17 years old, and it is helpful to have a high school or vocational diploma. The program is 4 years of on-the-job training plus a minimum of 144 hours of classroom instruction each year. Employment prospects are

average. —Roofers. You must be at least 18 years old, and a high school education or its equivalent is important. The program lasts three years, with a minimum of 1,400 hours of on-the-job training, in addition to 144 hours of classroom instruction in subjects like blueprint reading, mathematics, and safety. Apprentice roofers will have very good job prospects.

Jobs for Which Apprenticeships Are Available (free) and Jobs Requiring Junior College or Technical Training (free) are two of over 200 selected federal consumer publications listed in The Consumer Information Catalog. The Catalog is published quarterly by the Consumer Information Center of the General Services Administration, and it is free. For your copy, send a postcard to the Consumer Information Center, Dept. 65 E, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

Summer's the time to think about winter energy saving plans

Sure, you turn the heat down to save energy when you go to bed. But getting up to turn it back up in the morning is a bear. Have you considered getting a timer for your thermostat? It will turn your heat down at night and back up before you get up in the morning. A timer can save you energy and money on your heating bill. And cold toes. To learn more energy saving ideas, get a copy of the free booklet, Tips for Energy Savers. Send a postcard to the Consumer Information Center, Dept. 591 E, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

If your window had a five-inch square hole letting in cold air, you'd fix it, right? Well, you may be letting in that much air if you have an eight-inch space around your outside door and no weatherstripping. That's costing you a lot of money. If you really want to save, weather strip

your windows as well. You'll be warmer and your bills will be lighter. Want do-it-yourself ways to save energy? Get a copy of the Bank of Up the Chimney. It's \$1.70 from the Consumer Information Center, Dept. 64 E, Pueblo, Colorado 81009. Been up in your unheated

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sulation you need, whether you need storm windows and doors, and how much all this will cost, get a copy of Making the Most of Your Energy Dollars. It's 70 cents from the Consumer Information Center, Dept. 65 E, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

School board president names new committees

Committees for the 1977-78 year of the Charlevoix Board of Education were named by Max Novak, board president, at the regular meeting held Monday night.

The committees follow with the first named serving as chairman: Negotiations: Claire C. Martin, Ardeth Wieland and Charles A. Elzinga; Finance: Kenneth Boss, Martin and Max Novak; Public Library: Elzinga, Novak and Constance Pointner;

Transportation: Boss, Elzinga and Novak; Curriculum: Mrs. Wieland, Elzinga and Ms. Pointner.

Recreation and extra-curricular: Donald Brown, Boss and Novak; Professional Study: Brown, Mrs. Pointner and Novak; Board policy: Mrs. Wieland, Martin and Elzinga; Building and site: Brown, Martin and Mrs. Pointner; Legislation: Mrs. Wieland, Boss and Brown.



T-shirts

JEANNE HICE MODELS one of the Waterfront Art Fair T-shirts that are now on sale by the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce. The shirts were designed by Bill Stufel especially for the chamber and are white on a navy blue background. The shirts may be picked up at the chamber office and they will be on sale the day of the art fair in East Park.

Well-known artists to participate in Waterfront fair

A pausing on loan from the Hackley Museum of Art in Muskegon, a demonstration and several new types of exhibits will highlight the 19th annual Charlevoix Waterfront Art Fair Saturday.

A painting by Alfred Sifley, a French impressionist of the same era as VanGogh and Cezanne, will be on display in East Park throughout the day along with 185 other artists from throughout the state and nation.

Several new types of exhibits will be on display along with a mixture of sculpture, pottery, batik, oil, watercolor and acrylic painting.

Now this year will be wood sculpture presentations and glass displays, both stained

glass and hand-blown glass. Also, Larry Oughton, who specializes in porcelain raku pottery, will be giving demonstrations of face masks during the afternoon. He will be making masks from faces of people in the park.

The winner of the Charlevoix Art Fair scholarships, Lart Bolt, will have an exhibit of quilts, pillows and dolls made from materials she designed and dyed herself.

Among the more well-known artists at the fair will be: Mike McDonald of Franklin, who is known for his oil and watercolor paintings. Also on hand will be Fran Larsen of South Haven, who is known for her watercolors and Allen Vigland, a potter.

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Pigeons pondered as postmen

A postman with wings and feathers may be called into action if the cost of delivery mail and messages continues to soar.

Some people in England are suggesting homing pigeons as the answer to rising postage costs. Says a homer expert: "Once you are established, the cost of running a pigeon post is incredibly low."

A small package service is even more imminent. A hospital in Plymouth, England, already has decided to test pigeon parcel post. The feathered couriers will fly specimen vials from the hospital to a central laboratory in the city for analysis.

Pigeons Promise Savings
Taxis now deliver the specimens, and would still come to the rescue if bad weather grounded the birds. As many as 20 hospitals in the

Plymouth district eventually may use pigeons, saving thousands of dollars in taxi fares.

Humans have been using the homing pigeon's remarkable navigation instinct to provide fast communication for centuries.

Many think Noah had the idea first. The Bible says he released a dove after the flood, and it returned with an olive twig. But bird fanciers insist a dove doesn't "home," so it must have been a pigeon.

Egyptians were breeding special strains of messenger pigeons as early as 3000 B.C. The winged heralds sped the names of Greek Olympic victors to their home cities. The Roman naturalist Pliny marveled at the immense price and prestige commanded by the birds: "Nay, they are come to this pass,

that they can reckon up their pedigree and race." The Sultan of Baghdad linked his empire with a pigeon post system in 1150. Seven centuries later, a message-carrying pigeon started Paul Julius Reuter on his way to founding a global news service. And just a few years ago a newsmen had his photographic film of a moon shot airlifted to the office by a homer.

Fly for Sport
Today, most pigeons fly just for sport. Organized racing began in Belgium in the early 1800s and soon spread. Fan-ciers breed and race their own birds. Even Queen Elizabeth of England has her own pigeon loft.

Training begins when birds are about four weeks old. First

they sit in the loft. Then they "roam" on their own nearby. Finally owners take them on longer and longer trips before releasing them.

In races, specially banded birds are taken in crates to a starting point and released. When each bird comes home, its owner removes the band and inserts it into a device that records the time. Distance from starting point to loft is measured; times are checked and the bird that made it home fastest wins.

When all goes well, a homer can clip along at 35 to 70 miles an hour. With the right wind, birds have been clocked as fast as 90 miles an hour. Flights of more than a thousand miles are common for mature racers, and one United States Army pigeon made a 2,300-mile flight



James Riggle receives Wayne State law degree

James A. Riggle, of Charlevoix received his law degree from Wayne State University during recent spring commencement exercises. He was among 200 law degree recipients.

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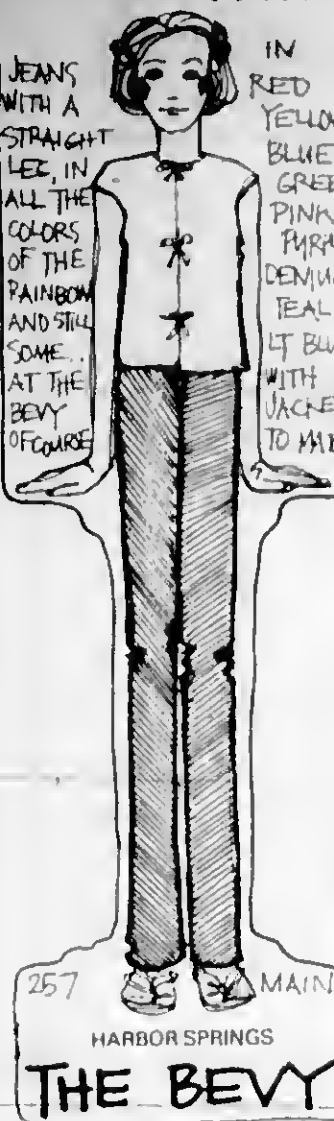
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CHARLEVOIX COUNCIL MINUTES
8:00 p.m.
The Common Council of the City of Charlevoix met on the above date and time with Mayor Hansen presiding. Aldermen present: Whitley, Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, and Wood. Absent: None.

The Minutes of the July 11, 1977 regular meeting were approved as presented in writing and as recorded in the Council Minutes Book.

Moved by Alderman Wood and supported by Alderman Plumm to approve the site plan submitted by Hufford Industries. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote: Yeas: Aldermen Whitley, Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, and Wood. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Moved by Alderman Morris and supported by Alderman Whitley to approve the site plan submitted by Trison Industries. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote: Yeas: Aldermen Whitley, Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, and Wood. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Council discussed fire and ambulance service contract renewals for the surrounding townships. Any action on this matter was postponed pending further study of rates to the townships and use charge rates for ambulance service.

Alderman Erber advised Council that City ambulance divers will be taking an eighty hour first aid course from Dr. Custer in conjunction with Charlevoix Hospital. This course will be mandatory for all ambulance drivers. There will be twelve or thirteen drivers taking the course from Dr. Custer at the cost of \$75.00 per person.

Moved by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Wallace that the City underwrite the cost of training City ambulance drivers up to \$1,000.00. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote: Yeas: Aldermen Whitley, Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, and Wood. Nays: None. Absent: None.

The City Administrator advised Council that 10,300 feet of City Streets are scheduled for resurfacing at a cost of approximately \$18,200. He will present a list of the streets involved to the Utilities and Streets Committee for their consideration.

Moved by Alderman Wood and supported by Alderman Wallace to authorize \$20,000 of asphalt paving, areas to be approved by the Street Committee, the Street Commissioner, and the City Administrator. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote: Yeas: Aldermen Whitley, Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, and Wood. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Council discussed the proposed sewer system for the Captain's Corner Shopping Center. Any action on this matter was delayed until the City receives a detailed plan of the proposed sewer.

Alvin Ranger, City Building Inspector, appeared before Council to discuss the Charlevoix Municipal Airport Master Plan. He stated that copies of the proposed plan had been sent to the governmental agencies involved for their recommendations and approval, but that certain areas of the study are not complete and that there is further work to be done on the plan. He urged the Council to act on the proposed contract as soon as possible as a Federal grant can be received. The City Attorney pointed out that the proposed contract made no provision for the Township sharing in the cost of separating City storm and sanitary sewers. The matter was referred to the Committee of the Whole meeting to be held on August 1, 1977 for further discussion.

Moved by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Wallace that the City use Anti-Recession Funds in the amount of \$5,368.00 in the September payroll. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote: Yeas: Aldermen Whitley, Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, and Wood. Nays: None. Absent: None.

The Finance Committee having examined bills totaling \$141,388.33 into which correct sum recommended the bills be allowed. Moved by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Wallace that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for their amounts. Motion was adopted by the following yea and nay vote: Yeas: Aldermen Whitley, Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, and Wood. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Council adjourned.
Judy D. Przybylski, City Clerk

What would happen if the lights went out here?

By Paula Holmes
What would happen in Charlevoix if the lights went out?

Well, as the old saying goes, when the lights go out, you're in the dark.

And while that may be humorous, it wasn't so funny to the millions of New York City residents who were left in the dark for 24 hours when a series of lightning bolts combined with an electrical system strained to capacity by hot weather, shut down Consolidated Edison.

Consolidated Edison supplies all the electricity for the Big Apple. The latest blackout was the second time in a dozen years that the electric company and the city had found themselves in the dark.

Could the same thing happen in Charlevoix?

It's very unlikely, according to John Keane, district public affairs director for Consumer's Power Company, which sells electricity to the City of Charlevoix.

Keane explained that Consumer's generation and transmission sources are more widely distributed than Consolidated Edison's.

"I'm not knocking the New York system, it is a real fine system," Keane said. "But over the years, we have looked at our system and tried to figure out what the extremes are."

"We have tried to take into account anything that could happen and tried to find a way

to prevent it. We have one of the finest transmission systems in the business."

Keane said Consumer's Power and Detroit Edison make up the Michigan power pool. The two companies are also a part of the American Electric Power group and they can draw power from the New England States and Niagara Mohawk if they need some extra power on peak days.

He pointed out that New York City is covered by water on one side and so has no other power sources to draw from in an emergency.

"We're surrounded by other power companies," he said. "We have a working agreement with other companies within the industry that if they need help with some major repairs we will be there and if we need help, they will

come," Keane explained. He said that when the severe ice storm paralyzed southeastern Michigan two years ago, repairmen from Illinois, Indiana and Ohio came to this state to aid with the repairs.

Keane pointed out that utility lines are not that extensive and can be handled by Consumer's repairmen within a matter of hours.

But of Consumer's couldn't get its lines fixed for an extended period of time, the City of Charlevoix is ready. James Whitley, superintendent of the electrical department, said the city has a 1,000 kilowatt diesel-powered generator that could supply some electricity to certain areas of the town.

Some trunks run to the Wastewater Treatment Plant, to businesses with refrigerators in the downtown area and certain other crucial places, Whitley said. These places would continue to operate even if the blackout started.

He said it takes four to six hours to get the generator operating.

Whitley said the city is planning to put all trunks underground in the near future so that they cannot be knocked out during severe weather.

Safety for the city's residents in case of a blackout would be well provided for, according to Charlevoix Police Chief Jack Mol. Mol said the Charlevoix



POWER IS BROUGHT to the people through these transmission lines in the City of Charlevoix. This maze of wires can be seen on Ferry Avenue.

Insects, disease hide in souvenirs Invaders strike country through suitcases

Every 12 minutes an enemy is stopped at a U.S. border. Sometimes the invader turns up in the luggage of an unsuspecting traveler.

The "enemies" are insects and disease organisms that hide in souvenirs—a box of peaches from Rome or a bonnet from the Orient—and are often escorted by tourists who don't realize the threat they pose to the country's crops, livestock, and trees. Last year pests and disease cost taxpayers \$12 billion in damage and control

measures in this country.

Guarding the Gates
America's main line of defense against foreign pests is 600 Department of Agriculture inspectors stationed at more than 80 ports of entry. At the request of a customs agent, an inspector will search anything from a backpack to a commercial shipment to find potential troublemakers.

Even so, the pests sneak by. A small box cost taxpayers hundreds of thousands of dollars after slipping through quarantine inspection in 1966 with three giant African snails in his pocket. The snails later escaped from his Miami, Florida, home and reproduced. More than 100,000 snails—half descendants of the original pair—were destroyed in the six years it took to eradicate the pest. Their legacy: a path of destroyed

fruit, vegetables, and flowers. Sick parrots from South America are believed to have been responsible for exposing California poultry to exotic Newcastle disease in 1971. In the two-year program to stamp out the disease, more than 31 million birds were destroyed at a cost of \$50 million.

Customs inspectors are especially on the lookout for citrus and tropical fruits, which could carry fruit flies, and meat products, which could be contaminated with foot-and-mouth disease. "Foot-and-mouth disease is a highly contagious disease," said "It is as fatal as tuberculosis is to people."

Eye Out for Smugglers
A last-minute attempt to smuggle contraband souvenirs can mean embarrassment—and even a fine—for the traveler, says Robert Forsyth, supervisory customs inspector at Dulles International Airport near Washington.

"We can usually tell if they're hiding something by their expressions and the way they answer questions," he said. "Sometimes they get mad when they're told their souvenirs are going to be destroyed."

American tourists tempted by a Nile crocodile purse or a leopard skin coat in one of those Paris boutiques should save their money; those items are made from endangered species and won't be admitted to the United States without special permits.

Some souvenirs that can't be brought home without permits are tortoise shell jewelry, carved whale teeth, coats made from skins of

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Children reviving tree house tradition

By now it is probably the world's most famous tree house, the hideout Amy Carter perches in behind the White House.

By now any number of fathers, big brothers, and neighborhood do-it-yourselfers are being pestered for old boards and maybe a little help with the hammer.

And with kids' taking measure of the tall maple trees in the empty lot—the tree that up to now has had to put up with only the old truck tire swinging on the rope—building inspectors are flipping through building codes.

This latest White House event has unofficially inaugurated one of the yearly warm weather pursuits of many Americans, mostly those still young enough to shilly a sapling: building a tree house.

Serious students of the endeavor have tried to use words to tell about a tree house. But anybody who has ever climbed up to one, built one, or fallen out of one knows what a tree house is.

A tree house is where to go to get away from it all, a place to be overpowered by an attack of daydreaming, a place to hide out with buddies and get a new slant on life at age 9 or 12 or whatever.

Screened by leaves, unseen by all but the nosy bird or squirrel, a tree house is still near enough to hear a call to dinner, though beyond range of a summons to mow the grass.

A tree house is also a refuge from natural enemies, as many a jungle tribe knows. A refuge from kid brothers, a peppy would-be girl friends, and from neighborhood bullies whose threats are grounded when the ladder is pulled up.

Because of tree houses, nothings may worry about broken collar bones, and wonder whether daughters are ever going to quit being tomboys. Fathers may get nostalgic about tree houses, even envious.

Tree House Kit
With a call for more father and son togetherness, a newspaper ad offers a \$284 pre-cut tree house kit, promising it can be nailed into a tree in only a weekend afternoon.

To traditionalists, this is heresy. Tree houses usually start with a couple of usually two-by-fours framed into the catch of a tree. Approved building material is scrap lumber, or at least boards and nails scrounged at no cost. Trap doors and pull-up ladders are refinements.

Ingenuity may lead to

garden-hose water supply and extension-cord power for lights and portable television. Long-saved allowances may finance elaborate arboreal dwellings of several rooms with sinks and even fireplaces.

Building inspectors may take an "I was a boy once myself" attitude to tree houses, or hard-heartedly they may decline to look the other way, usually when prodded by an anti-tree house neighbor.

But all inspectors suggest applying for a building permit, if only to be sure tree houses are safely put together.

Amy Carter's tree house was put together by White House carpenters out of "inexpensive" lumber. It is a

5-by-4-foot platform, supported in a venerable Atlas cedar on the South lawn by four posts about five feet high. It is not nailed to the tree, but is accessible by climbing lower branches. Architectural advice was

provided by Amy's father, who some years back used to be the occupant of a Plains, Georgia, pecan tree.



How come no rope ladder, Amy?

B. Sutherland named to dean's list

A Charlevoix resident has been named to the dean's list for Northwestern Michigan College.

Barbara Sutherland, a student in the nursing school, received the honor for her 3.7 grade point average on a 4.0 scale. She will graduate with her nursing degree Aug. 30.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sutherland.

Joe Morris joins Ski and Shore

A new salesman has joined be the occupant of a Plains, Georgia, pecan tree.



Joe Morris

Band director Stutzman earns master's degree

Gary Stutzman, a teacher in the Charlevoix Public Schools, received a Master's degree in music education from Northern Michigan University last week.

Ruppe's representative to visit Aug. 17
Jerry Newhouse, lower peninsula district representative for Congressman Philip E. Ruppe, will hold office hours from 12 noon to 1 p.m. at the County Building in Charlevoix on August 17.

Any area citizen wishing to discuss a matter involving the Federal government is invited to visit Newhouse at that time. No prior appointment is necessary.

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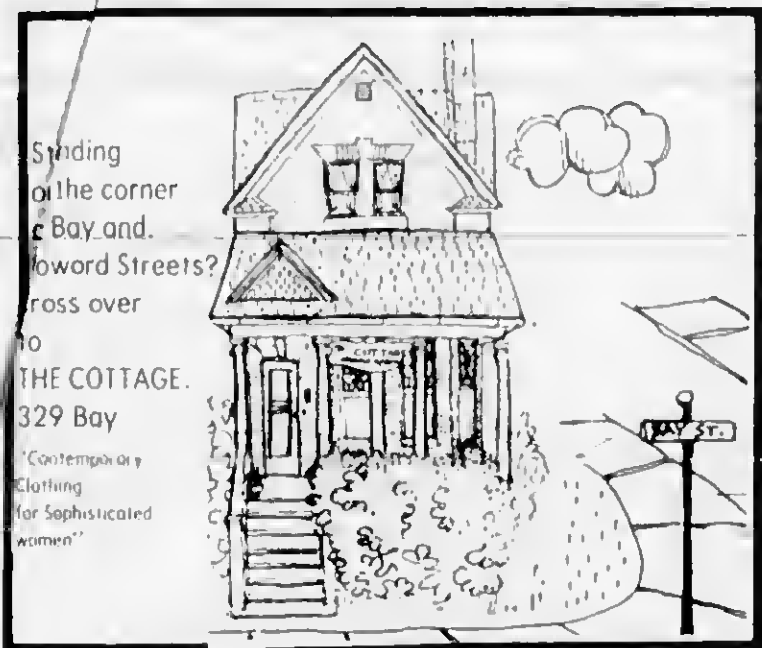
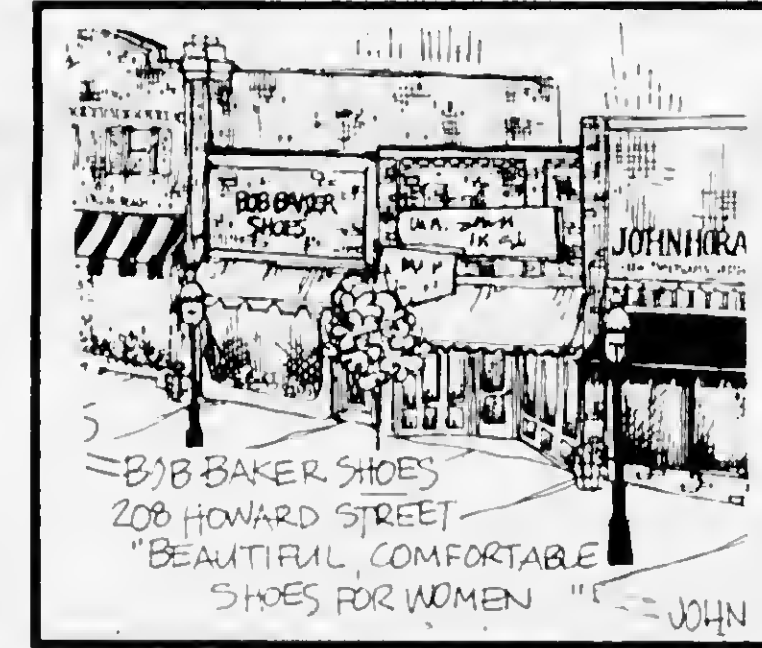
Petoskey, Michigan

Little Traverse Bay has quiet beauty and unforgettable charm. When the setting sun preads its radiance over the waters, it is indeed lovely from its vantage point on the limestone cliff on which the city of Petoskey now stands. The setting sun provides a spectacular show the Indians created a legend about it. Since the first settlers of settlers arrived over one hundred years ago, the beauty of the sunset has been a thing of wonder and awe to all.

Very few who have seen a sunset over Little Traverse Bay on that fall day in 1863, when the first train whistled to a stop at the end of its line.

On board was a reporter for a Grand Rapids newspaper, who in reporting the wilderness scenery, dubbed it Petoskey's Million Dollar Sunset.

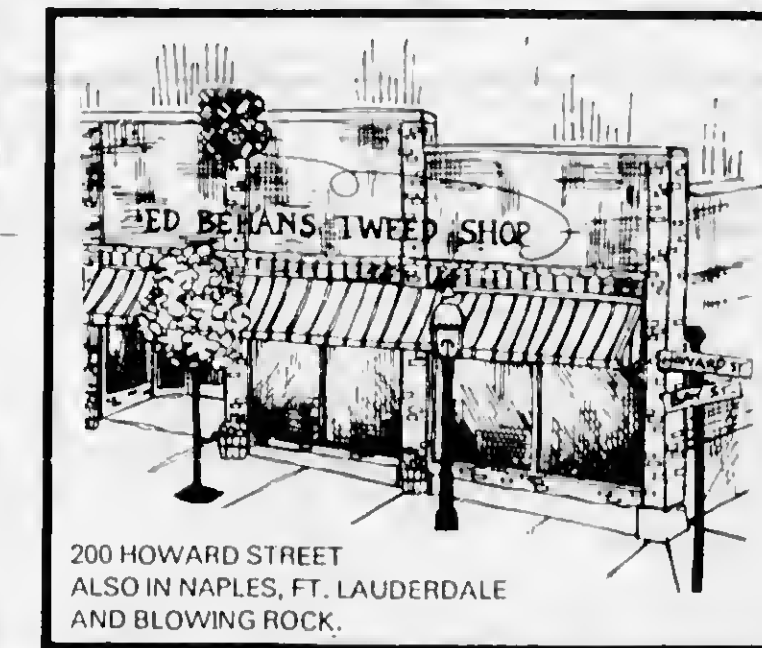
The megaphone of Petoskey was rapid. It grew from a small Indian settlement at the mouth of Bear River, to a dynamic, busy Indian catering to the needs of sightseers and homebounders. To house the visitors, the Arlington and other luxury hotels were constructed overnight. Rooms houses for



the less affluent were soon to follow.

By 1890 a substantial number of shops had sprung up along the main street, creating a very unique pioneer shopping area. Along the Bear River waterpower was harnessed to run sawmills, flour mills, hardwood flooring industries, butter bowl factories, and furniture-making industries. The limestone cliffs along Little Traverse Bay provided Petoskey with lime, a natural resource of great importance to the industrial development of the town.

Little steamers plied the Bay, and the summer visitors who registered at Petoskey hotels and rooming houses took advantage of the many excursions offered. The most popular trip was the Circular or Inland Route. This lengthy excursion took the trolley up the coastline of Little Traverse Bay into Lake Michigan, around to Mackinac Island, on to Cheboygan, and then down the chain of rivers and lakes to what is now Conway. Until the quaint little dummy trains were in operation, the excursionists were jolted back to Petoskey from Conway by wagon and team.



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In 1880 the system was in full operation and trips were being made every fifteen minutes. By 1905 two trains ran from Petoskey to Harbor Springs at half hour intervals. Many of the people who had come to see the area on the train liked what they saw and became regular summer visitors. By the 1900's the shift from tourism to settled summer communities was in motion. Many resorts developed around the Bay and inland lakes of the area. The new fangled summer resorts spelled the doom of the delightful little steamers on the Bay, the little dummy trains, and the luxury hotels. Many of the hotels burned and were not rebuilt, the dummy engines were sold for scrap, and the steamers sailed off over the horizon.

Although the modes of transportation have seen drastic change, Petoskey's magnetism remains. There is still an element of charm and friendliness in shopping adventure which belongs uniquely to Petoskey's Gaslight District. One may still marvel at the beauty of Little Traverse Bay and experience the wonder of the Million Dollar Sunset.



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THE OPEN Bridge Street Bridge is a common sight in Charlevoix. It provides a thrill for tourists as the magnificent sailing and yatching boats go through the Pine River Channel.

Voting made easier than ever

If voter apathy was the day and puts the next President in the White House, it won't be because it is too hard to cast a ballot.

Voting in America has become easier through the years, struggling to overcome confusing election dates, prejudice, loophole law-breaking, and ballot box stuffing.

Democrats and Republicans alike fear that analysis of the election may show that efforts to get out the vote have been thwarted by non-voting citizens.

As election day dawned, about 150,000,000 Americans were eligible to vote, about 70 percent of them, or some 105,000,000 had registered, and predictions on how many would actually cast their ballots ranged from 49 to 61 percent.

Turned-out Voters in the 1972 Presidential election, only 55 percent of

eligible voters cast their ballots, the figure approaching the all-time low turnout of 50 percent in the 1948 victory of Harry S. Truman over Thomas E. Dewey.

Some 82 percent of the 1972 votes were cast by professional people such as doctors, engineers, and lawyers, and 78 percent by farmers to lead voters with other occupations. Men voted women 64 to 62 percent. Seventy percent voted among those eligible aged 45 to 64, and 48 percent of the youngest voters, aged 18 to 20. Eighty-six percent of graduate students led voting in 1972 according to educational background, compared with 82 percent of college graduates, and 65 percent of those who finished high school.

Turnouts were much bigger on the election days of the last century. Starting with only 27 percent of the eligible voters casting their ballots in 1824, the voting jumped to 58 percent in 1828. By 1840 the turnout was 80 percent, and it never dropped below 70 percent for the remainder of the century.

Election analysts point out that a more exclusive electorate, which lured blacks, women, young people, and

citizens without property, may have been the explanation for the high figures, not necessarily greater civic mindedness.

By 1900, Americans voted by voice in the colonial tradition until years after the Revolution, with people announcing their choices out loud and subject to the comments and often jeers of eavesdropping bystanders.

Pepper in short supply

The high cost of black pepper, America's most popular spice, is nothing to sneeze at.

The wholesale price of the seasoning recently soared to \$14.03 a pound. The retail cost is about \$2.75 a pound in the familiar four-ounce tins.

The price hasn't hurt pepper's popularity, however. In 1975 the United States imported a record 51 million pounds of the spice valued at \$37.5 million. Most of it came from India, Brazil, Indonesia, and Malaysia.

A statistically minded pepper fan put it another way: "Americans are using nearly 200 more black pepper pinches a year than we did as recently as 1965. And if you rule out

Secret ballots eventually were adopted by all the states, but when New York first tried them in 1852 they were abandoned and denounced because they "insulted the nobility and independence of the laboring man."

Paper ballots were first produced by the political parties themselves, printed on colored paper so poll-watchers among the party faithful could

Pepper in short supply

little non-pinchers, the adult pepper pinching rate may well be increased a pinch a day."

Too Coarse for Shaker Those who add a pinch of the seasoning to their favorite dish with their fingers often get a better shake than many pepper users. A lot of pepper is ground more coarsely these days and the holes in many old-fashioned pepper shakers just aren't able to cope.

"Even normal grind isn't as fine as it was before World War II," reports the American Spice Trade Association. "Larger than normal is 'coarse grind' black pepper, and coarsest of all is cracked black pepper or 'butcher's grind.'"

Wild pepper vines when left

unattended grow to some 20 feet. Cultivated ones are cut to about half that height, with better yields.

Berries turn from green to red. After they are dried by sun or fire, they become black, wrinkled peppercorns. Then they are ready for export and grinding.

Pepper has been cultivated for food and fortune throughout recorded history. The ancient Egyptians left peppercorns in tombs, along with food for the deceased. Early Greeks, Romans, and Hindus prized the condiment. When Alauk, the Gobi stormer, Rome in 110, he demanded pepper along with gold and silver tribute.

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Kusina, Dairy Queen still tied

The neck-in-neck race between the top two contenders for the Charlevoix Women's Six-Pitch League title continued last week. Kusina Motors and Dairy Queen both won their games last week to continue a tie that

has been broken only once this season. Kusina Motors dropped Village Inn Plaza 14-3 during play last week. Pam Parcel was the winning pitcher with eight hits while Marge Carey took the loss on 15 hits.

Tammy Mitchell belted in a home run for Kusina. The Dairy Queen defeated the County State Bank team 10-3. Cindy Kitley took the win on 11 hits while Jodi Alger was credited with the loss on 10 hits.

In other action, Tri-City Asphalt went one for one last week. The team tied Ken

tucky Fried Chicken 24-10. Clara Martin took the win on a mere nine hits while Carla Sienkora had the loss on 16 hits. Jackie Habel had a home run for Kentucky Fried.

Tri-City dropped one to the Topside 10-8. Carol Vasellou took the win in that contest on eight hits while Sue Vidon took the loss also on eight hits.

Topside had a hot week as the team also defeated Medusa 27-5. Carol Vasellou was again the winning pitcher, this time on only five hits while Carol White took the loss on 19 hits.

Sherrie Sellasen had one home run and Lee Mowryak had two for the Topside.

However, Topside's momentum ran down as they dropped a game to Village Inn Plaza, 11-3. Marge Carey had the win on a mere seven hits and Carol Vasellou took the loss on 13 hits.

School offices move to Clinton

The business office for the Charlevoix School District has moved to its new quarters at 204 Clinton St. adjacent to the Charlevoix Middle School property.

The offices of the superintendent and the business manager will be located in the building known as the former Brown property. The portable classroom at the high school which has served as the business office for some time will be converted to classroom use in order to alleviate the crowded conditions at the high school building.

Men's Standings

Standings as of July 31, 45 times at bat.

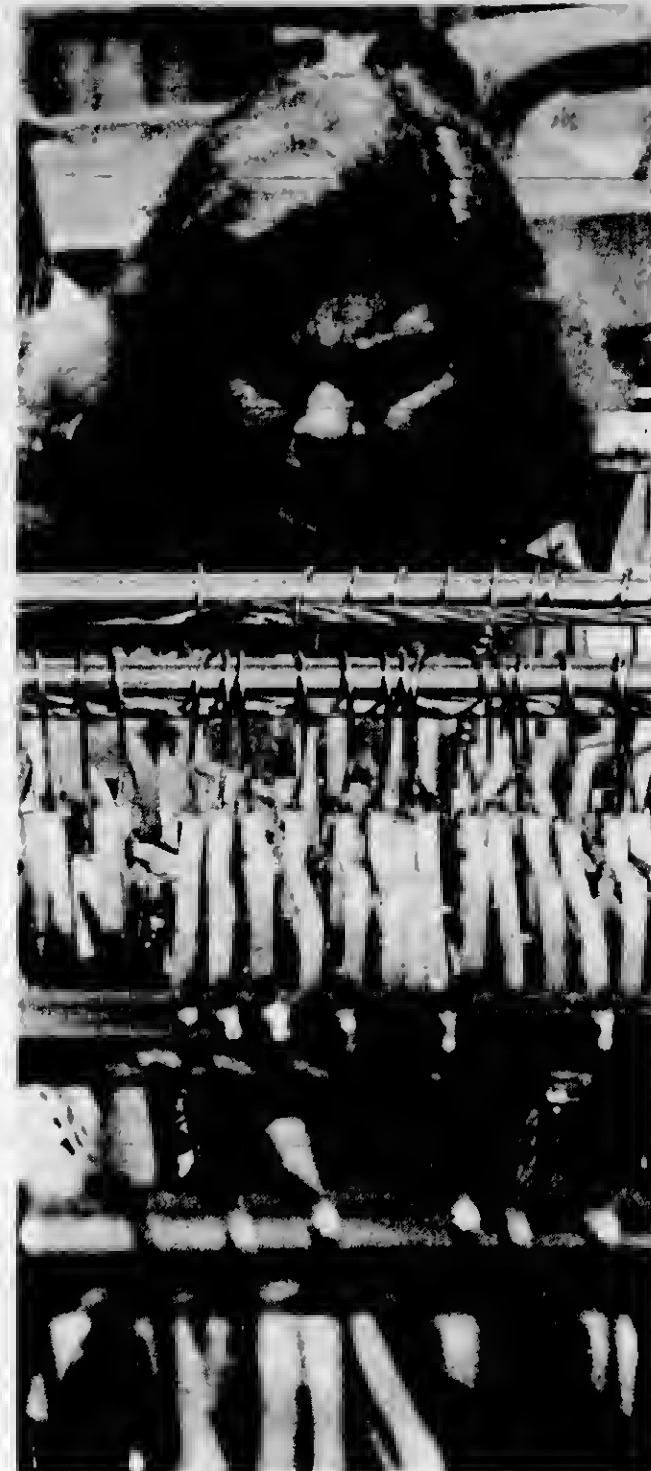
Player	Team	Hits	Average
Butch Potter	Fred Taylor	44-60	.773
Bernie DeVries	Kit Carson	34-54	.648
Tim Carey	Kit Carson	35-55	.636
Terry Blissett	Kit Carson	35-58	.603
Mike Crain	Credit Union	25-55	.568
Andy Carey	Wojan Alum.	27-48	.561
Jack Denbert	Fred Taylor	28-55	.527
Kraag Lieberman	Kit Carson	28-55	.509
Ed Holm	Credit Union	26-52	.500
Team	W. L.		
Kit Carson	15	6	
Wojan Alum.	9	5	
G-Men	8	8	
Fred Taylor, Inc.	8	9	
Townhouse	7	6	
Erber Auto	7	8	
Medusa	6	8	
Hospital	8	9	
Credit Union	6	10	
Hawks	2	11	
Honierus	2	11	
Tim Carey, Kit Carson	16		
Steve Dunkleburg, Woj. Alum.	14		

Women's Standings

Women's Standings

Charlevoix Six-Pitch Association
Women's Batting averages (through July 14)

Player	Team	AB	H	Avg
Chris Lehman	Kusina Motors	28 / 47	595	
Chris Pidek	Kusina Motors	21 / 36	589	
Cindy Kitley	Dairy Queen	19 / 37	513	
Lori Niswander	Kusina Motors	20 / 41	487	
Julie Supernaw	County State Bank	22 / 46	478	
Jan Manigault	County State Bank	19 / 43	441	
Teri Wells	Topside Lounge	15 / 34	441	
Lisa Boss	Medusa	20 / 46	434	
Kay Curry	Dairy Queen	13 / 30	433	
Bev Sladek	Tri-City Asphalt	21 / 50	420	
+ at bat 30 or more times	Home Runs			
Chris Lehman	Kusina Motors	4		
Pam Parcel	Kusina Motors	3		
Linda Boss	Medusa	3		
Lori Niswander	Kusina Motors	3		
Janet Leist	Medusa	2		
Carolyn Lord	Ky. Fried Ch.	2		
Maureen Cudd	Dairy Queen	1		



Judy Lynn Adams weds Robert Joseph Murray

The First Congregational Church of Charlevoix was the setting for the wedding of Judy Lynn Adams and Robert Joseph Murray, Jr. on July 30.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John William Adams of Mt. Clemens and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Murray of Charlevoix.

The Reverend Raymond Giffin performed the double-ring ceremony before 100 guests. Mr. Adams gave his daughter in marriage. Giant daisies and Fuji mums decorated the altar and there were white and yellow daisies on each pew.

The bride's gown was white silk organza over peau de sole with a bodice of lace and seed pearls and an illusion veil and chapel train. Her bouquet was of white daisies and roses with an ivy cascade.

Fawn Schroeder, wearing a pale yellow gown of silk organza with sheer cape and head dress, served as maid of honor. Patricia Adams, sister of the bride, Donna Salagan, and Tina Moore were bridesmaids. Their gowns were of pale green silk organza with sheer cape and head dress. They carried bouquets of daisies and roses.

Robert Westfall served as best man and groomsmen were David and John Murray, brothers of the bridegroom, and Richard Radtke, Bruce

and Chris Murray, twin cousins of the bridegroom, ushered the guests.

Kimberly Ann Kierman was flower girl. Her costume was pale yellow, matching that of the maid of honor. She carried a basket of daisies. Trevor Adams served as ringbearer.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Adams wore a pale green polyester gown with a sheer cape. Mrs. Murray's gown was of beige Quiana.

Following the wedding, a reception was held in the garden of the groom's parents. The newlyweds flew to Beaver Island for the weekend and will honeymoon in Florida later. They are at home in Kalkaska.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Murray

Rev. Ames instituted at Episcopal Church

Rev. Roger C. Ames has been instituted as the new vicar of Christ Episcopal Church.

Rev. Ames was ordained to the diaconate in June following his graduation from Seabury Western Episcopal Theological Seminary in Evanston, Ill. He will be ordained to the priesthood in December.

Born in Bryan, Ohio, Rev. Ames received his B.A. degree in political science from Denison University in Grandville, Ohio, in 1964 and worked for five years as a sales representative for Aro Corporation in Ohio and Colorado.

In 1969, he became director

of admissions at Defiance College, Defiance, Ohio, leaving that position to enter seminary in 1974.

He is married to the former Margaret Kroll and they have two children, Amanda, 18, and Christopher, 5. The family lives at 216 Belvedere Ave.



THE REV. Roger C. Ames (left) was instituted as vicar of Christ Episcopal Church by the Rt. Rev. Charles Bannister, bishop of the Diocese of Western Michigan.

Alcoholism strikes everywhere

It may be something that you haven't thought a whole lot about until a dear friend takes you into her confidence. But, your mind and heart will be opened when she tells you that she is an admitted alcoholic and is actively working to combat this illness.

Distressing as this may be, the experience may cause you to be more honest about your own drinking.

Alcoholism is a treatable disease and is no more a sign of weakness or moral disipation than diabetes or German measles. Alcoholism has very little to do with when you drink, how long you've been drinking, or even how much alcohol you consume. What makes women vulnerable to alcoholism, and how to treat the disease effectively are discussed in a new booklet from the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. For a copy of "Alcohol Abuse and Women", send 35 cents to the Consumer Information Center, Dept. 38E, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

The sponsor you recognize a drinking problem in yourself.

Has someone close to you sometimes expressed concern about your drinking? When faced with a problem, do you often turn to alcohol for relief? Are you sometimes unable to meet home or work responsibilities because of drinking? Have you ever required medical attention as a result of drinking? Have you ever experienced a blackout—a total loss of memory while still awake—when drinking? Have you often failed to keep the promises you have made to yourself about controlling or cutting out your drinking?

If you've answered yes to any of these questions, then your drinking is probably affecting your life in some major ways and you should do something about it before it gets worse.

Treatment for an alcohol problem doesn't simply involve taking away the bottle and sending you on your way. The aim of treatment is to make you a stronger, happier, more self-aware person who doesn't need alcohol to function. It will help you learn to understand and deal with the fears, feelings of inadequacy, tensions and other conflicts that contribute to your drinking problem.

Women's club to hold book sale this week

The Charlevoix Women's Club will hold its annual CHICO book sale at the Charlevoix Public Library Friday and Saturday according to Mrs. Ethel Weisinger, sale chairman.

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NOTICE OF LAST DAY OF REGISTRATION OF THE ELECTORS OF CHARLEVOIX PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CHARLEVOIX AND ANTRIM COUNTIES, MICHIGAN

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:
Please Take Notice that the Board of Education of Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, has called a special election to be held in the School District on Monday, September 12, 1977.

THE LAST DAY ON WHICH PERSONS MAY REGISTER WITH THE APPROPRIATE CITY OR TOWNSHIP CLERKS, IN ORDER TO BE ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL ELECTION CALLED TO BE HELD ON MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12, 1977, IS MONDAY, AUGUST 15, 1977. PERSONS REGISTERING AFTER 5:00 O'CLOCK, P.M., ON MONDAY, AUGUST 15, 1977, ARE NOT ELIGIBLE TO VOTE AT THE SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION.

Persons planning to register with the respective city or township clerk must ascertain the days and hours on which the clerk's offices are open for registration.

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan.

KENNETH J. BOSS
Secretary, Board of Education



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Mr. and Mrs. Ole Oltvee of Detroit are spending the summer in their home on Washington Street.

Mr. and Mrs. William Harrison of Middletown, Ohio, are spending several days in their local home.

We are extending congratulations and best wishes to our local high school graduates who are: Thomas Bennett, Calle Cooper, Nancy Podskalny, Kevin Kemp, Scott Kemp, Rimmona Oudekirk, Diane Saunders, Laura Barry, Thomas Bacon, and William Kruse of Eastport who is our pastor's son. A reception was given in their honor in the dining room after the morning church service Sunday and each one was presented with a Bible wishing them every success in their future.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Noltzen (Edna Howe) of New Port Richey, Fla., are spending several weeks in their home on Sweet Brier Lane.

Mr. and Mrs. William Vanderwall have had their home covered with yellow aluminum siding. It looks real nice.

Mrs. Roy Fisher of Plymouth was a recent guest of her daughter, Mrs. Marian Podskalny, and family.

I was interested in reading about the boys chosen to attend Boys State in Lansing in June. In June, 1940 the Legion sponsored Sam Alexander and Don Meggison and Charles

Harter and Robert Westfall by the Kiwanis. Boys attended from every county in the state and were divided in cities and set up their own government with their election of officers. It all was wonderful training in citizenship and government and learning to work together. It all will be a wonderful experience for them this year as it was then in 1940.

Mrs. Ada Williams has been transferred from the Charlevoix Hospital and is a surgical patient in Little Traverse Hospital in Potosky. She has the best wishes of all her friends and neighbors.

Mrs. Sharon Huff and two children of Durand and Mary Carol Nielsen a Traverse City student spent Mothers Day weekend with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Nielsen.

Mike Bennett of the Great Lakes Training Navy School spent several days recently with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Don Bennett and is now in Norfolk, Va. before leaving to spend several months in Spain.

Mr. and Mrs. Klon Johnstone of East Jordan also Mrs. A. Sinclair and Mrs. Emily Coward of East Jordan were guests of their sister and brother-in-law, Walter and Zola Kemp Sunday.

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Roy deVries ordained in Burton

BURTON--Roy Henry deVries, formerly of Ellsworth, was ordained May 24, in services at the Bentley Wesleyan Church of Burton.

DeVries, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sebe DeVries, was born Dec. 26, 1948, in Charlevoix and graduated from Ellsworth High School in 1967.

He attended Owasco College for two years before transferring to Marion College and graduated in 1971 with a

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Kit Carson team holds league lead

Kit Carson cemented its lead in the Charlevoix Men's Ho-pitch League by defeating Medusa 14-6.

Hank Archey was the winning pitcher on six hits while Jeff Collins took the loss on 16 hits.

Terry Blissett, Tim Carey and Butch Klooster all had home runs for Kit Carson.

In other action, the Townhouse took three wins in play last week. The team defeated Fred Taylor, Inc., 10-4, with Don Willis taking the win on 11 hits and Ken Willett the loss on nine hits.

Chuck Pease had two home runs and Denny Gillespie had one for the Townhouse while Butch Potter and Jack Lambert each belted in one home run for Fred Taylor.

Townhouse also grounded the Hawks 15-4. Don Willis was again the winning pitcher on 10 hits while Sam McClellan took the loss on 15 hits.

Townhouse defeated the Hospital 9-5. Willis again took the win on nine hits and Barney Roeters was credited with the loss on 16 hits.

In its fourth game of the week, Townhouse dropped one

to the G-Men 9-8. Bob Holtzman took the win for the G-Men while Willis had the loss, both on 12 hits. Scott Blanchard had a home run for the Townhouse.

Wojan Aluminum went one for one during last week's play. The team defeated Erber Auto 9-5. Bill Supernaw had the win on 10 hits while Gary Novotny had the loss on 12 hits.

Gordie Block had a home run for Wojan's.

In its other game of the week, Wojan lost to the Hawks 15-7. Supernaw was credited

with the loss on 14 hits while Sam McClellan took the win on a mere six hits.

The G-Men dropped the Hawks 14-0. Bob Holtzman had the win on only a handful of hits while Sam McClellan took the loss on 13 hits.

The G-Men also defeated Medusa 16-9. Dave Swanson had the win on seven hits while Hank Archey took the loss letting 18 hits go by.

The Hospital won a game from Erber Auto through forfeit and Medusa won a game from the Credit Union on a forfeit.

League leading Chesters drops 2 in play

League-leading Chesters' Boat Livery dropped two games during play in the Charlevoix Township Ho-pitch League last week.

Chesters dropped two squeakers, one to McArts, 6-5 and one to Koontz Construction, 3-2.

Bob Borths was the winning pitcher for McArts on five hits

while Greg Revoir took the loss on 13 hits.

Pete Culver was the winning pitcher on five hits while Revoir again took the loss on a mere three hits.

In other action, McArts also defeated Tri-County Well Drilling 9-8. Borths again took the win, this time on 15 hits while Harold Thumre had the loss on 11 hits.

Koontz Construction drowned Tri-County Well Drilling 24-15. Jim Marsh had the win on 13 hits while Harold Thumre had the loss on 15 hits.

Dwayne Wilks and Phil Steel had home runs for Tri-County Well Drilling.

Koontz dropped a second game to Tri-County Well

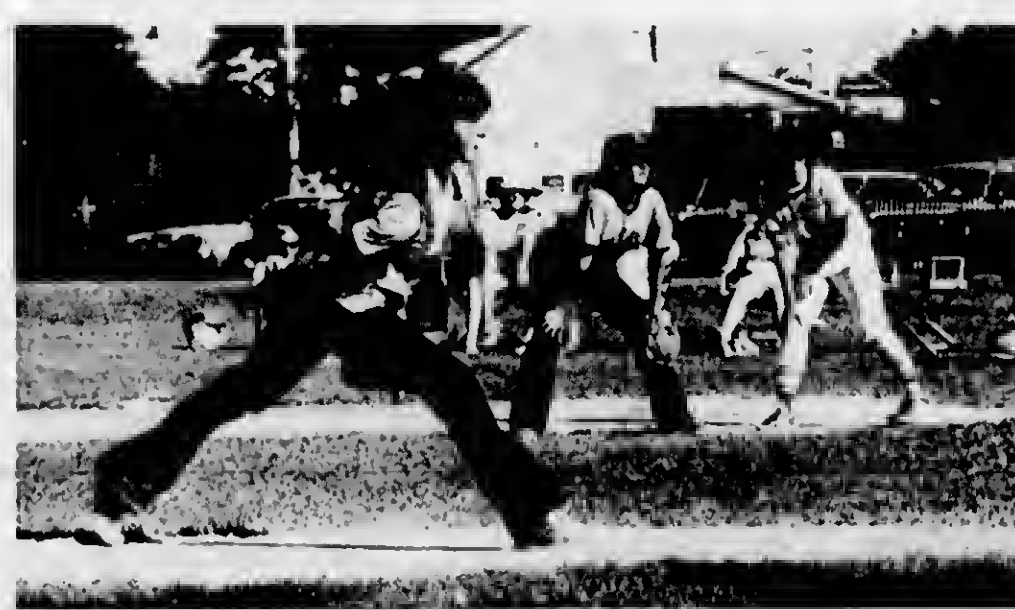
Drilling 13-3. Harold Thumre had the win in that game on five hits. Pete Culver took the loss on 14 hits.

Murdick's Fudge squeaked past the Air Force 8-7. Jack Niswander had the win on 10 hits while George Dotson had the loss on eight hits.

Harry Gibbs had a home run for the Air Force.



MEMBERS OF the Charlevoix All Star Pigtall team are pictured here after their second place finish in a tourney in Petoskey this weekend. Standing in the back are coaches Maureen LaBlanc and Evelyn Noiro. Members of the team are (not in order) Bridget Noiro, Colleen LaBlanc, Chris Spieles, Rhonda Buchanan, Linda Cluk, Missy Sandhill, Meg Fowler, Laura Henry, Kim Novotny, Kathy Lignell, Kathy White, and Julie Archey.



THE PETOSKEY Pigtall All Star pitcher delivers one of her best to a Charlevoix player. The Charlevoix All Stars came in second in tournament play in Petoskey over the weekend.

Fastpitch tourney set for intermediates

Charlevoix will host an intermediate fastpitch tournament here Saturday.

Dwight Boss, City Recreation director, has announced.

The tournament will begin at the ball park on West Carpenter at 10 a.m. Saturday. Teams will be composed of players in the 10 through 13

year age group.

At this time teams are expected from Oden, Pellston, Harbor Springs, Petoskey I, Petoskey II, and Charlevoix. Every team will compete in a minimum of two games, Boss said.

There will be a consolation

Field, track events slated Thursday, Friday at Kipke field

Charlevoix boys and girls in the eight through 13 year age group are reminded of the annual track and field meet sponsored by the Charlevoix Recreation Department.

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4 area doctors attend seminar

Four Charlevoix doctors recently attended the 57th annual Collier-Penberthy-Thirby Medical Conference in Traverse City.

Drs. John Lignell, W. E. Mosher, III, Merle Plage, and G. B. Saltonstall of Charlevoix were among the 400 who heard 30 noted physicians present scientific papers on subjects ranging from sun-induced skin disorders to advances in the treatment of lung cancer.

The Munson Medical Center staff sponsors the conference

each year. It has come to be recognized by physicians and medical scientists as one of the most important conferences held yearly in the United States. It also allows Michigan physicians an opportunity to earn necessary credit hours toward continuing education requirements.

Other area doctors in attendance were Dr. James Arnold of Central Lake and Dr. J. Van Dellen of Ellsworth.

Vets should apply early for benefits for school

Veterans planning to attend a school with registration in September should apply for advance pay in July, Ron Geer of the Charlevoix County Office of Veterans' Affairs advises.

For veterans to receive the advance, the school must agree to process the advance payment and the veteran must have had at least a full calendar month break between school terms, he said.

A veteran ending a term in May would not be eligible for

advance pay unless he or she were re-enrolling in a term beginning after June 30.

The new advance payment procedures are the result of legislation passed by Congress last year to reduce the number of GI Bill payment abuses.

The legislation also discontinued the VA practice of making GI Bill payments at the beginning of a month rather than the end of the month after a veteran had attended school for 30 days.

New agent joins Metropolitan Life

A new agent will be representing Metropolitan Life Insurance Company in the Charlevoix area.

Bruce Livingston, 27, recently moved to Charlevoix from Kalamazoo to take the position with Metropolitan.

Livingston attended Western Michigan University and is taking training courses from Metropolitan.

He and his wife, Mary, and their two children are making their home on Newman Street in Charlevoix.

Livingston's mother is the former Laura LaBlance, who was born on Beaver Island and raised in Charlevoix.

"I spend a lot of summers in Charlevoix," Livingston said. "And I'm glad to be up here year round."



Bruce Livingston

Roy Hayes re-elected to Prosecutor Assn.

Charlevoix County Prosecutor Roy C. Hayes was recently re-elected to the board of directors of the Prosecuting Attorneys Association of Michigan.

The election took place during the Association's 50th annual conference, held on Mackinac Island.

The Prosecuting Attorneys Association has over 500 members, which include Michigan's 83 elected county prosecuting attorneys. Hayes was re-elected to serve the professional group for a one-year term beginning immediately.



Roy Hayes

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Marriages

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Barry W. DeWitt, 21, Bay Shore, and Susan B. Smith, 20, Charlevoix.

Dane M. Whitley, 18, Charlevoix, and Tamara S. Orvis, 17, East Jordan.

Mac Bendick, Jr., 30, Washington, D. C. and Mary Lou Egan, 26, Washington, D. C.

Timothy J. Paschke, 26, Plymouth and Toni M. Jackson, 18, Charlevoix.

George R. Kruskie, 21, Charlevoix, and Kimberly J. Rosencrans, 18, Charlevoix.

Jerry A. Van Stredum, 21, Ellsworth and Janet L. Potter, 18, Charlevoix.

Ronald Sadowski, 25, Manicella and Kathryn M. Dougherty, 20, East Jordan.

Ronnie E. Slack, 19, East Jordan and Kathy L. Lesman, 18, East Jordan.

Oan G. Louselle, 27, Charlevoix, and Betsy J. Papineau, 23, Charlevoix.

Richard S. N. Haner, 23, East Jordan, and Brenda Julia, 18, East Jordan.

William A. Balog, 33, Boyne Falls, and Linda L. Hausler, 17, Boyne Falls.

Howard R. Harmon, 24, Boyne Falls, and Mary E. Balog, 33, Boyne Falls.

Neil C. Bennett, 22, East Jordan, and Cheryl A. Primrose, 18, East Jordan.

Harold J. Hoeres, 39, East Jordan, and Jennie L. Crandell, 39, Boyne City.

Gregg A. MacNaughton, 24, Boyne City, and Liane M. Hagerman, 18, Boyne City.

Robert L. Dennis, 27, Charlevoix, and Darlene H. Clark, 25, Gaylord.

James J. Szczepanski, 21, Boyne Falls, and Elaine A. Reynolds, 20, Boyne Falls.

Keith E. Kenney, 22, Ellsworth, and Jean L. Chew, 19, East Jordan.

Nicholas X. Horvath, 63, Allen Park, and Odores L. Bullock, 51, Boyne City.

Hillside concert slated at campground

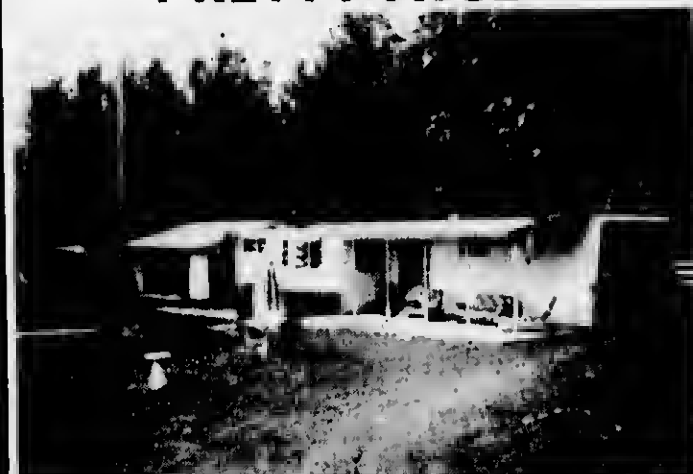
A second Hillside Concert will be held at 4 p.m. Sunday at the Windmill Farm Campground on the Boyne City Road.

Area residents and visitors are invited to bring a pillow or blanket and sit on the campground hillside for a performance by the Charlevoix Music Theatre.

The first half of the concert will be devoted to classical music including several compositions by Mozart. The second half of the concert will consist of lively numbers from well known Broadway musicals.

The singers will be accompanied by violin, French horn and piano.

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This well kept large family home is located on DeTars Court just outside Charlevoix. Consisting of three bedrooms, one and a half baths, spacious living room, a kitchen any woman could love. For the man there is a workshop for all his needs. Surrounded by a private 1/2 acre lot. An oversized two car garage makes this this home complete.



PRICE REDUCED



This attractive home is nearly new (one year old) and you'll find lots of room for your family, too with 1344 sq. ft. just on the upper level...

...Other features include three bedrooms, 2 full baths, two fireplaces and a 14' x 18' deck. Call today for your private showing.



Lake Michigan home... 135' of lake frontage. One of the few homes in the Norwood area on the lake. This well-constructed home built on 135' x 581' lot, features 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, family room, living room, and 2 car attached garage. Includes a view unequalled in the area. Call for an appointment. Price recently reduced from \$73,200 to \$69,900.



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Commercial opportunity complete with this four bedroom, one bath Swiss chalet. Ideal for office, automobile sales lot, mobile home sales, contractors headquarters, etc. All this plus land contract terms available.



Located in one of Charlevoix's more desirable subdivisions - Sugar Bush, is this attractive well built home, waiting for its first owner. Consisting of three bedrooms, two full baths, utility room, workshop, full basement, two car garage, zoned heat, new kitchen appliances, carpet allowance... all this and other desirable features situated on a wooded 1/2 acre lot. Call for the complete list of extras and your personal showing.



Need a rooming house? Here's your chance. Very lovely, well kept guest lodge on Charlevoix's north side. Could be converted into apartments. Completely furnished, you have the option of maintaining it as a guest lodge or using it for your family and friends.



This attractive northside home has been completely modernized and features 4 bedrooms, 2 full baths. Living room with fireplace, dining room, family room, plus a one bedroom apartment. Natural workwork has been maintained throughout including this unique staircase. All this situated on a large city lot.



132' of lake frontage between Ellsworth and East Jordan, and a lovely three bedroom, bath and a half home with family room which includes a franklin fireplace and walkout patio doors. \$37,900.



In town location (Hampton Village) is this attractive home built by the Public Schools' Building Trades Class. Consisting of a large lot, three bedrooms, two full baths, natural gas heat, two car garage, deck, carpet allowance, call for your personal showing.



Country Living at its Best... This three bedroom, (could be four) country home features a family room with fireplace and a spacious kitchen. Located on three acres, you'll enjoy the view of Lake Charlevoix from atop the hillside. Priced to sell at \$43,000.



100' of sandy beach on Grand Traverse Bay just north of Elk Rapids plus this attractive four bedroom cottage, large stone fireplace, kitchen appliances on over one acre of land. Immediate occupancy. Let us show you this one today.



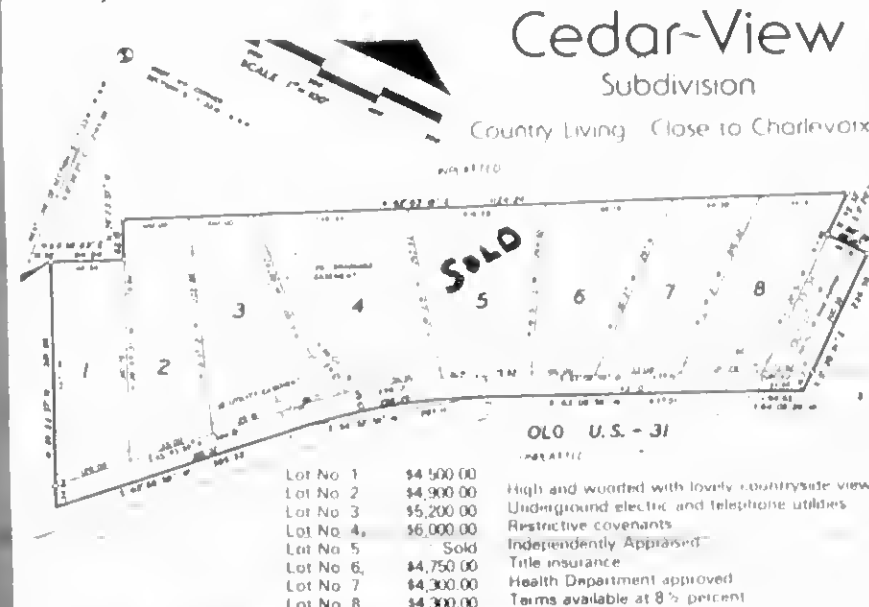
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One of Charlevoix's distinguished addresses situated on a corner lot with an adjoining lot. Fireplaces abound, with one in the spacious living room, another in the formal dining room and yet another in the master bedroom! This lovely home has six bedrooms, five and a half baths, sunporch, roomy kitchen with pantry, basement, plenty of storage and natural gas heat. Finally, a quaint one bedroom cottage in the rear will serve your weekend guests perfectly, or could be used as a rental.

State may discontinue bus service here



By Paula Holmes
Intercity bus service may soon come to a thing of the past for the City of Charlevoix.

Unless Charlevoix residents show more interest in using the bus service provided by Wolverine Stages, a Pellston based bus line, in conjunction with the State of Michigan, the service will be discontinued, according to Cindy Knepp of the Bureau of Urban Transportation of the Department of State Highways and Transportation.

Wolverine Stages has been running a mass transit system in Northern Michigan with the aid of state subsidies for the last three years. The bus line opened its service with a run from Mackinaw City to Boyne City in 1975. The company added a second state-funded run from Charlevoix through Petoskey a year ago. The run came through Charlevoix twice a day at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. and stopped at Veterans Memorial Park and the Charlevoix Airport.

In June, the bus company revised its Charlevoix schedule in hopes of attracting more riders. Buses began leaving the city northbound at 7:30 a.m., 11:25 a.m. and 3 p.m. A bus also began running from downtown Charlevoix to Ferry Avenue Beach in the morning and afternoons.

The revised schedule was designed to meet what the state felt were the basic transportation needs of Charlevoix residents.

"We felt the basic needs of Charlevoix residents for a bus system centered around getting to the community college in Petoskey, getting to the doctor's office and shopping," J.J. Rudnick, also of the Bureau of Urban Transportation, explained. "So we tried to adjust the schedule to the travel habits of the majority of the people."

Ms. Knepp said that during the rest of August and September the state will be studying the use of the bus system by Charlevoix residents.

"We will be trying to determine if the use is going to increase," she said. "If it doesn't we plan to discontinue service completely in October."

The transportation official said the bus company and the state are looking for support in the form of regular riders.

"We've been averaging between one and three riders a day," Ms. Knepp said. "We're looking for an increase of riders to 10 passengers a day, every day."

"If we had that number of riders, then we could operate at close to a break even point. And we would be encouraged about the possible growth of the system."

Ms. Knepp said the state and the bus company feel that they have received primarily negative reaction to the bus service from Charlevoix residents since it began operation.

"People are always asking why we run the bus if nobody rides it and they ask why a bus service is even needed," Ms. Knepp said.

And she does not think this attitude will change.

"Frankly, we don't expect that there will be any community reaction at all to the discontinuation of the service," she said.

The state agreed to subsidize various runs operated by Wolverine Stages for up to two years to help get the system off the ground. After that if the run wasn't self-supporting it was to be dropped.

So far the Mackinaw City to Boyne City run has become self-supporting, but even after an investment of \$60,150 by the state the Charlevoix run has not reached a break even point.

"With the energy crisis, buses are going to become more and more important," Rudnick said. "Michigan is way ahead of many other states because we have mass transit systems already in place. We're not like other states which have yet to set the systems up."

"All we're asking people to do is on one out of every 10 trips they take, take the bus. This would represent a fuel savings of 10 percent in our state."

"And some day we may need that fuel."

Medusa reveals plans to school board members

The Charlevoix Board of Education was advised Monday night of the possibility of a conversion and expansion program at the Medusa

Cement Co. plant located at South Point.

Elbert Kaiser, superintendent of the plant, and Thomas Pointner, the company's local legal advisor, told the board that the company had been conducting a feasibility and cost study regarding the proposed conversion from manufacturing cement by a wet process to a dry process. Kaiser said technology had proven that the dry process was an energy-saving process that resulted in a more efficient operation in a highly competitive field. He said the company's board of directors would make a decision later this year regarding its plans.

He went on to say that the possible conversion and expansion program had been discussed with the board of Charlevoix Township, where the plant is located, and that this board had been receptive to the idea that the company might seek an Industrial Development and Rehabilitation District rating designed to encourage construction and expansion by industry.

The creation of the Industrial and Rehabilitation District, Kaiser said, would result in greater benefits to the school district than if the program was carried out without it. Because the company pays the largest tax bill in the school district, Kaiser said the company wanted to keep the board aware of its plans. He advised the board he would keep them up to date with the plans.

If the conversion and expansion program does become a reality, it would mean the addition of 28 or 29 more employees. This, also, is of interest to the school board because of the already-overcrowded condition in the middle and high schools.

The transfer of four parcels of property from the Ellsworth School District to the Charlevoix School District in exchange for other property of comparable value was again discussed. Charles Crosser, assistant superintendent of the Char-Em School District, was present to explain what had been done to date. Mrs. Bruce Bergmann and Mrs. James F. Wilhelm who are among those asking for the land swap advised the board that they would continue to seek the land trade though the Ellsworth board had turned down the proposal last week. They propose to bring their request before the Char-Em board next week.

In other action, the board approved the expenditure of an additional \$4,500 for needed additions and corrections in the middle school playground project.

Approved the release of Betty M. Henne for a maternity leave during the 1977-78 school year.

Heard a request to accept Lisa Guidi as a student on a tuition basis.

Heard from the Inter-Lake Window Co. that the company was having trouble obtaining window panels from its supplier and could not have the work at the middle school done before school opens next month.

A special meeting of the board has been scheduled for Aug. 29. The next regular meeting will be held Sept. 19.

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On Fish and Indians

As far as John Cross buying the fish from the Indians, good fish and lesser fish, which he will probably smoke. Well, that's nothing new, for John Cross. When my husband fished for John Cross 16 years ago, he did the same thing. So you see, John Cross is only putting across to the people who don't know their fish like my husband knows a good fish, being a good commercial fisherman, and his father before him on Beaver Island. So you see, John Cross is not putting anything over on the public, just the resellers.

Need Signs Not Recreation

I would like to know why it is that some of the more important things in Charlevoix, like signs along the roads, are not as important in this town as the recreation for people, and what not. I notice that the City still has not put up the curve signs on the Ellsworth Rd. by the Brookside Cemetery, on the large curve just before you get to the bank. Also, the large trucks coming out of Bell's Bay slow down but seldom stop. They pull right out in front of oncoming cars and they have to slow down to prevent hitting them. I think that the city should do something about these things that are more important to the safety of the people and not for the recreation of the people. Thank you.

Liked Old Time Picture

It was so lovely to see the picture of the Fountain City House in this week's Courier. We used to go there for Sunday dinner. For 50 cents we would get a complete dinner of whitefish or roast beef, mashed potatoes and gravy, corn on the cob, homemade bread and butter, coffee, milk, or tea, fritters, and ice cream and pie for dessert.

Clean Up Property

As a northsider, I am concerned with the condition of the house on Main St. and what the Charlevoix Oil Co. has let it become. If we're going to call the city, Charlevoix the Beautiful, then the ex-mayor should clean up his property. Thank You.

Where are 1976 Yearbooks?

The school year of 1978 is about to start. The year 1977 has past. The year 1976 ended and, as in past years the graduates went their way, some to college some to work etc.

However, the graduates of 1976 have not, as of this date, received their 1976 yearbooks although they have been paid for. Will the supt. of schools or the Board of Education please check on this matter and advise when and where the yearbooks will be available.

1976 being a centennial year, the yearbooks will be of historical interest 100 years from now to our ancestors.

A 1976 Graduate

P.S.



Vic Stengel
betcha' never thought
you'd make the front page!

Rare antique map collection on display at Reis Gallery

By PEG OHLF

People interested in buying, or just looking at, rare antique maps and sea charts will have an opportunity to do so this Friday evening from 7 to 10 p.m. at the Reis Gallery in Charlevoix.

Harry L. Stern of Chicago, dealer in antiquarian books, manuscripts, and maps, will be on hand during the special showing of his collection. He will also be available by appointment for two weeks.

Several early maps of Michigan are included among the 100 to be shown. One is Father Pierre Francois-Xavier Charlevoix "The Great Lakes", engraved by Paris Bellin in 1744. This was the first separately printed map of the five Great Lakes by a traveler.

There is also another Father Charlevoix map, hand-colored in outline about 1774 in Paris. The City of Detroit, a lithographic map produced in 1835, will be in the exhibit. It is based on the Woodward Plan, showing grand diagonal boulevards terminating in great open spaces. Stern classifies this as a good example of an exceptionally rare map.

Another map, produced in 1761, shows the Mackinac region and the Straits area, as well as the Beaver Islands, which were early landmarks for seafarers. This is the first English language map of the area.

Still another map, produced in 1744, shows the Sault and Straits of Mackinac area. There will be 100-year-old maps of all the counties in lower Michigan and many 19th century maps of other states in the union, as well as some of European cities and countries published in the 18th century.

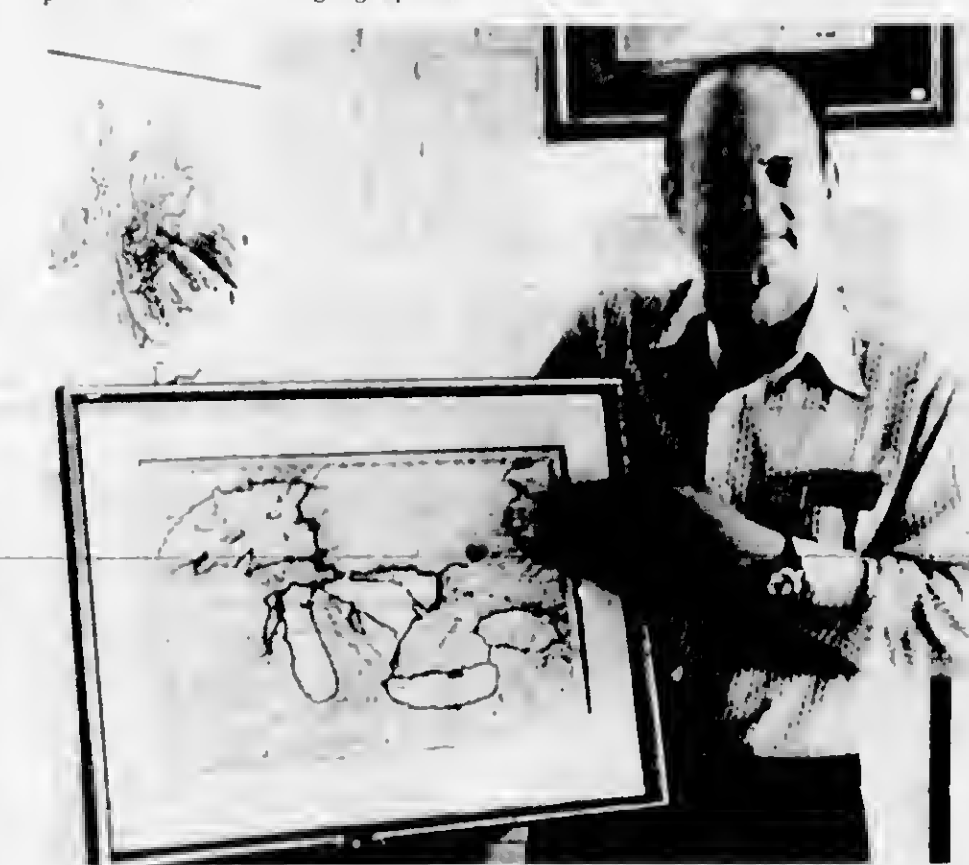
Speaking of antique maps, Stern says, "Engraved and woodcut maps

began to appear in limited numbers late in the 15th century. Since copperplates and woodblocks wore down quickly, only a hundred to three hundred would generally be published before new ones superseded them. The ravages of time have made this Renaissance maps difficult to find today."

"Maps published in the 17th, 18th, and early 19th centuries were also produced in small quantities. They, too, were used to illustrate books and atlases, or occasionally issued separately to publicize a new geographical discovery."

"Some antique maps were drawn up by leading artists of the day. The cartographer would gather the latest information from overseas explorers and travelers, and have the artist produce a map beautifully embellished with ships, mythological figures, or heroes of the times."

"Antique maps are therefore both works of art and a graphic record of western discovery of the outside world. Despite their scarcity, they remain a relatively inexpensive form of pictorial art."



HARRY L. STERN shows one of the maps included in the exhibit at Reis Gallery. It is one of Father Charlevoix' maps of the Great Lakes, engraved by Paris Bellin in 1744.

By township, state

Pollution well monitored at Medusa

There's something about factories, chemical plants or cement plants that bugs humanity.

People say the smell or the dust created by the plants is objectionable. And they are concerned about what the pollution from the plant is doing to the environment of the community surrounding the plant, especially if it is a resort community like Charlevoix.

But industries are not allowed to pollute an area unchecked. Al Kaiser, plant manager at Medusa Cement Co., said. The plants are closely monitored by the federal Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), the state and in Medusa's case, Charlevoix Township.

Kaiser said Medusa is thoroughly inspected every two years when the state sends in a three-man team to perform an involved check of the stack

at Medusa.

"But you can get a pretty fair idea of how our pollution control equipment is working through a visual inspection," Kaiser said.

A man from the state Department of Natural Resources, who is experienced with industrial pollution control equipment, visually inspects Medusa about four times a year, Kaiser said. The state also maintains air samplers around the Charlevoix area which can detect if any cement is being released into the air by Medusa, the plant manager explained.

The EPA also keeps tabs on industrial pollution and the agency is constantly updating its pollution control requirements, Kaiser said.

And Medusa always rates very well on the state tests, Kaiser said. "We are always well below the

allowable level of pollution set by the state and the township," Kaiser said. "With the exception of one plant downstate, we probably have a better collection system than any other plant in the state."

If Medusa's pollution control equipment is so good, why do Charlevoix residents occasionally smell funny odors or see particles coming from the cement plant located at South Point?

"Our system is as good as any in the state and better than most, but we are not perfect," the plant manager explained. "Our stack is 99.9 percent efficient and our bag collectors approach 100 percent efficiency, but they don't catch all of the particles released during the cement making process."

"We're doing everything that--is
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Community Calendar

Fran Martin
547-4433

Aug. 16-Aug. 21
75 years of Horton Bay Art featuring works by Elizabeth Dilworth, Rudolph Dahlgreen, Jack VanHousen and Grace Hemingway, mother of author, Ernest Hemingway, will be exhibited at the Local Products Store (former Red Fox Inn) across from the General Store at Horton Bay 9 a.m.-4 p.m. daily through Saturday and noon until 8 p.m. Sunday. There will be no charge.

Wednesday, Aug. 17
TOPS will meet at undercroft of Christ Episcopal Church 6 p.m. for weigh-in. Business meeting: 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, Aug. 18
Charlevoix Senior Citizens

will meet at Lincoln School in Petoskey 8:10-9:30 p.m. Members are asked to bring sandwiches for refreshments. Visitors welcome.

Sunday, Aug. 21
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by the Charlevoix

Community Church of God, Straits Area Oatway Association will hold its regular meeting at 2 p.m. at Gaylord State Bank community room. All oatomers and interested persons are invited to attend. For further information call 547-6648.

Tuesday, Aug. 22
Men's Prayer Meeting 7 a.m. Community Church of God.

Parent of children registered for kindergarten last spring are asked to return last spring health records to the Charlevoix Elementary

School 9:00-11:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m. Any new residents whose children are not registered may do so on this date.

Wednesday, Aug. 24
Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at county building annex 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at hangar each room 8 p.m.

TOPS will meet at undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 6 p.m. for weigh-in; business meeting 8:30 p.m.

Registration for health screening for Senior Citizens will be held at the City Hall in Charlevoix; the high school in Boyne Falls; the Senior Center in East Jordan or the Northern Michigan Cooperative Bldg. in Boyne City 11 a.m. until 4 p.m.

First donation received for bandshell, stage fund

The first donation to the new East Park Stage and Bandshell Fund has been received. Clarence Omark has announced.

Capt. and Mrs. H.E. Paddock made the first donation to the new fundraising effort. Omark has been trying to

organize a steering committee of interested citizens to run a fundraising campaign to collect funds for the construction of a bandshell in East Park.

The former Charlevoix High School and city bands director said many people were

volunteering to be on the committee and more information about the group's progress would be forthcoming.

Anyone who would like to make a contribution to the fund can mail it to Omark at Box 36, Charlevoix, Mich., 49720.

State reps plan to hold meeting on proposed zoning legislation

A series of public hearings to measure citizen receptiveness to a large group of legislative proposals has been scheduled by the House of Representatives Towns and

Counties Committee. At a 1 p.m. meeting Aug. 24 in Petoskey at the City Hall, the group will discuss two, four-bill packages which amend the state's zoning enabling acts. One set of bills would prohibit any local zoning discrimination against the installation or use of solar or wind powered energy devices.

The other series of zoning bills is the product of a multi-year task force study, initiated by Governor William Milliken, to revise and update Michigan's basic local zoning enabling acts.

The most controversial amendments to the Subdivision Control Act of 1967, that law, which dictates the methods and procedures for subdividing residential land, is a constant subject of debate among developers and conservationists.

Area Democrats are inviting the public to a hearing on revising the State Constitution. The hearing is

scheduled for this Wednesday, August 17, in the Commissioner's room at the Emmet County Courthouse.

The meeting will be run by Dudley Buffa, former aide to the late Senator Philip Hart.

Buffa is chairman of the Democrat's Commission for a Constitutional Convention. He is also considering running for the office of United States Senator.



THIS MANHOLE was removed during emergency construction in East Park last week. The manhole was replaced with a connector pipe and the hole filled in at the park.

Emergency construction takes place in East Park

Some emergency construction took place in East Park last week.

City Administrator Allen Sandberg said holes started to develop in the park area along the Pine River Channel were replaced under the direction of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

tempted to fill up the holes but the new dirt caved in too.

Sandberg said the manhole had been disturbed when the plums from the Beaver Island Ferry Boat Dock to the bridge were replaced under the direction of the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers.

Apparently it was not repaired correctly and the earth around it began caving in.

The city administrator said that since the city had other manholes in that general area that the faulty one would be removed and replaced with connector pipe.

Lillian Bergmann appointed to mental health job

The appointment of Lillian Bergmann to Charlevoix as Life Consultant / Case Manager for the Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Services Board in the four counties served by the board has been announced by Harold J. Kaufman, director of the board.

At the same time, Donna G. Bruce of Harbor Springs was named accountant of the same board and Carol Sue Vroman was appointed secretary to succeed Kathryn McDonald who is returning to school.

The position to which Mrs. Bergmann has been appointed from among 27 candidates has been created by the State Department of Mental Health for the purpose of providing after-care for persons who have been involved in any type of Mental Health Program.

Mr. Kaufman further reported that Robert Greenwood of Cheboygan will now head the Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Services Board succeeding Mrs. Bergmann as chairman. Greenwood has assumed his duties as superintendent of the schools succeeding James A. McKinney who has gone to a similar position at Cadillac.

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Regier family enjoys recent trip to Japan

By PAULA HOLMES

A Charlevoix mother's determination to have her children learn about their heritage resulted in a trip to Japan for the entire family this summer.

Austin and Hinako Regier and their daughters, Michiko, Mariko and Masako spent just over four weeks in Japan visiting relatives and friends during June and July.

It was a trip that Mrs. Regier, who was born and raised in Japan, had been planning for a long time. She has been back to her homeland several times since she first came to the United States as a graduate student in 1967, but only one daughter has ever been there and she was a small baby at the time.

"I wanted to have the girls see the other side of their heritage," Mrs. Regier said explaining the recent trip. "I wanted to have them see my native country."

Originally, Mrs. Regier had planned to take the girls to Japan individually as they reached an age where they would appreciate the trip. But as she started thinking about the trip, she decided the whole family should go together.

"I'm glad we all went together," she said smiling. "There are things from this trip that we will share now for the rest of our lives."

Visit Relatives, Friends The family visited Mrs. Regier's brother and his family in Tokyo and they visited a relative of Rev. Regier's who is a missionary in Japan. In addition, they visited the many friends the family has made over the years as Japanese exchange students and others who have come to the United States for visits.

"Most of the people we visited were people we had helped while they were here, but they didn't necessarily say with us," Rev. Regier explained.

"We helped them get settled or straightened out a language

problem," Mr. Regier added. "And they were so grateful for this help that they wanted us to stay with them while we were in Japan."

The family stayed with many such friends when it visited Mrs. Regier's home province of Shiga Prefecture, which incidentally is Michigan's sister state in Japan.

When Japanese visitors from Shiga Prefecture were in Petoskey last summer, Mrs. Regier had acted as their interpreter. When she returned to Japan with her family this summer, she was greeted with open arms and royal treatment because of the help she had given.

The Charlevoix residents visited many communities throughout Japan staying in 14 different places. They went to museums, amusement parks and schools, which were in session during their visit.

Take School Seriously Mrs. Regier said the Japanese students and their parents are very serious about

school and the competition is keen. The children go to school from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. 240 days a year and often they are tutored at night. And even during their vacation they have homework.

"They don't change jobs in Japan like we do here," Rev. Regier said.

"And that's why it is so important to get into a good college to get a good education so that you can have a good job," Mrs. Regier said.

The three girls said they enjoyed the visit and plan to return some day. They said they were surprised at how small the country was and at the fact that there was very little open space. The livable space in Japan amounts to an area the size of Iowa.

The girls also enjoyed the food, trying such delicacies as eel, octopus, squid, raw tuna and cold noodle soup. But they missed having beef and

particularly steak, which is very expensive in Japan.

Enjoyed the Bath Another aspect of Japanese life that the young Charlevoix residents found interesting was the baths. The bath is taken standing up in a tiled area and pouring water from a bucket, then after the person is clean they sit in a small tub and soak in hot water.

A highlight of the family's tour of Japan was a visit to Mrs. Regier's home town Usaka and Hiroshima. The family visited Mrs. Regier's home which had been bombed in a night raid just before the atomic bomb was dropped on Hiroshima the next morning.

While visiting the site of Mrs. Regier's home, which was destroyed during the bomb raid, the girls found two golf balls in the yard. They brought the golf balls home to their grandfather, who lives in

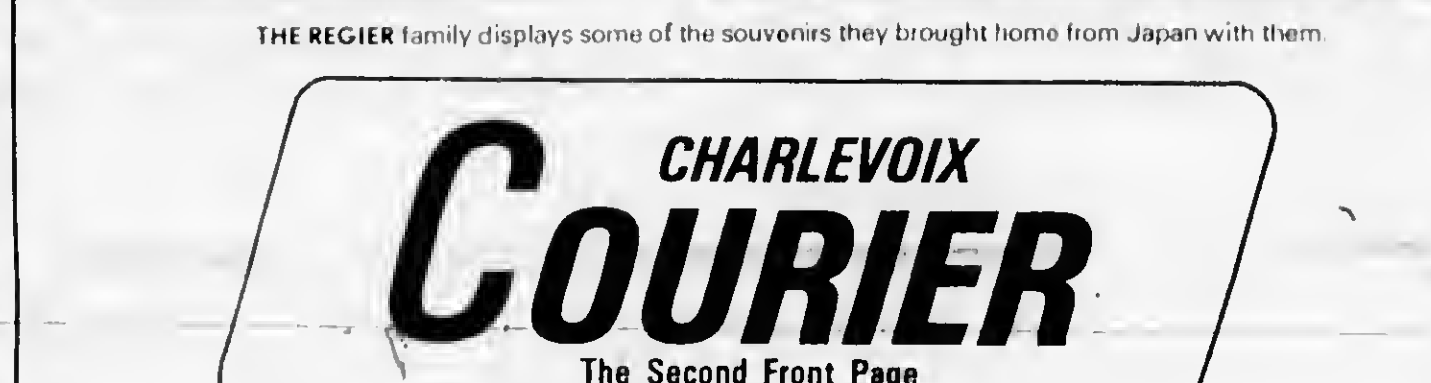
Charlevoix, and he said they must have been ones he had lost when he lived at the home.

The family was very impressed with the museum's and memorials in Hiroshima and Mrs. Regier said she would like to have all people visit the city not because of the atomic bomb but because of the nuclear threat we face in the future," she said.

Mrs. Regier said the residents of Hiroshima feel responsibility not to let such a thing happen again and they actively campaign against nuclear weapons.

Their concern is evident in the wording on a memorial to all who died in the nuclear explosion. Sleep in peace, the memorial reads. We promise we will never make this mistake again.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

The Charlevoix County Road Commission will receive sealed proposals at their offices at 1051 E. Division, Boyne City, Michigan 49712, until 10:00 A.M. (EDT) Monday, August 29, 1977, for furnishing equipment, materials and labor for:

Project Number 2097-North Shore Drive in the Village of Walloon Lake from Lake Street to a point 1800 feet west of Lake Street, 20 ft. wide, 0.34 miles long. Recycling Existing Bituminous Pavement and new Bituminous Aggregate Surface Course 4.09 modified.

Estimated quantities are as follows:

Recycling Existing Bituminous Pavement, 4,000 Sq. Yards	340 Tons
Bituminous Aggregate Surface Course - 4.09 Modified	

Specifications and bidding forms may be obtained at the Road Commission offices.

All proposals must be on the Road Commission's bidding forms in sealed envelopes plainly marked as to the project number and the bidder's name.

It is the intention of the Road Commission to award this contract to a contractor fully capable financially and previously experienced in the type of work.

The Charlevoix County Road Commission reserves the right to waive the irregularity of any bid, or to reject any or all bids or to split the award by items, or to make the award in whole or in part, as may be deemed to be in its own best interest.

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WEIGHT WATCHERS
The Authority

Three new faculty members join Charlevoix Schools

By FRANK MARTIN

With classes at the Charlevoix Public Schools scheduled to begin Wednesday, Sept. 7, school buildings are being readied for the opening of the 1977-78 school year.

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Richard McLenon, Vocational auto mechanics/power mechanics; John Mills, Vocational building trades/basic electricity; Joy Madge, library; William Murray, art; Marie Osterberg, Health and physical education; Plas Presnell, Learning Center; Norman Probert, Health and physical education; Yvonne Wendt, Home Economics/Commercial Foods; Doris Robinson, business education; Gordon Schaperkottler, Schaperkottler, English/social science; Peter Spieles, Science; Steven Stargardt, vocal music; Gary Stutzman, Instrumental music; Glen Taylor, mathematics; Dennis VanGuilder, English/social science; Yvonne Wendt, French.

In the middle school, Vincent Chew will return as principal.

The faculty in the school will include the following teachers: Duane Bolduc, Science; Barbara Bump, 8th grade social studies; Dennis Carr, Learning Center; Barbara Cook, Home Economics; Condit Drury, counselor; Halbert Evans, 8th grade mathematics; Toni Fetter, Health and physical education; Kay Fedorek, Mathematics; M. Van Greene, social studies; Donna Hamilton, English/Spanish.

Roie Loding, art; Lucile Martin, Librarian; David Moyer, Health and physical education; Barry Pierce, social studies; Jerry Puhl, Industrial Arts; Ann Shindorf, Science/English; Thomas Solland, 8th grade science; Steven Stargardt, vocal music; Henry Wagner II, Science/mathematics; Kathleen Wagner, 6th grade English; Yvonne Wendt, 8th grade English/French; Evelyn Wujek, instrumental music.

He said they included a drug store, two food establishments and one financial institution. He said negotiations were still being conducted with clothing stores and a card shop.

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Editorials/Opinions

City should take action on parking before it's too late

Off-street parking has been an on-again, off-again issue in the City of Charlevoix. But it is an issue that should be addressed by the common council, the mayor and the citizens of the community without delay.

As any resident or visitor to Charlevoix knows, Bridge Street in the summer time is just as congested as any street in Chicago, New York or Los Angeles—it's just shorter.

Michigan State Police statistics show that Bridge Street is the scene of more accidents than any other state trunkline in Charlevoix County. The corner of Bridge and Clinton streets ranks first in the number of accidents occurring at any one corner in the county.

In fact, of the top ten corners with the most accidents in the county, Bridge Street intersections were ranked nine out of ten times.

Part of the problem is that Michigan Avenue pours traffic onto the bridge, two lanes at a time, but once the cars get across the bridge, the drivers are confronted with one lane for driving and one lane for parking and a traffic jam that is guaranteed to frazzle the nerves of even the calmest person.

And the situation is not getting any better. At first it just occurred during the summer months, but as Charlevoix becomes more and more of a year around resort area, the traffic problems will also become more year around.

And as the traffic flow through the town gets heavier it will be just a matter of time before the state Department of Highways and Transportation decides to ban on-street parking on Bridge Street so that it can have four lanes of traffic flow through the town.

It will happen, it's just a matter of time. And when it does happen, the city better be ready with some solutions. The problem will not go away or solve itself. Americans seem to maintain that it is their unalienable right to drive to work or to park downtown while they shop.

One oft-discussed solution is to have south bound traffic run on State Street and northbound traffic on Bridge Street with angle parking on both streets. This would still provide parking for shoppers near the downtown businesses and it wouldn't make Bridge Street the highway that it might turn into if all the parking were removed and it was opened up to four lanes of traffic.

However, if all the parking is taken off of Bridge Street, the city will need another solution—off-street parking.

City fathers have already taken a step in that direction by paving a parking lot near Round Lake behind downtown stores. But more parking will be needed if all of Bridge Street is turned into traffic lanes.

The former Erber garage would make a good site for off-street parking lot. It would be a sound investment for the city to purchase the property because it would connect with other parking lots already maintained by the city. A parking gate could easily be installed on the lot and the city would be able to recoup its expenses.

Perhaps the downtown merchants should get together and discuss a special assessment to pay for the proposed lot. After all, an off-street lot downtown only benefits them.

There are many alternatives to be considered. But a plan of action should be settled on now before it's too late.

Letters to the editor

Minister hopes area appreciates Greensky Hill

To the Community of Charlevoix: I wonder how many residents of Charlevoix are really aware of the natural beauty and the historical significance of the Greensky Hill United Methodist Church. As so often is the case, the local people are the last to visit and to appreciate a point of interest in their area.

As a church pastor, I have led five youth retreats at Greensky Hill. We journeyed over 1,000 miles, round trip, each year to this site because of the natural beauty, Christian fellowship, and rich historical significance. More importantly, we have returned each

year because of the warm hospitality expressed by members of this small congregation and their willingness to open their facility to our group. This openness has inspired our youth groups to do a work project each year to help preserve this site.

Shouldn't the community also feel a responsibility in preserving not only the beauty but also the heritage that this site represents to the state and the country. Let all of us, residents and visitors join together in preserving Greensky Hill Church.

Sincerely,
Rev. Bruce Bequette
Ashtabula, Ohio

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Erma Bombeck

A mother wrote last week and said, "My son is so shy and uncommunicative I probably won't know he's going through puberty until he has passed it."

Boys are like that. If my son came home and found me unconscious on the kitchen floor, he'd yell in my unconscious ear, "What's for snack?"

Actually, there is only one surefire, telltale, infallible way of telling whether or not your son has discovered that girls need more padding on a softball team than boys do.

I call it the Shower Syndrome.

For four or five years, the only contact my sons had with water was a sponge in the back of the church filled with holy water. I had the only kids on the block who could take a shower and not get their hair, trousers or shoes wet.

I nagged them to death about it. "Did you take a bath?"

"I went swimming."

"Did you wash your hands?"

"I washed the one that was dirty. See?"

"Why don't you take a shower?"

"Where are we going?"

Then, for no apparent reason, we heard the water running... and running. And running. And running.

"What is he doing in the shower this long?" asked my husband. "Washing away his sins?"

"He has just discovered girls."

"When is he going to discover that we only have a 30-gallon hot water tank and he emptied that to wash his hair?"

"Cleanliness is next to Godliness," I quoted.

"Billy Graham isn't that religious?"

"Look," I said, "I know a boy left in water three days is not attractive, and you know it, but the point is, he doesn't know it."

If you can't hear the water running, there are still other clues to your son's discovery of the opposite sex. He will use a can of deodorant a day...for each arm...each time he takes a shower. He will use mouthwash like it runs free out of the tap. As for shampoo, I never thought I would see the day when I would hide two tablespoons of shampoo in the tea canister so I could wash my hair over the weekend.

As my husband observed the other day as he stepped from his cold shower, squirted hair spray under each arm and gargled with a cup of coffee, "I think I liked 'em better when they were dirty."

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Letter to the editor

Visitors praise lifeguards

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following letter was received by the Charlevoix City Council recently.

To the City Council... We have been visitors to your city for some seventeen years—summer, fall and spring.

We were at the Lake Michigan beach the week of July 18 a minimum of five hours a day...and we would like to tell you that the person or persons who selected the guards should be highly

commended upon the choices. These guards were efficient, concerned, professional, they were fantastic and then the day of the skin diving accident, they were superb.

Our thanks to you and kudos to all. Bill and Eve Touron

Note: The lifeguards on duty at the Lake Michigan beach were Erin Arvillia and Carol Donner. The guards were selected by Dwight Boss, City Recreation Director.

Got An Opinion?

Call The HOTLINE After 6 P.M. 547-6559

Tell us your opinions on anything. No need to give your name.

If it Fitz

by Jim Fitzgerald

That was no fire at 1020 Pine Grove Ave. in Port Huron. That was a lousy insurance company making room for a rotten parking lot.

I think I will cry. Recently I wrote about driving a boy's childhood home and seeing a large hole in the roof. I thought there had been a fire and repairs would soon be made. Wrong.

Quickly there was a phone call from Jane Jenkins, who lived with her family at 1020 for the past 12 years. Also there was a call from her son, Jim, who has been sleeping in my bedroom, waiting for the bulldozer.

Their news was all bad. The Michigan Mutual Insurance Co. is the villain. Cancel my policy. Cancel yours.

My grandfather built that house 60 years ago. My parents moved in in 1924, the year their first child was born. That baby grew up and up to be Terrible Jean. I would like to see some dumb corporation try to tear her down to build a parking lot.

My family was still at 1020 when the fourth and final daughter, Linda, was born in 1942 during the big war. I remember returning home from overseas on her third birthday. I got off

the bus downtown and bought her a doll. When I reached 1020, Linda was playing out in front.

Year later I admitted that was the day I first realized nothing in the world feels nicer than a hug around the neck from a 3-year-old kid. And Linda admitted she didn't know who the skinny soldier was, but she'd hug anybody for a free doll.

For many of those years on Pine Grove, my father was a traveling salesman. When he was out of town, it was my job to take care of the furnace. I wasn't as big as the coal shovel, and Terrible Jean was as big as the furnace, but this was way before playing baseball, or fighting in the Golden Gloves.

Mary Lou was a perfectly darling little girl who wouldn't split for Terrible Jean. She would see her. Everyone except me loved her. Once I got careless and allowed Mary Lou to wander into the street where she was almost hit by a truck. The screeching of brakes brought the entire neighborhood to the scene, gawking at the narrow escape of their little cupcake.

A lynching party was quickly formed. Only the fearful remonstrances of my mother saved my life. She insisted that

laws when I ask him to get out of his chair to adjust the thermostat. Progress.

When Jim Jenkins phoned to say our house was being razed, he said he was once rummaging in the spooky attic above our bedroom and he found some school papers with the name Mary Lou on them. Did I know her?

Oh yes. Mary Lou is sister No. 2, four years younger than her handsome brother. Mother made me take care of Mary Lou in summers, when the furnace didn't need me. Such baby-sitting is a task which more naturally should have fallen to Terrible Jean, but she was always too busy playing baseball, or fighting in the Golden Gloves.

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I could not die the while owing her 2 weeks room and board.

To complete the picture, No. 3 sister is Nancy, more often called The Itch! She was a 10-year-old brat when I was a 20-year-old adventurer, exploring obscure taverns. When I got home late for dinner, she would make scrambled eggs sandwiches and sell them to me for 50 cents each.

As I drag back the memories, I realize it wasn't the old house that was so wonderful, it was the family. But Dad had been dead for many years. The sisters are scattered and Mother lives in a small apartment.

Only the house has remained at 1020 Pine Grove Ave. to be driven past and to be pointed out to my children and grandchildren as the place where I grew up with my awful sisters.

Now, because the people at the insurance office next door need parking space, there is no more house. There is no more 1020 Pine Grove Ave.

There is no more little boy carrying ashes out to the curb every Monday night.

I knew this dumb column would make me cry.

Paula Holmes...

...Speaking Her Mind

King Tut mania hit yours truly recently. I've been talking about going to see the exhibit of Egyptian art and artifacts from the tomb of the ancient ruler for almost a month and I finally got it together enough to get down to Chicago a week ago.

I had heard story after story about the horrible lines and the long waits and I wasn't sure that any exhibit would be worth a 20-hour round trip drive and six hours of waiting in line.

But my girlfriend assured me that this was a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity that I shouldn't let slip by. She also informed me that she had purchased a membership to the Field Museum where the exhibit was being displayed and that the membership would eliminate our waiting in line.

Sure enough we got into the exhibit almost immediately. It was almost embarrassing as we waited in line with people who were telling tales about bringing sleeping bags and getting in line at 1 a.m. in order to see the exhibit at 10:30 a.m.

However, even though we missed the lines waiting to get into the exhibit, we didn't avoid the lines of people as they walked through the hallways and rooms of the exhibit area.

In fact, at one point I felt as though all of Charlevoix must have been crammed into that room with me there were so many people mulling around. It looked like wall-to-wall shoulders.

For someone who gets impatient waiting in line for the Pine River Channel bridge, the crowded condition of the exhibit was almost more than I could bear.

But once I got close enough to the exhibits to examine the various artifacts, my patience dissolved. The craftsmanship of the artisans who constructed the various pieces of furniture and jewelry was incredible to see. Gold and jewels were combined to produce exquisite pieces of jewelry or to decorate the handles of daggers and staffs.

I was also impressed with the challenges carved out of alabaster. When I think of alabaster, I think of a solid stone. But these goblets were as thin as crystal ones and beautifully carved and etched out of solid stone. I was, as my brother aptly put it, blown away.

It's hard to imagine what type of advanced society the Egyptians must have had. But it must have been fantastic. Their objects point to a society that was very mobile and involved in international trade. They must also have been a highly talented society that believed in the talent that could produce finely crafted articles.



Clockwise

by Bob Clock

When I arrived home from work one night last week, I saw two pairs of heels disappearing around the corner of the Charlevoix Duerr house at 1020 Pine Grove.

Second later, Charlie himself appeared at the front door, vaulted down the steps and took off after the vanishing heels.

"What's up?" I asked Allison, who was watching the drama with yawning indifference from our front lawn.

"It's Danny and Andy Stewart. They're playing 'Ding-Dong Dig!'," she answered.

"What's Ding-Dong Dig?" I persisted. "And what has Mr. Duerr have to do with it? Is he playing, too?"

"Sort of," Allison said. "Danny and Andy rang his doorknob and he's chasing them."

"Is that 'Ding-Dong Dig?' Ringing doorknobs?"

Allison nodded and we waited to see if Charlie Duerr reappeared with two little boys in tow. I didn't want to interfere because I have a theory that neighbors should play an important role in disciplining children. Furthermore, Charlie Duerr has raised a household of his own kids and has had more experience than I have.

Furthermore, anything Charlie Duerr might say about doorknob ringing would carry more weight than a few stern words from the old man.

When no one showed up after a minute, I figured the boys had been too fast for Charlie and had ducked down the alley. I went into the house and, sure enough, through the kitchen window I could see the two "Ding-Dong Dig!" champs consulting with each other in the raspberry patch.

"What shall we do?" I asked Judy. "I was hoping Charlie would handle it, but he's not as fast as he used to be."

"Well, you can't let them get away with it," she answered.

When Danny skipped into the house for supper a few minutes later, I nailed him near the back door.

"I heard you rang Mr. Duerr's doorknob," I said, coming right out with it.

A frown erased the smile on his smudged face, but Danny didn't say a word. There was only a flicker of surprise that I knew what he had been up to.

"Did you ring it?"

No answer. He had decided to take the Fifth Amendment.

"Well, before you ring any more doorknobs, let me give you some advice. You never ring a doorknob of the house next door. Understand?"

Danny nodded, his eyes wide.

"Another thing, you never ring the doorknob of someone you like. It's strictly a prank reserved for jerks and jerks."

Danny nodded again.

"Furthermore, only a dope would ring doorknobs in broad daylight when the victim is likely to see who you are. You should wait until it gets dark. Besides, ringing doorknobs is a Halloween prank, reserved for the last week in October."

Danny listened to my lecture in silence. I thought he was going to cry, but he bit his lip instead.

"Another thing," I continued. "It's called 'Ringing Doorknobs' not 'Ding-Dong Dig!' Now are you going to ring Mr. Duerr's doorknob again?"

Danny shook his head.

"OK, then wash your face and get ready for supper."

Danny gave me a wide berth as he walked past, head down, toward the bathroom, leaving Judy and me alone in the kitchen.

Judy shook her head. "He's not a little boy anymore," she said.

I thought she was going to cry.

Meet Charlevoix

...Ralph Richardson

Ralph Richardson is a beef farmer and represents Wilson and Eveline Townships on the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners. This week the Courier talks with him about his background and his work on the farm and on the County Commission.

COURIER: Were you born in the area?

RICHARDSON: No, I was born in Hastings. My parents were both teachers, so we moved around a lot. I went to school seven years in Hartford, one year in Plymouth, and attended high school in Nashville. After graduation I went to Western Michigan University.

COURIER: What did you study at WMU?

RICHARDSON: Aeronautical engineering and aeronautical mechanics. I was an animal husbandry—I've been through the school of hard knocks. Of course, I can fix all the equipment on the farm because of my previous training and my grandparents were farmers and we always lived in the country.

COURIER: Tell us how your farm operates.

RICHARDSON: Basically, we're a cow-calf beef operation. We keep a basic herd of 100 brood cows and five bulls. The calves are born in the spring and we keep them until fall and sell them to feed lots for fattening on an average of 450 pounds to 1,100 pounds. We save a few females to replace the older ones in the herd. In the summer we make hay to feed the cattle in the winter.

COURIER: How did this year's drought affect your hay crop?

RICHARDSON: Normally we get 13,000 bales. This year we got 5,000. The calves we sell this fall wouldn't pay for the 8,000 bales of hay we'd have to buy, so I'm going out of the beef farming business. It's a matter of pure economics. We're getting the same prices today as we did 10 years ago but everything we have to buy has gone up anywhere from three to 10 times. We can't keep up with expenses. We're living on depreciation.

COURIER: Why hasn't the price you receive for beef gone up along with everything else?

RICHARDSON: People are not willing to pay parity prices. The consumer will pay only so much for beef. When we went into beef farming, people were buying steaks and roasts. Now, one out of eight cows killed goes to McDonald's. People don't want steaks and roasts.

COURIER: How much do you get for your beef cattle?

RICHARDSON: Last year it was 34 cents a pound for 400 pound steers and heifer calves. This compares with 30 cents in 1962, 31 and a half cents in 1970, and 63 cents in 1973. It averages out to 34 and a half cents during the 15 years.

COURIER: How do you sell your cattle?

RICHARDSON: We always dealt with the same buyer and sold at the same time every year. We didn't try to beat the market. We kept real good records and believe we received the best prices that way.

COURIER: What are you going to do after you sell out your herd?

RICHARDSON: I don't know. There are several possibilities.

COURIER: By the way, have you operated the farm yourself?

RICHARDSON: Yes, it's a family operation. My wife and I do the calling in the spring. In the summer we hire two people for about six weeks to haul hay.

COURIER: How long have you been on the Board of Commissioners?

RICHARDSON: Since January 1, 1969.

COURIER: What committees do you serve on?

RICHARDSON: Ways and Means, chairman of Parks and Recreation, and CETA. I am also the County representative to the Northwest Regional Planning and Development Commission and represent the Board of Commissioners in union negotiations.

COURIER: Do you enjoy serving on the County Commission?

RICHARDSON: Yes, it's interesting and I enjoy it.

COURIER: Do you have a family?

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COURIER: How much do you get paid?

RICHARDSON: We get \$160 a month, which covers our two regular monthly meetings. We get 15 cents a mile for traveling, and \$33 per day for committee meetings, no matter how many meetings there are on a day. Sometimes I go to a meeting in Traverse City in the morning, have a meeting in Charlevoix in the afternoon, and maybe another one in the evening.

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Hospital crew keeps things running

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parts of the hospital running smoothly.

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ability to deliver the best possible medical care to its patients.

Claude Pearsall, Maintenance Supervisor, and his two assistants, Larry Streeter and Gene Farley, make their rounds on a routine basis. Their patients are machines, tools, air conditioners, monitors, boilers, sterilizers and so on.

Each piece of machinery is inspected and tested and results are recorded on cards kept in a file.

Pearsall, who has been with Charlevoix Area Hospital for 13 years, tends to underplay his role. Yet as he shows a visitor around his eyes are constantly alert. He stops to note a small spot of peeling paint. He checks in with the nursing station to see if they have any problems. He discusses an electrical part needed by physical therapy for their ultra sound machine. And he stops to check the wheels on a wheelchair in the repair shop.

Larry Streeter explains that Charlevoix Area Hospital uses the consulting service of a Bio-Medical Engineer, a relatively new engineering

specialty field, who checks the more complex medical machinery, such as the cardiac monitors.

The Bio-Medical engineering consultant visits the hospital at least once every three months to scrutinize all such machines. "He checks and we repair," quips Pearsall.

In concern with the hospital Safety Committee, a five person team, headed by Barney Roters, the Maintenance crew conducts routine drills for people and equipment.

The Maintenance crew tests the performance of fire alarms and smoke detectors

weekly. Twelve fire drills are held each year to keep the human workers alert.

Pearsall laughs as he notes how people notice things only when something goes wrong, or seems to go wrong.

"It was 2 a.m., about a year ago. The phone rang. I was asleep. Someone was worried because the emergency generator was running at the hospital."

"I reached out to turn on my lamp. No lights."

"I said, 'Did you notice the lights blink down there?'"

"Oh yea, they said."

"Power was out all over town, except the hospital," he smiles with quiet assurance.



Summer preparation can make first day of school easier

"I'm not going to school."

What is a parent to do when little Suzy or Timmy refuses to take that first step away from home and into kindergarten? This September, more than six million 5- and 6-year-olds will begin kindergarten or first grade. Although most children will take that first day in stride, a few will have problems.

A new pamphlet from the Office of Child Development, Department of Health, Education and Welfare gives parents some good advice about how to prepare their child for the first day of school. You can get a free copy of the pamphlet, When a Child Begins School, by sending a postcard to Consumer Information Center, Dept. 635E, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

Don't treat going to school as a part of the normal course of events. It is something that is expected, not something that is any choice about.

Don't allow older brothers and sisters to tease or scare the younger child. If necessary, talk to the older children privately.

Do answer all questions about school honestly. Many children want to know the number of days in a school year, the number of hours in a school day, how students get back and forth to school, and so on. Answers to these types of questions are important because they help reduce

anxiety. Some schools hold orientation sessions to acquaint children and their parents with the school and the teachers.

Many non-working mothers look forward to the free time they will have while their children are in school. However, don't tell your child how much fun you're going to have while he or she is in school. Instead, let the child know that you will be doing your job at home, while the child is doing a good job at school. You might say, "While you're in school today, I will be shopping and going to pottery class, so we can spend some time together when you get home."

When a Child Begins School (free) is one of more than 200 selected federal consumer publications listed in the Consumer Information Catalog. The Catalog, published quarterly by the Consumer Information Center of the General Services Administration, is free.

Midwest Division, Ron Pair Enterprises in Charlevoix, recently erected three flag poles adjacent to the plant office as a tribute to

Kindergarten forms, registration due Tuesday

Health records for kindergarten children who registered last spring should be brought to the Charlevoix Elementary School by next Tuesday.

The school will be open from 9 to 11:30 a.m. and 1 to 3 p.m. so that parents can drop their youngest's complete health records off at the school.

Any other kindergarten children who will be five years old by Dec. 1 and who have not been previously registered in

Ron Pair gets new flag poles to symbolize growth

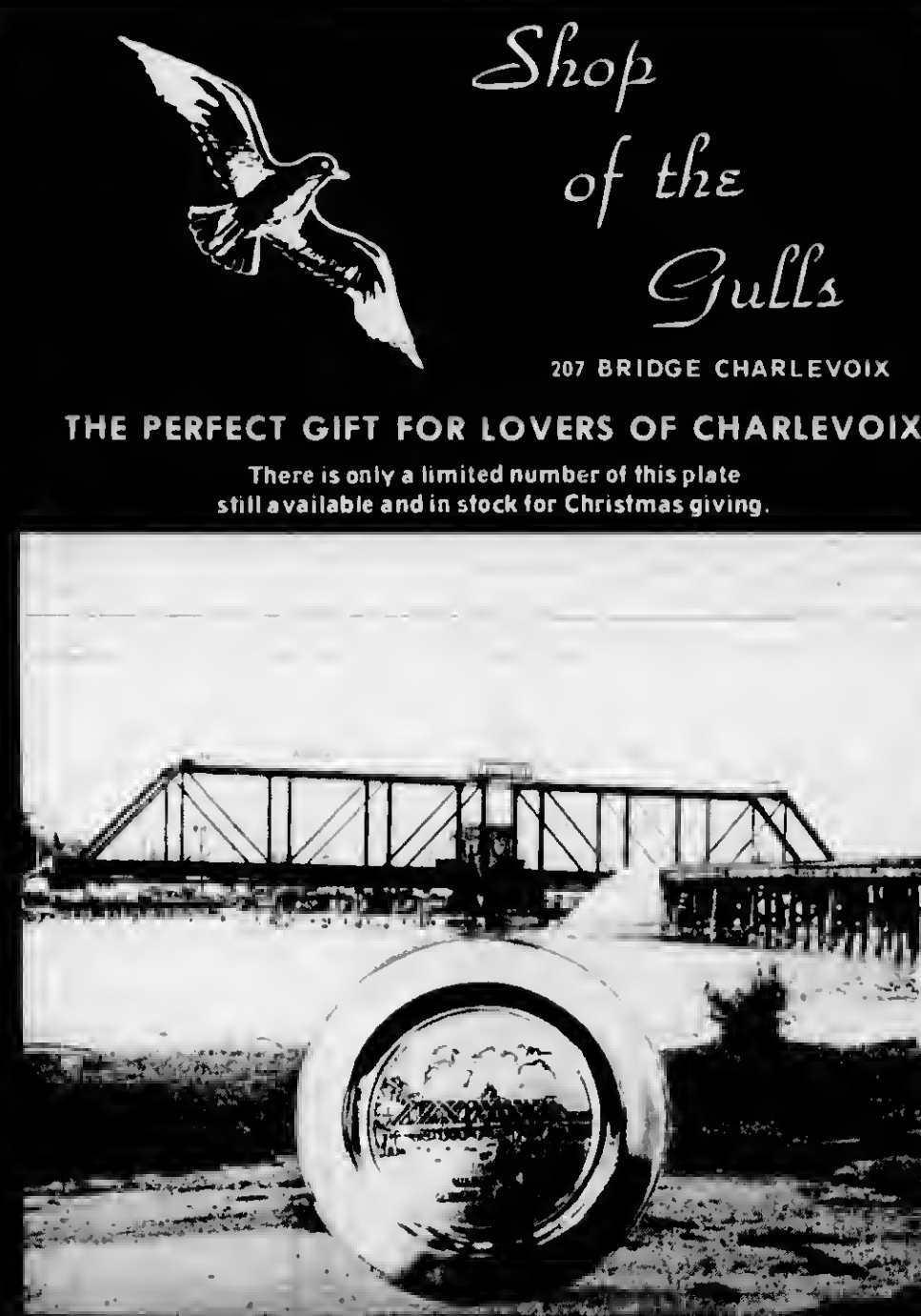
its international friends and clients.

The poles fly the colors of the United States, State of Michigan, and the Ecology flag, which symbolizes the company's efforts to establish itself worldwide as a manufacturer of environmental equipment.

For 30-day periods, the colors of each of the international agents presently accepting delivery of MIDWEST equipment will be honored.

MIDWEST's international agents are located in Australia, Canada, Great Britain, Greece, Israel, Japan, The Netherlands, South Africa, and Sweden. The first country honored will be Canada because of its geographical relationship to the United States.

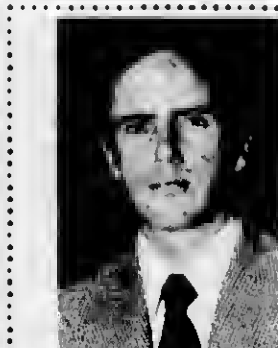
MIDWEST's future plans include the assembly of finished environmental equipment in The Netherlands for European and Middle East consumption, and in Osaka, Japan for distribution to the Far East.



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Where the future is now

David Marshall joins Navy nuclear unit

David C. Marshall, who joined the U.S. Navy in 1975 under the Nuclear Propulsion program, has reached the rate of Petty Officer, Second Class, and is presently participating in an 11 week Nuclear Qualified Welding School at Groton, Conn.

Upon beginning the latter course of study, he was appointed senior man for the student group.

After completing boot training at San Diego in September 1975, he attended Machinist Mate A School and upon completion of the school was selected as staff to instruct in the Propulsion Plant Steam Laboratory of Great Lakes, Ill. He had attended Instructor Training School before being assigned as an instructor. As staff at Great Lakes he attended, on his own time, Boiler Technician

School and Engineman Mate A School.

Later he was transferred to Orlando, Fla., where he attended Navy Nuclear Propulsion School with six months of classroom phase instruction. He was then transferred to the Navy Nuclear Facility for on the job practical application at Ballston Spa, N.Y.

Upon graduation of the Navy Power Prototype, he will be a qualified nuclear power plant mechanical operator.

His wife, Sherry, and their son, Justin, will remain in Charlevoix while his is at Groton, Conn. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall.

His next assignment will be at Charleston, S.C., where Mrs. Marshall and their son will join him.

A graduate of the

Charlevoix High School, he attended North Central Michigan College and has 4,000 hours toward being a tool and die journeyman.



David Marshall

New Businesses

The following business names have recently been registered with the Charlevoix County Clerk:

Ole's Photo Service, Charlevoix, filed by Paul D. Mau, Jr.; The Magul Inn, Boyne City, filed by Robert C. and Helen E. Ellis; Earl's Barber Shop, East Jordan, filed by Earl R. McClure; Country Guys and Gals, Boyne City, filed by Douglas W. Way.

City, filed by Carol Critchendon; Bogart Roofing, Charlevoix, filed by Edmund G. Bogart; J & J's Boutique, East Jordan, filed by Judith A. Vronstian; Sequoyia Stoneware Pottery, Charlevoix, filed by Carol Bartley.

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Keys to air-evac plane turned over to Peaine clerk

At the request of Sheriff George Lasater, Beaver Island's Deputy Sheriff William Welke has turned over the keys and log book of the island's air evacuation plane to Joseph B. Martin, clerk of Peaine Township.

Welke and his two sons have been piloting the plane for residents of the island but due to differences of opinion between the Welkes and local officials, they resigned as pilots.

The plane will now be flown by Wayne Chapman and Robert McGlocklin, island residents, who are certified FAA pilots.

Operation of the plane is financed by St. James and Peaine Townships but is under the jurisdiction of the

Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department. The plane was secured through the County Civil Defense Department.

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Very few white people had seen a sunset over Little Traverse Bay on that late fall day in 1863, when the first train whistled to a stop at the end of its line.
On board was a reporter for a Grand Rapids newspaper, who in reporting on the wilderness scenery, dubbed it Petoskey's Million Dollar Sunset.
The metamorphosis of Petoskey was rapid. It grew from a small Indian settlement at the mouth of Bear river, to a dynamic, busy village catering to the needs of sightseers and homesteaders. To house the visitors, the Arlington and other luxury hotels were constructed overnight. Roaming houses for

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The last affluent were soon to follow. By 1870 a substantial number of shops had sprung up along the main street, creating a very unique pioneer shopping area. Along the Bear River waterpower was harnessed to run sawmills, flourmills, hardwood flooring industries, butter bowl factories, and furniture-making industries. The limestone cliffs along Little Traverse Bay provided Petoskey with lime, a natural resource of great importance to the industrial development of the town. Little steamers plied the Bay, and the summer visitors who registered at Petoskey hotels and rooming houses took advantage of the many excursions offered. The most popular trip was the Circular or Inland Route. This lengthy excursion took the traveler up the coastline of Little Traverse Bay into Lake Michigan, around to Mackinac Island, on to Cheboygan and then down the chain of rivers and lakes to what is now Conway. Until the quaint little dummy trains were in operation, the excursionists were jolted back to Petoskey from Conway by wagon and team.

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In 1880 the system was in full operation and trips were being made every fifteen minutes. By 1905 two trains ran from Petoskey to Harbor Springs at half hour intervals. Many of the people who had come to see the area on the train liked what they saw and became regular summer visitors. By the 1900's the shift from tourism to settled summer communities was in motion. Many resorts developed around the Bay and inland lakes of the area. The new fangled summer resorts spelled the doom of the delightful little steamers on the Bay, the little dummy trains, and the luxury hotels. Many of the hotels burned and were not rebuilt, the dummy engines were sold for scrap, and the steamers sailed off over the horizon. Although the modes of transportation have seen drastic change, Petoskey's magnetism remains. There is still an element of charm and friendliness in shopping adventure which belongs uniquely to Petoskey's Gaslight District. One may still marvel at the beauty of Little Traverse Bay and experience the wonder of the Million Dollar Sunset.

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It wasn't always that way for Dick Edwards, who owns the well-known grocery store on the north side of Charlevoix.

The grocer used to be Edwards Florist and Truck Garden and he operated out of the back of a 1921 Dodge truck as he carted fresh produce from doorstep to doorstep in Charlevoix.

"Yep, I was a huckster from 1939-42," Edwards recalled. "And I did it the summer of 1946, too, after I got back from the war."

Oddly enough it was a statement from one of his truck garden customers that made Edwards decide to build his grocery store.

"I was talking with a cook on the north side who said that if I had a little store that people could go to, I'd get more business," the grocer recalled. "But instead of building a little store, I decided to build a big one."

The original store was 50 by 60 feet and its shelves were stacked with everything imaginable. Edwards wanted his store to be a supermarket. "When I opened, I was the 13 grocery store in town," Edwards said.

"There were various predictions about how long I would last and most said six months was all I could be around. They said I would die on the vine because I was so far out - five blocks from town."

Edwards said he had chosen the north side as the location for his grocery store because there wasn't anything on that side of town.

"As a kid of 26, I thought it was a good idea," he explained. And so he talked his brother Louis into going into business with him. Dick handled the

meat end of the business and Louis took care of the groceries.

While the store was the 13th one to open in this town, it was first in many aspects of the services it provided. Edwards was the first store to offer barbecue chicken, the first one to offer trading stamps and the first one to sell ice cubes.

The store has grown in more than just size over the past 30 years, too. A staff of 19 now mans the store in a series of shifts. When Edwards first opened, only a handful of employees were around to keep it going. Among the first stock and delivery boys were Vane Smith, Charlevoix High School principal, and Alvin Ranger, engineer.

The services provided by the store have grown along with the size of the store and its staff. The meat counter has expanded over the years and Edwards added a liquor section after obtaining a license in 1962. In 1974, he added the delicatessen now known as Dapper Dick's Deli.

"I suppose our key to success has been to give the best quality service possible," Edwards said. "I really get mad when I catch the boys up front letting a lady carry out two sacks."

To help celebrate Edwards 30th year of business, the grocer has invited all of his customers and neighbors to share some cake and punch on Saturday. The cake will be baked by Ron Fairbanks, the same man who baked the first anniversary cake.

Edwards hopes that many other friends who were on hand for that first anniversary will come back for the 30th one.

"It's been challenging," he said reflecting on the past 30 years. "But I've enjoyed meeting and dealing with different people."



DICK EDWARDS stands behind the meat counter that was to turn out to be his trademark after 30 years in business.

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VANE SMITH, principal of Charlevoix High School, talks with Louis Edwards in front of the new store 30 years ago. Smith was one of the first employees at the store.

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Chainletters age-old consumer ripoff

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This prayer has been sent to you for good luck. The original copy is from the Netherlands. It has been around the world nine times. You are to receive good luck within nine days of receiving this letter. This is no joke, you will receive it in the mail.

Send copies of this letter to people you think need good luck. Do not send money. Do not keep this letter. It must leave within 96 hours after you receive it. An RAF officer received \$70,000. Don Elliott received \$50,000 but lost it because he broke the chain. While in the Philippines, General Woleh lost his life six days after he received this letter. He failed to circulate the prayer. However, he received \$775,000 before his death. Please send 20 copies and see

what happens to you on the fourth day. This chain comes from Vascausal and was written by St. Anthony de Cadiz, a missionary from South America.

Since this chain has to make a tour of the world, you must have 20 copies identical to this one and send it to your friends, and parents and acquaintances. After a few days you will get a surprise. This is true, even if you are not superstitious.

Take note of the following. Constantin Diaz received the chain in 1953. He asked his secretary to make 20 copies and send them, a few days later he won a lottery of \$2 million in his country. Darso Gradit, an office employee, received the chain. He forgot it and in a few days lost his job. He found the chain and sent it to 20 people. Five days later he got an even better job.

Dorin Reinghild received the chain

and not believing in it threw it away. Nine days later he died.

For no reason whatsoever should this chain be broken.

Chain letters like this one and others are making the rounds again in Northern Michigan. While this particular letter appears to be harmless people can be prosecuted for sending it.

"Anything that threatens great bodily harm can be prosecuted, Terry Dillon, assistant U.S. District Attorney, explained. "But usually we don't get involved with chain letters like these. The ones we are concerned about usually deal with money or bonds."

Dillon said it is against federal law to use the mails in any scheme to defraud. "We look on chain letters as a device to defraud," Dillon said. "It has been our experience that the people who pay money into them never get anything

back."

The district attorney admitted it was though to prosecute for chain letters because it has to be shown that the person sending the letter has the intent to defraud.

"But theoretically you can trace the letter back to the originators and then it can be shown that the people on the

bottom level had the intent to defraud," he said.

Hugh Brenaman, another assistant U.S. district attorney, said usually the originators will use false names which shows an intent to defraud.

Brenaman said his office becomes aware of chain letters mostly through citizen complaints and inquiries about

the various schemes that are presented in the letters. He and the postal inspectors work together closely investigating the complaints.

Brenaman said complaints about chain letters have dwindled to only two a year at his office. He attributes the drop in the number of chain letters to publicity about the letters which has wakened people up to the scheme.

"It's not exactly a new idea any more," he pointed out. "People are more aware of what is going on with the chain letters."



Water levels down almost two feet

Lake Michigan (and Round Lake and Lake Charlevoix) water levels were down 1.84 feet in July from the same period last year, the Army Corps of Engineers reports.

The levels have been going down steadily since 1974, when they were the highest since 1960.

The lowest lake levels since 1900 were recorded in 1964, when they were 2.62 feet below the present levels.

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A BOOK SALE held by the Charlevoix Women's Club graced the lawns of the Charlevoix Public Library Friday and Saturday. The funds from the sale of the hard back and paperback books will be used to support the CHICO project. The women's club holds the book sale annually to support the project.

Former Charlevoix resident selected to go to University games

A former Charlevoix resident has been selected as one of five U. S. athletic trainers for the University Games in Sofia, Bulgaria this month.

Gary Smith, a 1964 graduate of Charlevoix High School, was selected from a field of 5,000 trainers to go to the games. He is a trainer at Central Washington University.

Smith will be working with about 194 U.S. athletes who will be competing in 19 sports including track, basketball, swimming, gymnastics, wrestling and tennis.

The University Games will be Smith's second international training position. He served as trainer for the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics' All-Star basketball team in 1974 when they played in the Cup of Nations Tournament in South America.

Smith received a bachelor's degree from Northern Michigan University and earned a master's degree from Indiana University. He has also served as the head

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Smith is the nephew of Grace Warner and cousin of Doug Warner.

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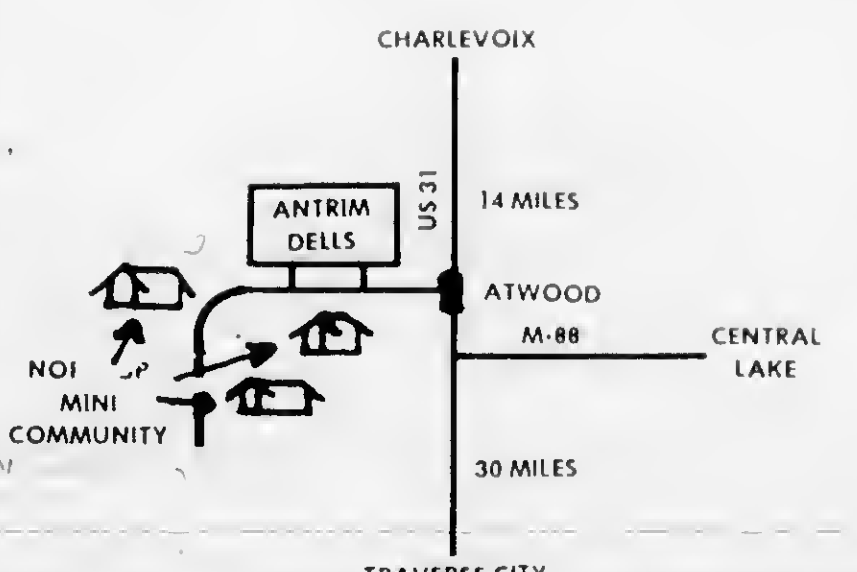
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Blood, sweat, tears to pay off at fair

Almost a year of hard work, careful planning and tender loving care will come to an end for 17 Charlevoix County 4-H members as they auction off their steers at the Emmet County Fair next week.

The auction is open to the public and will take place at 7 p.m. Aug. 25 in front of the grandstand.

The students have been participating in the Market Steer Project for the past year as a part of a joint effort by 4-H and Future Farmers of

America (FFA) to help teach the techniques involved in cattle raising.

Each participant in the two-year-old steer program, began his or her quest for the Grand Champion prize last November when they started raising feeder calves.

Since that time the students have carefully monitored daily items such as feed consumption and weight gain. Many materials and ac-

tivities helped the members in their quest for the top prize at the fair. Project members and leaders met monthly to discuss any problems that members were having and to trade information.

In the early months of the project, special clinics were held on feed rations and fitting and showing. The feeding aspects of cattle raising is particularly interesting because of different feeding philosophies and different types of possible ration for-

mulas, Bob Bellairs, 4-H coordinator explained. Sometimes a project member takes a chance by trying a different feed combination, but that risk may pay off in a better finished steer.

Beef tours were taken in the spring, so that members could view the competition they will be facing at the fair.

As fair time approached, the project members spent much of their time away from the farm as they actively contacted prospective buyers

with information about their cattle.

At the fair, members will work in shifts to keep constant watch on the steers. Prior to the auction members will compete in showmanship, market steer and live carcass

evaluation classes. Judging will begin at 10 a.m. Aug. 23. Members participating in the steer program from Charlevoix County are: Liz Heath, Sherry Jones, Kaye Ande and Bob Keller, and Jim Stowe all of Charlevoix.

Klooster of Atwood and Kaye and Tammy Thayer, and Jean and Sue Stolt of Boyne City. Second year participants are: Doug and Mark Drenth, Dave Eklings, Rich Hand, Ande and Bob Keller, and Jim Stowe all of Charlevoix.

Highlights of the fair will include a country western music show and automobile stunt drivers in the grandstand. Harness racing, horse pulling, a beef auction, amusement rides and exhibits will also abound during the fair.

There will also be a demonstration of grain cutting with a horse drawn binder, a swap meet and flea market, and a charcoal broiled chicken and ox roast.

The show will be held Friday, Saturday, and Sunday, closing at 6:30 p.m. Sunday.



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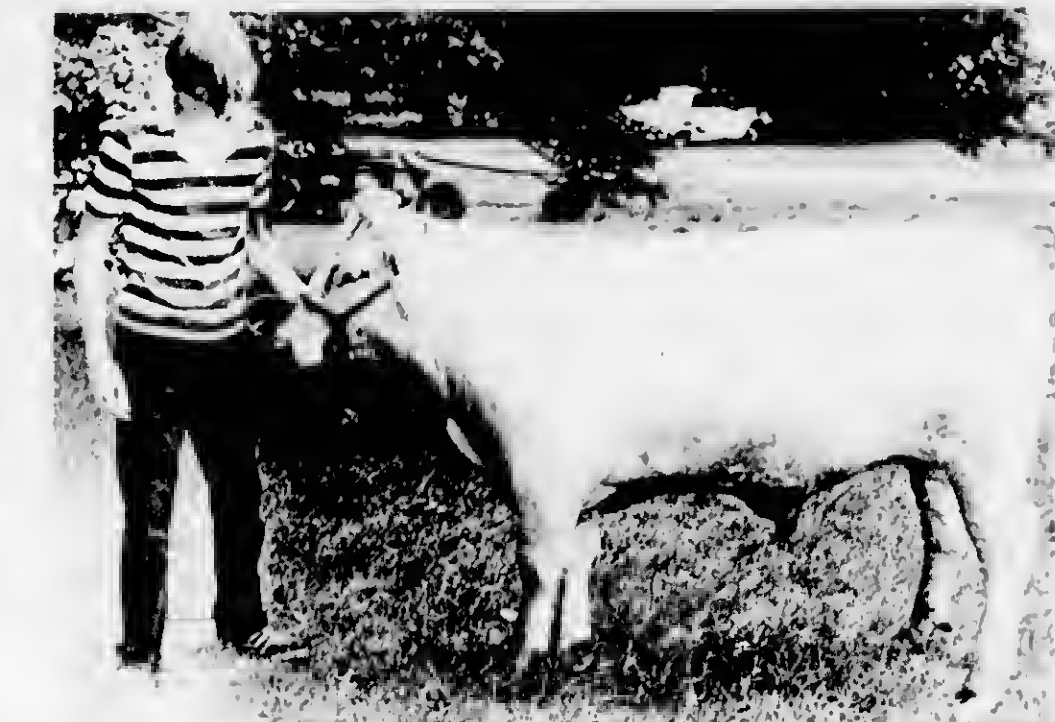
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THIS YOUNG feeder calf was started by Jim Stowe last November as he planned to participate in the cattle auction taking place at the Emmet County Fair Aug. 24.



JIM STOWE TAKES a look at his calf Nature Boy nine months after the steer was started as a feeder calf. The steer will be auctioned off along with several others at the Emmet County Fair. Stowe had the Grand Champion steer last year.

Emmet County Fair to open next week

Thrills, chills and spills will highlight the Emmet County Fair as it opens its doors next week.

The fair will offer something for everyone as it runs from Aug. 22-27 at the fairgrounds on U.S. 31 just inside Petoskey's south boundary.

Highlights of the fair will include a country western music show and automobile stunt drivers in the grandstand. Harness racing, horse pulling, a beef auction, amusement rides and exhibits will also abound during the fair.

Old time machines on display in Buckley

Those who remember the days of steam engines and threshing machines will have a chance to relive them this weekend at the 10th Annual Northwestern Michigan Engine and Thresher Club Show in Buckley.

All the equipment on exhibit is in working order, including a steam bicycle, various types of steam engines, gas and kerosene tractors, a hot air

Kathy Barnes, an up-and-coming country western singer who was discovered by Gene Autry, will perform two shows at 7 and 9 p.m. Aug. 24. Fresh from Henderson, Kan., Miss Barnes is now the protégé of Autry and an accomplished entertainer.

Danny Fleenor's Hurricane Hell Drivers will show their stuff at 7 and 9 p.m. Aug. 27. Their highway hi-jinks include acts in which cars are driven on only two wheels, cars crash and roll over, motorcycles and their riders hurtle through the air and a Plymouth Scamp

leaps from one ramp to another through a hoop of fire. Harness racing will be held at 8 p.m. Aug. 22 and 23 with horses from many area farms competing.

A 4-H Horse Show will be held at 7 p.m. Aug. 26 with lightweight and heavyweight horse pulling taking place. An

open class horse show will be held at 9 a.m. Aug. 27. A beef auction will be held at 7 p.m. Aug. 25 in the grandstand. 4-H members who have been raising beef cattle during the last year will auction their animals off to the highest bidders. Last year, a Charlevoix County resident,



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Roxanne VanLoo weds Robert Chandler

Roxanne Van Loo and Robert Chandler were married August 13 in the garden of the bride's home in Charlevoix.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Van Loo, and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Chandler of Alexandria, Virginia. He is stationed with the Coast Guard on Governor's Island, New York.

The afternoon ceremony was performed under a bridal arch by the bride's uncle, the Reverend James Van Loo of Boston. The bride's parents gave her in marriage.

The bride's gown was an A-line design of off-white polyester with a sheer chiffon cape, decorated with flowers. She wore a wide-brimmed hat decorated with roses and carried a bouquet of miniature

white carnations, apricot sweetheart roses, and baby's breath.

Mrs. Sandy Benoit, an aunt of the bride, was the only attendant. Her gown was an apricot print, floor length. She carried a bouquet of white daisies, apricot miniature carnations, and baby's breath.

Doug Benoit, an uncle of the bride, served as best man. Darrin Van Loo, the bride's brother, and Jim Chandler, the groom's brother were ushers.

The bride's parents hosted the reception at Bourke's Steak and Stein following the ceremony. Beth Chandler and Sally Chandler cut the wedding cake.

During the reception, the bride and groom presented an inscribed silver plaque to both sets of parents.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Van Loo wore a full-length gown. Mrs. Chandler wore an apricot palazzo pant gown.

Out-of-town guests attended from Massachusetts and Virginia.

Following a wedding trip in Northern Michigan, the newlyweds will be at home on Governor's Island.

Gregorys honored at potluck dinner

A potluck dinner Sunday honoring former Barnard residents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gregory of Brazil, Ind., was held at the Barnard Methodist Church dining room. Later the group gathered at the Community Room of the First State Bank to view early pictures of the Charlevoix area.

Among those attending were Mrs. Lucille Parkham of Rochester, Mrs. Audrey Marler of Lincoln Park, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Shapton, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Scott, Mrs. Peter Nelson, Willis Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Gregory and daughter, Sandra, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Westfall, Mrs. Charles Hamlin, Mrs. Arthur Steel, Mrs. Lucille Hogan, Mrs. Lynn Bristol, Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Crist.

Humane Society picks new office manager

Vernice Smith is the new office manager of the Charlevoix County Humane Society.

Mrs. Smith is well qualified for the job since she worked for 12 years as manager of the Ingham County Humane Society.

She recently returned to the area to live after spending several years in Lansing. She is a 1939 graduate of Charlevoix High School and moved away following her marriage in 1941.

The former Vernice Holland now lives in East Jordan with her two sons. Her husband died in January. The Charlevoix County

Former Charlevoix resident selected as poster child

A Michigan-born child, Jeffrey Lewis, a native of Charlevoix, has been named the 1977 poster child for the Alabama Chapter of the Cystic Fibrosis Foundation's Breath of Life campaign now underway in that state.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lewis of Birmingham, Ala., former Charlevoix residents and the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Lewis and Mr. and Mrs. James Marshall all of Charlevoix.

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Humane Society is located adjacent to the Sheriff's headquarters, on Garfield and Grant Streets. It is open Monday through Friday from noon to 6 p.m. to receive or adopt out dogs, puppies, and kittens.

As of last week, the population of the Animal Shelter was 13 dogs, nine puppies, and six kittens, most of which are available for adoption.

Mrs. Smith is assisted in her duties by Brenda Lagibill, who not only helps around the office but cleans the kennels. She also "stops by" for an hour or so on Saturdays and Sundays to see that the animals are watered and fed.



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Two new records set in girls track meet

Two new records were set Thursday in the Junior Division of the annual girls track and field meet held at Kipke Field Dwight Boas, Charlevoix Recreation director, has announced.

Ann Wagner established a new record of 5'10" in the standing long jump and Chaya Moore a record of 9.5 seconds

in the 60 yard hurdles. The old record in the standing long jump was 5'11" and in the 60 yard hurdles 11.2 seconds.

The top three winners in the Junior Division follows:

Long jump: 1. Toni Eakes; 2. Chaya Moore; 3. Anna Martin. Distance: 5'10".

Standing long jump: 1. Ann Martin. Distance: 5'10".

Winners in the Senior Division of the meet follow:

75 yd. dash: 1. Toni Eakes; 2. Ann Wagner; 3. Anna Martin. Time: 11.4.

440 yd. relay: 1. Maureen Budy; 2. Ann Wagner; 3. Anna Martin. Time: 1:14.

200 yd. dash: 1. Chaya Moore; 2. Kris Austin; 3. Kathleen Budy. Time: 4:6.

60 yd. hurdles: 1. Chaya Moore; 2. Kathleen Budy; 3. Ann Wagner. Time: 9.5.

Distance: 5'10". Softball throw: 1. Maureen Budy; 2. Sharon Martin; 3. Rachelle Berman. Distance: 84'9".

25 yd. dash: 1. Chaya Moore; 2. Kris Austin; 3. Kathleen Budy. Time: 4:6.

60 yd. hurdles: 1. Chaya Moore; 2. Kathleen Budy; 3. Ann Wagner. Time: 9.5.

Long jump: 1. Laura Kemp; 2. Nancy Miller; 3. Mary Lenhart. Distance: 11'10".

Standing long jump: 1. Chris Mitchell; 2. Jackie Mitchell; 3. Kathy Boal. Distance: 5'10".

Softball throw: 1. Theresa Noiro; 2. Holly Taber; 3. Debbie Lenhart. Distance: 149'0".

25 yd. dash: 1. Nancy Miller; 2. Mary Lenhart; 3. Debbie Lenhart. Time: 1:05.3.

440 yd. relay: 1. Debbie Lenhart; 2. Holly Taber; 3. Theresa Noiro; 4. Nancy Miller. Time: 1:05.3.

Only one new record set during boys field, track meet

Though the times and distances were good in the annual track and field meet sponsored by the Charlevoix Recreation Department, only one new record was set Friday Dwight Boas, city recreation director, has announced.

This was in the standing long jump in which Dan Staublin jumped 6'4" to better the old record by eight inches.

Other Junior Division results follow: Long jump: 1. Dave McKenzie; 2. Jim Kenny; 3. Eric Dziedle. Distance: 11'10".

Standing long jump: 1. Dan Staublin; 2. Jon Eades; 3. Eric Dziedle. Distance: 6'4".

Softball throw: 1. Matt Lignell; 2. Daniel Yaker; 3. Michael Yaker. Distance: 118'.

25 yd. dash: 1. Jim Kenny; 2. Todd Hoffield; 3. Jim Martin. Time: 4:45.

75 yd. dash: 1. Jim Martin; 2. Jim Kenny; 3. Matt Lignell. Time: 11:7.

440 yd. relay: 1. Jim Martin; 2. Dan McKenzie; 3. Eric Dziedle and Jim Kenny. Time: 1:04.6.

Senior Division results follow: Long jump: 1. Ross Carey; 2. Chuck Klooster; 3. Mike Donnelly. Distance: 14'.

Standing long jump: 1. Mike Budy; 2. Keith Potter. Distance: 6'4".

Softball throw: 1. Mark Morgan; 2. Brent Cole; 3. Keith Potter. Distance: 174'.

25 yd. dash: 1. Mark Morgan; 2. Brent Cole; 3. Chuck Klooster. Time: 4:2.

75 yd. dash: 1. Ross Carey; 2. Mark Morgan; 3. David Milligan. Time: 10:5.

60 yd. hurdles: 1. Ross Carey; 2. Dave Milligan; 3. Dan Budy. Time: 10:1.

440 yd. relay: 1. Cole, Klooster, Morgan and Carey; 2. Donnelly, Budy, Potter and Milligan. Time: 1:04.6.

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YOUNG GIRLS and boys had a chance to show their field and track ability last week during the annual summer meet. Here a young girl races through the hurdles.

Kit Carson loses game to Wojans

League-leading Kit Carson dropped a game to Wojan Aluminum during Charlevoix City Recreation Men's Slo-pitch League play.

Wojans defeated Kit Carson 16-15. Dave Novotny was the

winning pitcher on 15 hits while Jeff Collins was credited with the loss, also on 15 hits. Novotny, Steve Kidder and Gordon Block had homers for Wojans, while Kirk Lieberman, and Kraag

Lieberman each had homers for Kit Carson. Terry Blissett and Tim Carey each slammed in two homers a piece for Kit Carson.

In other action, the Townhouse defeated Wojan Aluminum 11-1. Don Willis had the win on eight hits and Gary Balch took the loss on 10 hits.

Chuck Pease had a home run for the Townhouse. The Credit Union defeated the Hospital 16-10. Mike Brunett took the win on 15 hits while Barney Roosters was credited with the loss on 17 hits.

Fred Taylor defeated the Hawks 12-9. Tim Kleinbas had the win on 12 hits while Sam McClellan had the loss on 13 hits.

Butch Potter had a home run for Fred Taylor. The G-Men ran over Erber Auto 15-8. Bob Holzman had the win on a mere seven hits while Gary Novotny took the loss on 12 hits.

Matt Doan had a home run for Erber Auto and Kevin Swanson, and Terry Miller each had home runs for the G-Men. Pat Kerr belted out four home runs for the G-Men.



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WINNERS OF THE Charlevoix Township Slo-pitch League trophy were the members of the Chester's Boat Livery team. Pictured here are: (front row, from left to right) Tom Arnold, Terry Drew, Dave Charbeneau, Ron Shapton, Gary Charbeneau, Greg Revor, and Mike Donnelly, bat boy. In the back row are: Coach Norm Probert, Ron Hilton, Gary Probert, Joe Ballargeon, John Hutchinson, Bill Belfy and Ed Buday. Missing are Ron Sivarga, Pat Donnelly, Steve Martinus, Larry Darrah and Tim DeYoung.

Girls basketball season full of promise, Coach says

The 1977 season for the Charlevoix High School Girls Basketball Team has plenty of promise. Coach Toni Feller has high hopes for her Rayder team as they begin preseason practice this week.

"Things look good," Coach Feller said. "I'm very positive about the team this year."

"I think they can run, we have some good shooters and they can play together. You know you can have all the shooters in the world, but if they can't play together it doesn't do you any good."

The basketball coach said the Rayder team is probably comparable with the league as far as height is concerned, but the Rayders don't have any exceptionally tall players this year.

On the defensive side, the coach said she wasn't sure yet where the strengths and weaknesses were.

"I have to read the players more before I know what we've got," she said.

The coach said she is looking forward to a winning season and hopes that the school district residents will turn out to support the team.

Returning to the varsity squad this year are: Louise Caldwell, Sue Hodge and Jerylyn Goss. Coming up to the varsity squad from the JV team are: Chris Lehman, Lisa Flower, Laurie Gibbs, Jackie Paul, Teresa Bears, Sherry Selassen, Chris Fiedler and Laura Dziedziel.

Coach Feller has just completed two weeks of conditioning camp with many of the basketball players for the coming season. This is the third year of the two-week camp that stresses conditioning as well as teaches ball handling skills and sets up scrimmages for the girls participating in the program.

"I think we're beginning to see some results from this program," the coach said. "The girls skills are better and they are able to work as a team."

The coach said she is pleased with this year's schedule except that there is a lag of three weeks between the opening nonconference games and the first conference game. She said she is looking for some games of scrimmages to fill in the gap.

The coach invited any interested girls to show up for daily practices at 8:30 a.m. or 5:30 to 6 p.m. Varsity and JV players should have their physical cards with them when they come.

Bud Klooster plans to attend Albion

Bud Klooster, a 1977 graduate of Charlevoix High School, has made a tentative commitment to attend Albion College this fall, where he will play basketball, according to Albion coach Mike Turner.

Charlevoix High School Girls Basketball 1977 Game Schedule

Sept. 15	Elk Rapids
20	at Central Lake
Oct. 6	at Grayling
13	Hogers City
18	at Cheboygan
20	at St. Ignace
25	Grayling
27	Boys City
Nov. 1	at Gaylord
3	at Petoskey
8	at Rogers City
10	Cheboygan
15	St. Ignace
17	at Boys City
22	Petoskey

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No change in standings during women's league play

There was little change in the standings of the Charlevoix Recreation Department Women's Slo-Pitch League following last week's play.

Both the Dairy Queen and Kusina Motors continued in their winning ways.

The Dairy Queen took two games last week. The team defeated Kentucky Fried Chicken 28-10. Amy Potter was the winning pitcher on seven hits with Carolyn Loper the losing pitcher on 20 hits.

In their second game of the week, members of the Dairy Queen team squeaked by Medusa 11-10. Amy Potter was again the winning pitcher on 13 hits while Carol White took the loss on 11 hits.

Kusina Motors also defeated Medusa 32-3. Pam Parsel was the winning pitcher on nine hits while Carol White took a second loss on 24 hits.

In other action, County State Bank took two wins. The team defeated the Topsiside 10-4. Jodi Alger was the winning pitcher on nine hits with Teri Wells taking the loss on eight hits.

County State Bank also defeated Medusa 12-6. Jodi Alger was again the winning pitcher on 10 hits with Carol White taking the loss on 17 hits.

McArts Mart captured the township title for the Charlevoix Township Slo-Pitch League Sunday night. McArts came back in an extra game late Sunday night to clinch the title by defeating Chester's Boat Livery 15-11. John Borths was the winning pitcher on eight hits while Greg Revor took the loss on 14 hits.

Jim Kerner had a home run for McArts.

It was a hard fought battle as Chester's came out of the loser's bracket to defeat McArts in an earlier game 8-2. Greg Revor took the win in that game on seven hits and Borths had the loss on 11 hits.

McArts also defeated Murdock's Fudge 17-5. Borths was the winning pitcher on 11 hits while Jack Niswander

CHARLEVOIX SLO-PITCH LEAGUE

Final batting averages +

Player	Team	AB	AVG.
Butch Potter	Fred Taylor, Inc.	51 / 68	.750
Terry Blissett	Kit Carson	42 / 66	.636
Tim Carey	Kit Carson	39 / 82	.828
Bernie DeVries	Kit Carson	36 / 62	.581
Mike Crain	Credit Union	32 / 59	.542
Jack Dunbert	Fred Taylor, Inc.	31 / 62	.500
Krang Lieberman	Kit Carson	31 / 63	.492
Scott Blanchard	Townhouse	30 / 81	.492
Bruce Meglison	Beebe's G-Men	28 / 58	.483
Armen Megregian	Fred Taylor, Inc.	29 / 65	.446

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Final Standings

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Final Standings

Team	W	L
Kit Carson	18	2
Beebe's G-Men	12	6
Townhouse	11	7
Wojan Aluminum	11	7
Erber Auto	8	10
Fred Taylor, Inc.	8	10
Medusa	8	10
Credit Union	7	11
Hospital	7	11
Hawks	3	15

Home Runs

Player	Home Runs
Kit Carson	19
Beebe's G-Men	7
Townhouse	5
Wojan Aluminum	5
Erber Auto	5
Fred Taylor, Inc.	5
Medusa	5
Credit Union	5
Hospital	5
Hawks	5

CHARLEVOIX TOWNSHIP SLO-PITCH LEAGUE

Player	Team	AB	AVG.
Harold Thorne	Tri-County Well Drilling	46 / 78	.590
Mike Bartz	Murdick's Fudge	42 / 79	.532
Robert Russell	V.F.W.	36 / 81	.444
Charles Borths	McArts	35 / 80	.438
Ron Hilton	Chester's Boat Livery	29 / 87	.433
Jim Moore	Murdick's Fudge	37 / 86	.430
Ron Swargo	Chester's Boat Livery	29 / 70	.414
Robert Borths	McArts	33 / 80	.412
Bill Cousineau	Tri-Co. Well Drilling	30 / 78	.384
Mike Koozt	Koozt Construction	25 / 66	.379

Home Runs

Player	Home Runs
Harold Thorne	7
Mike Bartz	7
Robert Russell	5
Charles Borths	5
Ron Hilton	5
Jim Moore	5
Ron Swargo	5
Robert Borths	5
Bill Cousineau	5
Mike Koozt	5

Final Team Standings

Team	W	L
Chester's Boat Livery	19	3
U.S. Coast Guard	13	9
Murdick's Fudge	12	10
U.S. Air Force	12	10
Tri-Co. Well Drilling	9	13
McArts	9	13
V.F.W.	9	13
Koozt Construction	5	17

McArts takes township tourney defeating Chester's Boat Livery

McArts Mart captured the township title for the Charlevoix Township Slo-Pitch League Sunday night. McArts came back in an extra game late Sunday night to clinch the title by defeating Chester's Boat Livery 15-11. John Borths was the winning pitcher on eight hits while Greg Revor took the loss on 14 hits.

Jim Kerner had a home run for McArts.

It was a hard fought battle as Chester's came out of the loser's bracket to defeat McArts in an earlier game 8-2. Greg Revor took the win in that game on seven hits and Borths had the loss on 11 hits.

McArts also defeated Murdock's Fudge 17-5. Borths was the winning pitcher on 11 hits while Jack Niswander

was credited with the loss on 22 hits.

McArts also downed VFW 9-6 with Borths taking the win on 12 hits and Bob Russell taking the loss on 11 hits. Tom Passel had a home run for McArts in that game and Brian Sonnenberg belted out one for VFW.

McArts also grounded the Air Force 6-3. Borths again led his team to victory on five hits while George Datsion took the loss on 13 hits.

Chester's had quite a streak downing VFW 5-4. Bob Russell had the win on 12 hits while Dave Charbeneau took the loss on 11 hits.

The Air Force was also downed by Chester's 12-3. Norm Probert had the win on eight hits and George Datsion took the loss on 14 hits.

Chester's lost its first game in township play to VFW 5-4. Bob Russell had the win on 12 hits while Dave Charbeneau took the loss on 11 hits.

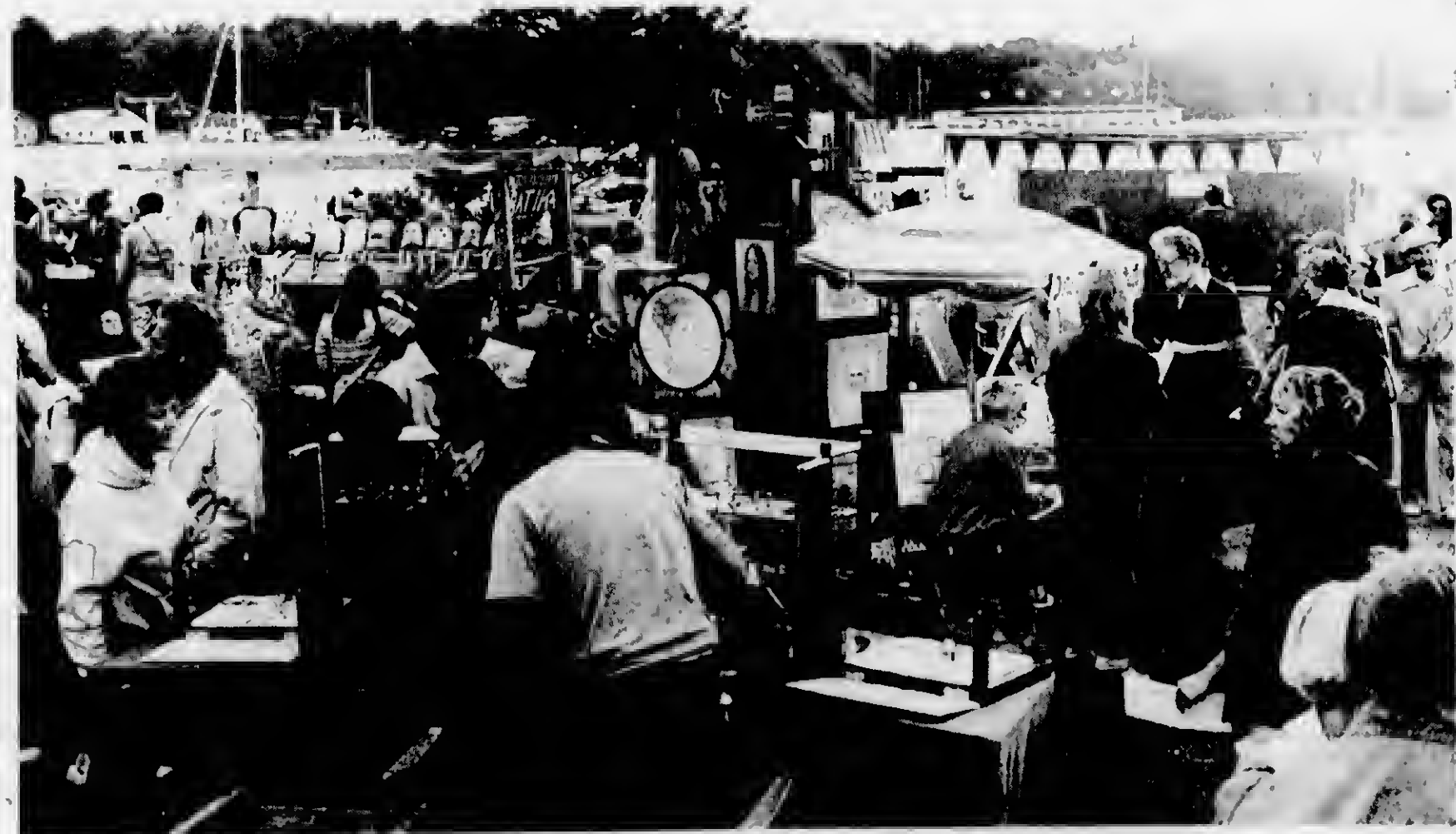
In other township action, Air Force downed Murdock's 11-7. Murdock's defeated Tri-County Well Drilling 16-7 and Koozt took the loss on 11-8.

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Sailboat designer becomes legend in his own time

By PAULA HOLMES

He looks like the legendary old man from the sea. His hair and beard are a sandy color like the sea's beaches and his eyes are the blue color of the ocean waters. His face has been worn smooth by the wind and rain like the driftwood along the seashore.

And Sandy Douglas, designer of three sailboats, the Thistle, the Highlander and the Flying Scot, is a legend in his own right.

Douglas was in Charlevoix last week for the Flying Scot North American Championship races. At 71 years of age he has quit competing on his own and is satisfied just to crew for the races. But that doesn't change anything about the seven time national champion in the eyes of Flying Scot owners.

Flying Scot owners.

to the sailboat designer just to shake his hand or to exchange some thought about the boat he had designed. By all appearances he was a living legend.

"I've been told I'm a legend," he said lightly. "But I don't think that's quite true."

Douglas' career in sailing dates back to his childhood.

"I grew up with sailing," he explained. "My father was an old time sailor. One of the best on the small boats."

"I tried some other things, but then I decided I really belonged in sailing."

He worked for Buick for a while but then the depression came along and he was out of a job. He turned to painting but not very many people were in the market for paintings during the depression, either.

Finally, in 1937, a young boat builder convinced Douglas to go into business with him. Douglas came out with his first boat design, the Thistle, in 1945.

"I'm not a naval architect, but I do have a thorough knowledge of smaller boats," he said explaining his design capabilities.

"And with that you can take the best features of all the boats you know and if you are lucky you get a good boat."

Douglas likened his first boat, the Thistle, to the Corvette of the car family. His second boat, the Highlander, which came out in 1949, is a bit bigger. And his third boat, the Flying Scot is a more general boat for all around and family use.

"It's like the family Buick, if you will," he said with a sheepish shrug of his shoulders.

The Flying Scot's popularity comes from the fact that it is a general use boat that can be easily crewed by a husband and wife team, Douglas believes.

"It's a little slower than the other two boats, but in terms of all around use it is the best one," he said of the Flying Scot.

Scot.

Douglas said it was not unusual for a boat to have an association grow up out of its users. But it's not all that common either.

"It depends on the enthusiasm the boat stirs up if an association develops," he said. "So many boats are puddle jumpers."

"The Flying Scot is the only major class sailboat where the designer is still active with the line," he added proudly.

The Flying Scot is also the only boat that has been selected by two clubs for ownership. Most clubs have members who own their boats independently. But the Detroit River Yacht Association and the Gulf Yachting Association are two groups where the club instead of the members own the boats and these clubs picked the Flying Scot.

Douglas, who participates in barbershop singing when he is not busy with the boat building company or racing, said he doesn't anticipate designing any more boats.

"I don't see any need for another design," he said. "I think each boat filled a gap in the line and is unique."

He's content now to sail his Flying Scot and to see it grow in popularity.



SANDY DOUGLAS, complete with his hat made out of an old piece of sail cloth, was in Charlevoix last week for the Flying Scot North American Championship races on Lake Charlevoix.

To cover increased costs

City raises ambulance rates

Ambulance service is going to cost a little bit more in the townships surrounding the City of Charlevoix.

Common council raised the cost of ambulance services to surrounding townships Monday night.

Council felt that because of the increased cost of operating the ambulance service due to new state and federal regulations, an increase in the charge for services was not out of line.

The new charge for the ambulance was raised from a base rate of \$20 to \$30

plus \$1 per mile traveled round trip.

The basic contract for ambulance services with each township was raised from .8 mills to 1 mill. The city currently has contracts for ambulance service with Charlevoix, Hayes, Marion, Eveline and Norwood townships.

In other action, common council discussed at length its policy on the storage of recreational vehicles in residential neighborhoods. The issue was sent to committee for study.

Council also agreed to extend 1,200 feet of eight inch water line for Hater Industries under Plan A of the utilities ordinance.

Plan A provides that the city will act as a developer and extend the water services across vacant property and recoup the expense later when the property is developed.

Plan B allows a private developer to act in the same capacity as the city.

Council also directed City Administrator Allen Sandberg to prepare specs for bids on two small commercial mowers for cemetery and park purposes.

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Junk Cars

At the corner of Bridge and Hurbut, there are 4 old junk cars for sale. They have no licenses. Why does the city permit this blot on our neighborhood?

The latest on the Yearbooks

The 1976 Charlevoix High School yearbooks will be shipped out the week of Aug. 29 from the offices of Intercollegiate Press, Shawnee Mission, Kan. Vane Smith, high school principal, reports Smith said Phil Collins, Intercollegiate Press representative in Petoskey, said the 1977 yearbooks would be shipped out the week of Sept. 23.

Smith estimated it would take the yearbooks between two and three weeks to arrive in town. He said that the Charlevoix Courier would be advised as to when students could pick up their yearbooks, but he thought that arrangements would be made to have the 1976 yearbooks delivered to students' homes.

Get Rid of Ragweed

Years ago, people came to Charlevoix to get away from the ragweed downstate. Part of the reason we live here is because I couldn't live where the ragweed was. And now I'm getting to the point where I can't walk around town very much because there's a lot of ragweed in full bloom right now. A lot is on city owned property, public buildings, around pools where people move up to it and leave it because it's hard to get to. Some of it is as much as a foot high and in full bloom. I think it would be great if Charlevoix citizens would get rid of it.

Suggestion for Bus Service

This is a suggestion for the Wolverine Stages. I wonder why they don't have the bus stops clearly marked with a permanent sign with the arrivals and departures. Out of a survey of 15 people where I work, no one knows when the bus stops or where. Most people have to have something tangible to look at. The little brochure that's mailed out 4 or 5 months ago, most people do not remember or have lost it. I feel that it would really be helpful for the summer people. This is just a suggestion for the Wolverine Stages. If they want to make money, let's get the bus stops clearly marked.

P.S.

Eric Purthor
"betcha" never thought you'd make the front page!

Committee selects new planner

John F. W. Hess of Marquette appeared before the Charlevoix County Planning Commission Monday evening to fill the job of County Planner, from which Bill Mercer resigned recently.

The screening committee, which selected Hess from among four candidates, consisted of Walter Thorsen, Tom Wieland, Arthur Steinbrecher, and Dennis Jason.

Hess is 32 years old. He was born in Petoskey and raised in the Harbor Springs area and is married and the father of two boys. At present he is Assistant County Planner for Marquette County. A graduate of Northern Michigan University, Hess also worked there as a graduate assistant before joining the Navy for five years.

After confirmation by the Planning Commission, Hess' name will be presented to the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners for approval as County Planner.



John F. W. Hess

North side power failures just a matter of coincidence

It's amazing how dependent this country has become on electricity. Television is electric. Our lighting is electric and we have electric coffee pots, hair dryers and typewriters.

So when the electricity goes out, this country really is left in the dark and even paralyzed.

North side residents in the City of Charlevoix have been left in the dark for an extended period of time three times this summer. And residents of that part of town are beginning to question the capacity of the city's electrical system and to wonder if it needs expanding to serve the north side adequately.

Why is it the north side always seems to be hit whenever there's an electrical blackout in the city?

Those residents are just lucky—or unlucky as the case may be, James Whitley, superintendent of the electrical department, said.

"There's no real reason for it," Whitley said. "This last time there was an outage, a boat must just happened to hit the power lines that transit electricity to the north side."

"And then, of course, we had that elbow that went bad (which resulted in a three-hour outage) and there was that

bad storm that caused the electricity to go off, too."

These things could have happened anywhere in town, City Administrator Allen Sandberg pointed out. It was just coincidental that it happened on the north side each time.

Whitley said the fact that the city has to send power across the Pine River channel to feed the north side has nothing to do with the outages, either.

"We have three connections across the channel," the electric department superintendent explained. "The two at the new bridge are double fed and there is a single fed connection at the railroad bridge."

Whitley said that the city is also considering lowering its connections across the channel at the railroad bridge so that larger freighters can get in to Lake Charlevoix. If the connections are lowered, a double circuit connection will be installed at the railroad bridge at that time.

Many improvements are also being made by the electrical department on the north side this summer. An underground trunkline is being installed from the U.S. Coast Guard Station down Mercer Boulevard to Division-street and then up to Taylor Road.

"The trunkline will pick up all of your industry in that area," Whitley said. "And it will make it so that if there is an outage, we will only lose power to part of the north side."

Burying the trunkline will also eliminate storm damage to the electric lines.

"And in a town like this that is as tree conscious as it is, it will eliminate the need for trimming trees," Sandberg added.

"When you trim trees to prevent them from brushing electric lines, you have to trim three to four feet away," the city administrator explained. "That leaves quite a hole and the men are always getting complaints when they go out to trim the trees."

Sandberg said constructing a second electric substation on the north side was pretty much out of the question.

"In the first place, most of the city's development is on the south side and that's where a substation would be needed," he said. "But at a cost of between \$50,000 and \$80,000 that's a pretty expensive alternative."

The city is studying expanding its capacity at the current substation, however.

County officials expected to return today from tax tribunal hearings

Charlevoix County officials involved in a hearing before the State Tax Tribunal in Lansing were expected to return today following four days of testimony.

A decision in the case is not expected for several weeks, however, a spokesman for the Charlevoix County Equalization Department, said. She pointed out that Emmet County had its hearings before the tax tribunal in June and received a judgement last week.

Melrose Township officials are challenging the township's 1977 evaluation as it was set by the Charlevoix County Board of Com-

missioners based on a recommendation by the equalization department.

The township was one of four units within the county that received a factor on its assessed valuation. The factor was needed to bring the township's assessed valuation up to 50 percent of true value, according to equalization department studies.

Melrose is the only unit appealing the factor.

Harry Griffen, Melrose Township supervisor and assessor, testified Friday presenting 51 appraisals he made of township properties and

charged that the county appraisals were incorrect.

The county was expected to present its case Monday.

The outcome of the appeal could result in one of three things. The county assessed valuation may remain the same, Melrose Township may be increased in its assessed valuation and all other units lowered or Melrose Township could be lowered and all other units increased.

This is the first appeal of county equalization in the 13 years. Joan Blanchard, equalization director, has been with the Charlevoix department.

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Wednesday, Aug. 24
Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at county building annex 7:30 p.m.
Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at hangar tach room 8 p.m.
TOPS will meet at undecroft of Christ Episcopal church 6 p.m. for weigh-in; business meeting 6:30 p.m.
Registration for health screening for Senior Citizens

will be held at the City Hall in Charlevoix; high school in Boyne Falls; Northern Michigan Electric Co-operative bldg. in Boyne City or the Senior Citizens Center in East Jordan 11 a.m. until 4 p.m.
Thursday, Aug. 25
Volunteer coaches and referees for the flag football program sponsored by the Charlevoix Recreation Department are asked to meet

at the Recreation Dept. office at the city hall 7 p.m.
Friday, Aug. 26
Alanna Family Group will meet at the undecroft of Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. for family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2146.
Sunday, Aug. 28
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.

Monday, Aug. 29
Charlevoix County Chapter, Michigan Township Association, will meet at Northern Michigan Electric Co-operative Bldg. Division ave., Boyne City 8 p.m. Robert Brader, Emmet County CETA co-ordinator, will speak on availability of CETA funds for township projects.
Kappa Sigma chapter, Beta Sigma Phi sorority, beginning day luncheon, Weathersvane Inn, 12 noon.

Tuesday, Aug. 30
St. Mary's Board of Education will meet at school hall 8:00 p.m.
Men's Prayer meeting 7 a.m. Community Church of God.
Xi Epsilon Gamma chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will meet at the Weathersvane Inn at 12 noon for Beginning Day luncheon.

Wednesday, Aug. 31
Charlevoix Humane Society will meet at the East Jordan Library 7:30 p.m.
TOPS will meet at undecroft of Christ Episcopal church for weigh-in 6 p.m.; business meeting 6:30 p.m.

Sheriff's department to offer security checks for residents

A special security check service is now being offered to homeowners in the county by the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department.

The new service will provide security checks on homes or cottages while the owners are

absent, Sheriff George Lasater explained. Deputies will check residences on a regular basis and if necessary notify the owner of any problems that are found.

The service is available to summer residents, year around residents who are gone for the winter and to people on vacation, Sheriff Lasater said.

People interested in having the security checks should go to the sheriff's department offices in Charlevoix or the Boyne Falls substation and fill out a form giving a detailed map as to the location of the residence they want checked.

They should also provide the sheriff with a self-addressed and stamped envelope for each month they will be gone. The deputies will send notices in the mail of the number of times the residence has been checked and the status of the home.

A sticker will be given to the residents at a later date to be placed on the door of each home to indicate that it is being checked by the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department.

Lasater cautioned that the security check service is not intended to replace the private security patrol. He said the department is attempting to give additional coverage.



Warren Parker, executive director of the Walloon Lake Association; George Lasater, Charlevoix County sheriff; James Kurtz, incoming president of the lake association; and Peter Rentschler, outgoing president of the lake association; examine a new resuscitator donated to the sheriff's department by the Walloon Association. The group gave the department two resuscitators, a CB radio and a decibel meter to aid in its work.

Walloon Lake Association donates equipment to sheriff

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department is a little bit better equipped thanks to the Walloon Lake Association.

A donation of two resuscitators, a CB radio and a decibel meter was recently made by the Walloon Lake Association to the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department.

The donation of the equipment was made by the lake association in response to a need expressed by Sheriff George Lasater at a recent association meeting. Lasater is attempting to equip the sheriff's department so that it is able not only to enforce the law but can also help people during emergencies and with other problems.

"This contribution from the

Walloon Lake Association is rewarding to me as sheriff," Lasater said. "It is gratifying when citizens take enough pride in their local law enforcement agencies to assist them in purchasing equipment that will help us to provide the citizens of Charlevoix County with additional service."

"With this contribution of two resuscitators we can give life saving aid to the citizens of our county. I want the citizens of Charlevoix County to look at our department as an agency that enforces the law, but also is there to help them when it is needed."

The resuscitators will be assigned to the marine unit on Walloon Lake and to the

sheriff's department substation patrol vehicle. The CB radio will also be assigned to the marine unit on Walloon Lake.

The decibel meter will be used throughout the county. Lasater said he hopes other area associations will be interested in purchasing two more resuscitators so that one can be placed in the marine patrol unit on Lake Charlevoix and one can be placed in the patrol unit assigned to the sheriff's office in Charlevoix.

The Walloon Lake Association is also planning to work with Emmet County Sheriff Richard Zink in donating equipment needed by his department.

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Spiritualism alive and well



Elsie Beesley

'I have a message for you...'

By PAULA HOLMES

"I have a message for the young girl in the plaid jacket in the back," the medium said toward the end of the Spiritualist Church service one Sunday morning.

I stiffened. Being a visitor to the church and a cynic to boot, I had not expected to receive a message myself, especially not one from the guest medium Lillian Gleiser. Besides it was broad daylight.

"Whatever concerns you are having over your job will be resolved within the next two weeks," she said.

"I feel that you will be going away to do this?" she asked. I shook my head no.

By PAULA HOLMES

"One time a visitor came to one of our services who thought she would see ghosts flying around the room," the woman said a smile softly forming on her gentle face and a twinkling appearing in her eyes.

"When she told me after the service that she had been surprised because she didn't see any ghosts, I told her that I would like to see those ghosts just once. But I never have," Elsie Beesley, pastor of the Northern Lake Michigan Spiritualist Camp, said laughing.

Rev. Beesley is responsible for looking after the 65-

member congregation that makes up the spiritualist camp, nestled in the woods on old U.S. 31, and for answering the questions of the curious who stop at her home to find out what spiritualism is all about.

She explained that spiritualism is not a hocus-focus at all, but a serious religion where followers believe they can receive guidance from the spirit world.

"We believe that after the chance called death, the spirit can return to us and help us," the minister explained. "We believe the spirit is the same mentally as it was when it was here."

"There are lots of spirits around us, there's no separation. We believe that you're just the same mentally and spiritually after you pass to the other side."

The spirits reach out to their loved ones through mediums such as Rev. Beesley. Other times the messages come to the people themselves in the form of strong feelings to do or not to do something.

"Some people are just natural and they begin receiving messages without any training at all," Rev. Beesley explained. "Others learn to meditate and concentrate so that they can receive messages."

"Still others get the messages and don't know it," Rev. Beesley learned about spiritualism from her parents when she was a young girl growing up in England. Her mother was a medium and her father was a spiritual healer.

As a young girl, Rev. Beesley would sit in on seances with her family in order to learn the meditation and concentration required to receive messages. She also went with her parents when they would expell ghosts from houses.

"My mother would find out what had happened to the person and after they had told their story they would be free and would leave the house," she explained. "The only reason they stayed around the house was that they wanted people to know what happened to them."

In addition to her training as a child, Rev. Beesley has also passed the state and national spiritualism board tests for the levels of mediumship, license and minister and is a member of the National Spiritualist Association of Churches.

She was pastor at the Royal Oak Church for 44 years.

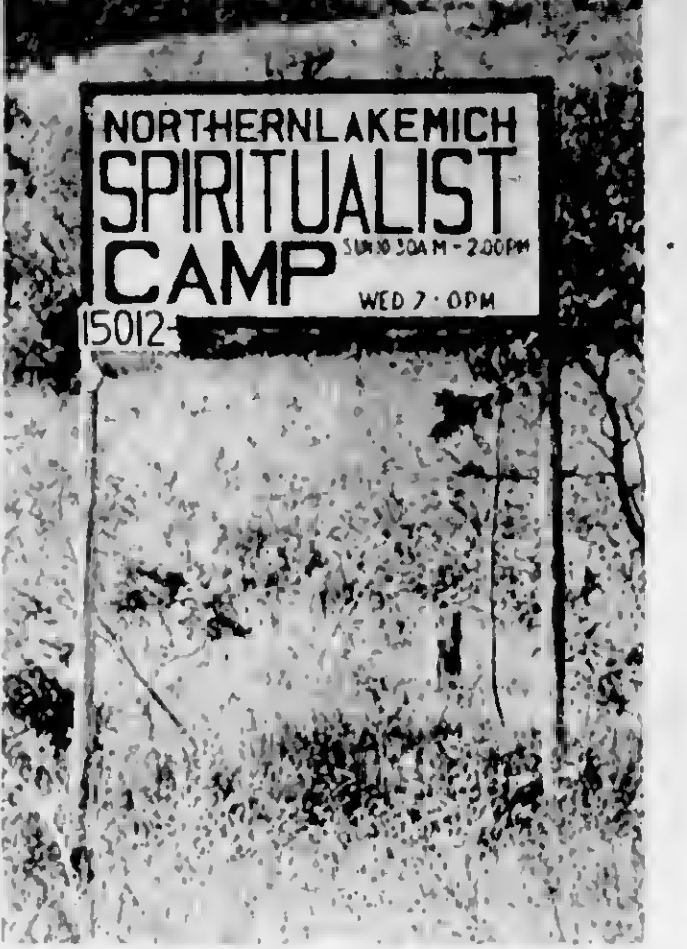
Rev. Beesley's husband, Edward, learned about spiritualism through study and his wife.

"I was raised Episcopalian," Beesley explained. "But after I met my wife I would find myself at seances hearing things that only I knew. And I would wonder how she would know or where she could get it from. There's no kidding about it. It's real," he said.

Rev. Beesley uses her powers to counsel people and to help them get back on the right track. And she gives readings not only to spiritualists but to people from many other religions, too.

"I have a lot of Catholic and Jewish friends that come over for readings even though they aren't spiritualists," she said smiling faintly. "Many years ago they used to come to the back door, look around for a while and then come in quickly."

"I don't predict or give names," she added. "I just try to help them with their troubles."



THIS SIGN IS ALL that can be seen of the Northern Lake Michigan Spiritualist Camp from U.S. 31

City slates hearing Aug. 31 on airport master plan ideas

A second public hearing on the Charlevoix Municipal Airport Master Plan will be held at 8 p.m. Aug. 31 in the Community Room of Charlevoix City Hall.

Airport users and interested members of the public are invited to attend the meeting to discuss the first portion of the airport study, which deals with the evaluation of conditions at the municipal airport, the traffic and the kinds of improvements that are needed at the city-owned facility.

Alvin Ranger, the engineer working on the study for the city, will attend the meeting and the city has also invited representatives of the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) and the Michigan

Aeronautics Commission, (MAC) according to City Administrator Allen Sandberg.

Sandberg said city officials hope that the FAA and MAC officials will be able to indicate how state and federal sources might participate in funding the improvements at the airport. The officials are also expected to explain their position on the operation of the city airport.

In the first portion of the study, Ranger made many suggestions for improvements at the airport. He pointed out that in his analysis of the use of the airport some of the facilities are not adequate to meet current demand levels and will not meet future demands by airport users.

Ranger reported that 29,000 landings and takeoffs are expected to take place at the airport during 1977 and in 10 years that number is expected to increase to 53,000. By 1997, the number of landings and takeoffs at the Charlevoix airport is expected to reach 71,000.

To meet this demand, the engineer recommended the construction of a crosswind runway, additional hangar space, expanded automobile parking and expanded aircraft parking.

He also recommended the installation of new navigational aids such as a VOR (Visual Omni Range). The study also recommended that the category the Charlevoix airport is

classified in be changed from general utility to basic transport.

A general utility airport is designed to accommodate all propeller driven airplanes of less than 12,500 pounds with substantial usage by aircraft having a gross weight of over 8,000 pounds. The general utility airport and its runways are intended to accommodate aircraft such as the Piper Navajo, the Beech King Air and the Cessna 440 series.

The basic transport airport is designed to handle turbojet aircraft up to 60,000 pounds gross weight. The basic transport airport and its runways are intended for use by executive jet aircraft such as the Grumman Gulfstream II and the Lear Jet series.

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Boyne City church receives grant from Kresge Foundation

A \$25,000 grant has been awarded by The Kresge Foundation of Troy, Michigan to the local Seventh-day Adventist Church to help rebuild its Community Service Center on North Park Street, Boyne City.

The center, which for years has been the only emergency relief agency of its kind in Charlevoix County, was destroyed by fire on April 26, 1975. Since then the Center's volunteers have been doing their best to serve the needs of the community by working out of garages.

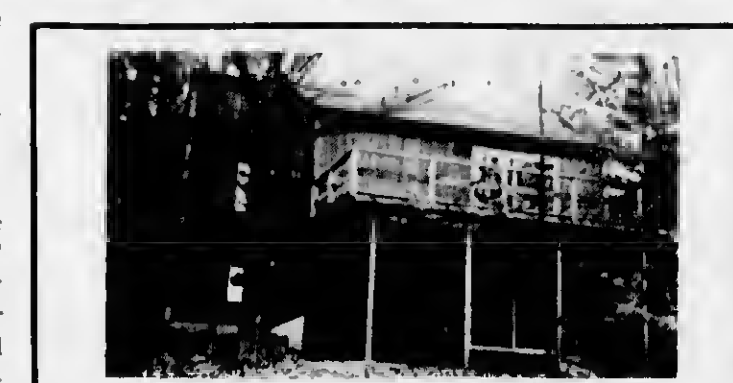
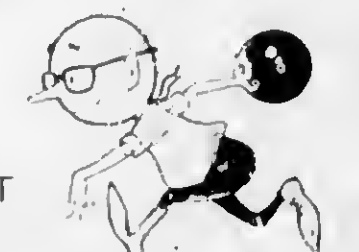
During the past 34 years, The Kresge Foundation has made appropriations of more than \$283 million to institutions in the fields of higher education, health services, the arts, social welfare, and the care of the young and the aging. Construction and major renovation of facilities is the Foundation's primary concern, and grants are usually made on a challenge basis to encourage further fundraising efforts.

The Foundation, one of the largest in the United States in size of assets and appropriations, was created solely through the gifts of the late Sebastian S. Kresge, founder of the S.S. Kresge Company, now known as K-Mart Corporation. However, the Company and the Foundation are not related in any way.

Boyne City Adventist have started construction of the 30' x 67' building with December as the target date for completion. The projected value of the building, furnishings, equipment and supplies is \$52,000. The local Adventist Church is making up the difference between the grant from Kresge and its completed cost. The \$25,000 will be received from the Foundation around the middle of October.

Volunteer labor will be used in construction of the building and should the cost of the building come under the projected figures "we will cheerfully refund any funds received from the Foundation which remain unused," Pat Sherwood, community service director, said.

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Charlevoix Yesterday

THIS IS how Round Lake and Charlevoix Harbor looked in the 1880's. Lake Charlevoix (then Pine Lake) looms in the background. Some of the homes on the Belvedere Club grounds can be seen in the upper right. (Photo courtesy of Charlevoix Historical Society)

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Editorials/Opinions

Mass transit system important to future of Charlevoix and should be used now

"Cancelled due to lack of interest" seems to be a common phrase these days.

After the activist '60s and early '70s, the attitude in the country seems to be one of apathy. And it's apathy toward everything—politics, economics and society. And Charlevoix County residents are just as apathetic as anyone else in the nation.

The latest casualty to apathy appears to be the intercity bus system. Wolverine Stages, a Pellston-based firm that has been serving Charlevoix through a state program for just a little more than a year. State transportation authorities announced last week that unless Charlevoix area residents show more interest in the bus system, the service will be discontinued.

The state has already invested more than \$60,000 in trying to make the run between Charlevoix, Petoskey, Charlevoix and Mackinaw City become self-supporting, but Charlevoix residents just don't appear to be interested in riding the bus.

Granted, it is easy to be apathetic over a bus service, especially one that hasn't been properly promoted or advertised, but the point is, the day is coming—and it's coming soon—when mass transit and bus services will be very important in the lives of Americans.

Even today our representatives in the U.S. Congress are discussing an energy program with gasoline taxes that could raise the cost of a gallon of gasoline to \$1. Yet, Charlevoix residents seem to be unconcerned about the pending energy situation and oblivious to the fact that this country is going to have to cut back its consumption of oil and oil derivatives.

It will be much easier for us to face the crunch when it comes if we already have a mass transportation system in operation. That's the beauty of the current intercity bus system. It's in operation now. Northern Michigan is thinking ahead for a change.

But we will lose the advantage of all this planning and foresight if we don't support the system now and help it get off the ground and stay off the ground so that when we need it, it will be here.

The state transportation officials say that all they need are ten people riding the bus daily. The officials suggest that people planning trips into Petoskey or other neighboring towns, should take every tenth trip by bus. This way we will save one-tenth of the fuel we are consuming and we will be able to support the bus system, too.

It doesn't seem like too crazy an idea and it wouldn't harm us to be prepared for the future, too.



Clockwise

by Bob Clock

The Clocks returned to Canada for the first time in five years last week. We are happy to report that Canadians generally seem to be a prosperous lot, although they are beset by many of the same problems that afflict Americans. Take inflation, for example. Up until fairly recent times, prices of foodstuffs, clothing and building materials in Canada were generally well below those in the states, although you would pay dearly for such large items as automobiles, television sets and refrigerators.

Today, all Canadian prices are out of sight—except for beef. That one commodity sells for about what it does on the American market, which, goodness knows, isn't cheap but is at least affordable. Other foodstuffs will cost anywhere from 10 percent to 30 percent more. Soda crackers, a staple of both American and Canadian diets, still can be purchased for 49 cents a pound on this side of the border. One local store this weekend had a special at 25 cents a pound. Across the border, prices ranged from 79 to 82 cents a pound.

All of which makes me wonder if there isn't a little hanky-panky in Canada's soda cracker industry. If Americans can make and sell crackers for 49 cents a pound, Canadians should be able to match up penny for penny, particularly since the principle ingredient—wheat flour—is produced in such quantities in Canada. Good mayonnaise costs about twice as much in Canada as it does in the United States. There is less difference in inferior brands. The real shocker is bathroom tissue which costs more than 30 cents a roll in Canadian stores. Remember, Canada is a major world supplier of pulp wood from which the stuff is made.

WHAT DO CANADIANS worry

about? The threatened separation of Quebec Province appears to be a major concern. Some say the French-speaking province will never break away. Others say, "Let her go." Folks in Ontario agree that residents of their sister province to the east will have a tough time competing effectively with her highly industrialized neighbors, if separation does come about.

In any event, things are Frenchier in Ontario than ever before—which perhaps may be a move to appease Quebec Prime Minister Rene Levesque. French is being given equal space on the labels of national brand products and is not just squeezed down in one corner. Some road signs and business signs are in both French and English, particularly north of Georgian Bay.

However, we found a virtual boycott against French on the streets of southern Ontario.

PRIME MINISTER Pierre Trudeau, who was left to bring up the kids alone after Margaret split to do her own thing, has become something of a national hero. He is generally considered invincible, since his capture of the inebriated wife. Former Conservative PM John Diefenbacher, however, still has a wide following in the hinterlands.

CANADIAN GRAFTITI: Pierre Trudeau is a CIA plant.

THE MORNING we left Canada, we were reminded from whence comes all of northern Michigan's vile weather. We had bedded down for the night at the mill town of Espanola north of Georgian Bay after a day-long drive through heavy rain. Saturday morning, Aug. 20, we awoke to find the car encrusted with ice.

It's nice to be back...



Paula Holmes... Speaking Her Mind

It's amazing what you can do for yourself if you just give it a try. In recent years I have become an advocate of being self-sufficient. My constant struggle for independence stems from a New Years resolution I made one year in a fit of insanity.

Becoming self-sufficient would help to improve my mental and physical health, I rationalized that cold winter night. And self-sufficiency was bound to be rewarding as I conquered each problem I faced through my own efforts, I argued further.

So for those of you who saw me hanging over the end of a Volkswagen station wagon last weekend, rest assured I have not lost my mind. I was just attempting to help a friend be self-sufficient, too.

Her ear needed a tune-up. She had the tools to do the job and a manual describing how to do it. All I had to do, she said, was read the instructions to her and she would do all the dirty work.

Being a graduate of a powder puff mechanics class, which was offered by the Volkswagen dealership in Lansing, I felt I probably could be of some help, although since graduating from the class I had never done anything more than change the oil in my own car. So we proceeded. First we changed

the points. By me I mean my friend changed the points and I read the directions and supervised. The next day—we didn't want to rush into anything—we adjusted the valves and fixed the timing, all according to the book I actually got into the work myself, changing the gaskets.

Having never handled a gasket before, I was surprised to find out what it was and how easily it can be changed. I thought I probably even looked like a real grease monkey as I checked out my hands and fingernails following my work on the gasket.

Then the moment of truth came. We had finished the tune up. Every part that we had removed was back in place, and by the way, in the same place we had taken it from. My friend walked around to the front of the car and got in the driver's seat.

I held my breath as I watched her turn the ignition key and waited for the roar of a finely tuned motor.

At first it didn't start right up. And when it finally did get going it wasn't the smoothest sound in the world. But finally we were both satisfied that the engine did indeed sound like it was running better.

Self-sufficiency or no, it was quite a relief.



Erma Bombeck

When plump, apple-cheeked grandmothers were passed out (who insisted on babysitting while you were still carrying the child), my mother was not getting an unlisted phone.

Don't get me wrong. She loves her grandchildren. As she puts it, "I also love Smokey the Bear and Harry Reasoner, but I wouldn't want to sit with them on a regular basis."

She considers a grandchild a special bonus for having outlived her own children. "When you're a sitting duck," she declares, "you lose your role as a grandparent. Of course," she said, "if you get desperate you can call me at this number at a candy store. They know where to reach me."

I called the number last week. "Mom, I haven't had a vacation away from the kids since my honeymoon."

"What kind of crack is that?" she asked. "I told you I was desperate. Do you suppose you could sit with the kids for a few days?"

"They hurt me the last time," she said.

"That's my fault," I replied. "I should have told you that when you stand the baby up on your lap, he pushes his head against your chin and cuts your tongue in half. Besides the kids are teenagers now. It'll be easier."

"Then what?" she asked. "The problems of teenagers are overdramatized," I told mother. "Actually, there is nothing to sitting with them."

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If it Fitz

by Jim Fitzgerald

Upon the occasion of my most recent birthday, my son Ned presented me with a bottle of vitamin pills and a bottle of gin. "For your health and happiness," he explained. The kid is only half bad.

The most touching birthday gift came from my baby sister, Linda. It was my old address screwed into a jagged hunk of wood. The wood was rescued from the pile of rubble that used to be my boyhood home at 1020 Pine Grove Ave. in Port Huron.

Lately I have done much sobbing, because 1020 is being replaced by a parking lot.

Along with the sobbing came some vivid reminiscing about what pains in the butt my four sisters were to their only brother.

Linda thought if I had the 1020 address to hang on my apartment wall, maybe I would shut my big mouth. Probably not.

From my biggest and oldest sister, Terrible Jean, there was a mere birthday card.

She included a note saying I had finally written something with which she agreed - my explanation of Billy Carter's popularity.

I told Billy draws crowds to carnivals because he is such a tremendous

comfort to all otherwise respectable families that must put up with an idiot brother.

If it can happen to the president of the United States, it can happen to anybody. "It happened to our family," Terrible Jean said.

Several readers have questioned the truth of my contention that Terrible Jean has always abused me terribly. If the above paragraph is not evidence enough, hear this:

The birthday card she sent me was one she received herself 4 years ago. She pasted a strip of paper over the message written to her, so she would have room to call me an idiot.

"Excuse the patch job," she wrote in a postscript, "but you are not worth 40 cents." I swear to God I do not make these things up.

The most frequent complaint I hear about the Renaissance Center is that there's no place to park. I spent several days investigating this problem, on the scene, and I have a solution.

Across the street from the center there is a large parking lot that is mostly empty. Several signs say only lawyers can park there.

Just a few steps down the street is the University of Detroit Law School. The

quickest way to find a parking place at the Renaissance Center is to enroll at U-D and earn a law degree to be validated at the lawyers' parking lot.

At Whiting Auditorium in Flint, you can get a lopsided pain in the neck. In the several balconies that line both sides of the theater, the seats face straight ahead. If you sit in a normal posture, the only thing you can see is the people in the balcony on the other side, staring back at you. To see the stage, you must turn your head permanently in that direction. "Now I know how it feels to watch ball tennis match," the man beside me said.

"I shouldn't complain about Disney World, says Art McCafferty of Ypsilanti. He claims he was at an amusement park "so bad the spook house consisted of a blindfolded walk through their Fortia John."

"Chorus Line" is not the most exciting musical I've seen in Detroit in the last few years. "Selma" is. That's Tommy Butler's spirit salute to the foot stomping and the message are all marvelous. "Selma" would make a great TV special, if TV producers only had that much sense.

My wife and I caught "Selma" at the

Music Hall toward the end of its run. Pat noted that ours were the only white faces in the audience. After the show we went to the Soup Kitchen for jazz, and Pat noted we were the only people there with gray hair. "Everywhere you take me," she said, "we are usually the oldest people or the whitest people in the place."

"Why is that?" I told her it's because I have spring in my heart and watermelon in my soul.

My recent column on the Bible brought me more and more quotations from that good book. Probably the most succinct was Proverbs 18: "A fool's mind is his destruction, and his lips are the snarl of his soul." At least it doesn't say anything about my typewriter.

Mercer Ellington and the Duke's orchestra gave a fine concert at the Pontchartrain. After the show, Ellington joined the crowd downstairs around Ernie Swan's piano.

When Ernie congratulated Ellington on his concert, Ellington replied: "I have spring in my heart and watermelon in my soul."

I don't report this exchange of praise to make Ernie feel good. I do it to prove to my wife that part of my job is sitting around piano bars.

Meet Charlevoix

... Gordon Van Wieren

Gordon Van Wieren is the new Superintendent of Charlevoix schools. This week, as the date for school opening approaches, the Courier talks with him about his job this time of year.

COURIER: What are some of the things that must be done to start another year of school?

VAN WIEN: First, we must make sure we have the personnel to fill all positions and to carry on all programs. This includes all areas - bus drivers, custodians, cooks, secretaries, and teachers.

COURIER: Do you have problems filling the teaching positions?

VAN WIEN: No, we don't have the problem now that we did several years ago. There are many well qualified people looking for teaching jobs.

COURIER: What about the facilities?

VAN WIEN: We're making sure they are ready from a custodial aspect. We have to be sure there are enough rooms available. We've moved our offices out of the portable at the high school

to make one more class room. COURIER: What about the work on the middle school building?

VAN WIEN: We're in the process of replacing the windows and improving the playground. These improvements are being made as the result of the request for millage passing a few months ago.

COURIER: What else is going on?

VAN WIEN: Negotiations are in process with the non-teaching personnel. Their contract expired August 12 and we're not sure about State's Aid. However, that will probably be the same as last year. All in all, we're trying to tie things down so we can get a fixed budget.

COURIER: Anything else?

VAN WIEN: We're working on the bus routes to determine that all the children are taken care of. There's a

request to exchange some property with the Ellsworth School District - we've had many meetings on that. We're registering all new students at all grade levels. The principals and secretaries take care of that. At the high school, we're busy getting transcripts to colleges and recommending graduates for jobs. We're ordering and distributing supplies.

COURIER: Will the school population be about the same this year?

VAN WIEN: About the same, yes, and the faculty will be the same size.

COURIER: Will there be anything new in the teaching program?

VAN WIEN: No. The only exception will be at the middle school if funds are available after the millage vote. In that case we will implement a new reading program. It is a different approach to helping kids with reading difficulties.

COURIER: Do you have any special words for parents at the beginning of the school year?

VAN WIEN: Yes.

Parents of high schoolers look with them about their objectives - what they want to do after graduation. They should help them make decisions. If parents have questions about college or job requirements, they should contact the school counselors. At the high school level, it is important that students and parents know whether the education is to be technical or college preparatory. At any level, it is important that parents take an interest in school, ask questions of teachers. They should take a few minutes to see what is expected in various subject areas and encourage students. As educators, we like to see all students succeed and keep them motivated, but if parents don't take an interest, the job is difficult.

COURIER: Have you set the school calendar for the year?

VAN WIEN: It has to be negotiated with the teachers so it can't be ratified until they all get back. However, the teachers will report to work on September 6 and the first day of school for students will be September 7. The last day of school will be June 9. The tentative calendar also calls for a Thanksgiving holiday on November 24 and 25, a Christmas vacation from December 22 to January 3, and a spring vacation from noon of March 24 to April 3.

COURIER: How many years have you served as a superintendent of schools?

VAN WIEN: I'm beginning my 14th year. I served seven years in Marquette, three years in Indian River, and three years in Michigan State.

COURIER: Do you live right in Charlevoix?

VAN WIEN: Yes, we live on Pa-ba-Shan Lane.

COURIER: Tell us about your family.

VAN WIEN: My wife, Jean, is a former reading teacher from the Battle Creek school system. Now she's a housewife. Our oldest daughter, Vicki, graduated from Michigan State in Hotel and Restaurant Management. She's going to work for Sky Chef, the airlines catering service, and will probably be stationed at Kennedy Airport.

Our son, Gordon, Jr., is in the Lyman Briggs College of Math and Science at Michigan State



Gordon Van Wieren

VAN WIEN: I'm beginning my 14th year. I served seven years in Marquette, three years in Indian River, and three years in Michigan State.

COURIER: Do you live right in Charlevoix?

VAN WIEN: Yes, we live on Pa-ba-Shan Lane.

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Noncertified staff working to get ready for school

By FRANK MARTIN

With the opening of the Charlevoix Public Schools for the 1977-78 school year, a full staff of non-certified personnel will be returning for the school year.

The custodial staff has been hard at work during the summer months preparing for the opening of school. Other full-time employees have been at the central office which has been moved to a new location at 208 Clinton St.

Heading the personnel list are Geraldine Brady, school nurse, and Patricia Sherman, who is in charge of the Title I preschool program.

At the Charlevoix Public Library which is operated by the school, Mary Beth Wallack is librarian; Eleanor Rutigan, aide, and Lois Williams, custodian.

Office personnel includes the secretaries, Lillian Carr, Central office; Joane Grubbs, high school; Virginia Woods, middle school; and Marjorie Coleman, elementary school; Judy director of Building and Boss, bookkeeper, Central

Cafeteria Staff: Verna Swanson, head cook, elementary school, Elizabeth Meadows, cook high school, Josephine Bergmann, Martha Herbolzheimer, Beverly Ross, Ellen Nunemaker, Martha Resch, Gladys Schuch, Sandy Smith, Sandra Thernun.

Maintenance and custodial staff: Douglas Kuebler, director of Building and Boss, bookkeeper, Central

Office: Megan Adams and Janice Raacke, clerk/typist. Jean Loper, high school study hall supervisor; Maxine Bergmann, Patricia Loper, Marie Webb, Judy Zedinek, library aides; Barbara Gallagher, Cara Hochhalter, Barbara Miller, learning center aides; Joan Carson, Margaret Drost, Patricia Drost, Jan Gibbs, noon hour aides; David Anderson, high school building trades; Robert Smith, high school auto mechanics, vocational aides; Beverly Anderson, Anne Pledler, Jeanette Howard, Donna Paul, Betsy Reynolds, Arla Staablin, Evelyn Nirol, teacher aides.

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This beautifully landscaped property has a variety of trees, lapped, pear, a grape arbor and garden area. The plush thick green carpet is tested by an underground sprinkling system, supplied from the lake. This acre (more or less) is situated with panoramic views of Lake Charlevoix and the unique historic fronton Ferry.



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City gets more CETA funds

The City of Charlevoix will allow the city to complete several projects. One project is replacing the poles at the Mt. McSaubia ski hill. The city owns some poles that are standing in the Belleaire area left over from when the city operated a hydroelectric plant. These poles will be removed and used at the ski hill.

There are several other projects that need to be completed at Mt. McSaubia including the clearing of an

area for an ice skating rink.

CETA employees will also assist city crews in the lowering of water services so that they won't freeze up in cold weather and the burying of electric cables.

The extra employees will also be used to paint the interior and exteriors of city buildings as well as to complete work on the Lake Michigan Beach park area.

Business booming at Round Lake basin



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By PAULA HOLMES

Business has been booming in the Round Lake Yacht Basin this summer.

Since May 1, 750 boats have been docked in the 31 boat slips operated by the City of Charlevoix, Curly Hartzell, dockmaster, said.

"And add to that at least another 100 boats that we've had rafted out in the harbor area," Hartzell said. "All together that makes for a better than average number of boats in the harbor this summer."

"All the slips have been filled since June 1," Hartzell, who with his wife Kay has managed the harbor for three years, said the busiest times for the yacht basin have been the July 4th, Venetian Festival and Waterfront Art Show

weekends.

"On Venetian Nights we had boats all over the place," Hartzell said. "We had them rafted here and there and crossways throughout the harbor."

Hartzell said for every one boat he has docked this summer he has had to turn five boats away.

"I'd really like to see them expand the dock area," he said. "The city could build a pier from the alley on Mason Street out into Round Lake and provide more space for boats. It would be like the pier in Potosky or Harbor Springs."

"You know this harbor is a big boost to the businesses in Charlevoix. The boats spend a lot of money in town and they are a big tourist attraction, too. A lot of tourists

come down to look at the boats."

Hartzell said the boats have come from California, Maryland and Florida, the Bahamas and other far reaches of the world. One sailboat pulled into the protected harbor after a 15-month cruise to India.

It was a 65-foot sailboat," Hartzell said. "They were on their way back to Chicago. They had sailed up the east coast and in through the St. Lawrence Seaway."

The largest boat that has been in the harbor on anchor this summer was a 120-foot cabin cruiser, which Hartzell estimated cost around \$2.3 million. The largest boat in the dock was a 73-foot cabin cruiser.

Hartzell said the boats in the slips start at about 18 feet in length and go on up to 100 footers. He estimated the cost of the boats in the harbor this summer ranged from \$15,000 to \$350,000.

The Hartzells put in long hours at their job. They start work at about 6:30 a.m. and go home around 8 p.m., but they say they love it.

"We've met the nicest people here," Mrs. Hartzell said. "And we get nothing but compliments about the shops, scenery and the protected harbor here in Charlevoix."

And there have been plenty of compliments for the harbormaster and his wife, too.

"Nobody knows what they do except the boaters," one boater said as she stopped to chat with the Hartzells during their interview with the Courier. "We've never had a

harbormaster like Curly. He's really great and so is Kay."

The couple said they have had plenty of experiences as they have run the docks but they wouldn't elaborate on very many of them.

"I'd love to write a book about some of the things that have happened down here," Mrs. Hartzell laughed. "But it would never get published."

Hartzell did come up with one story, however, about three little girls.

"Their dad had been in here three times seeing if he could get a slip," Hartzell recalled. "Finally we found a place for them to dock and the next morning we got these letters from the three girls."

"They were so grateful to be able to get off the boat that they wrote us a thank you note. It was addressed to Mr. and Mrs. Dockmaster and it told how they appreciated being allowed to get out and play in the grass."

Mrs. Hartzell said the couple corresponded with many of the people they met at the boat slips.

"We got a lot of Christmas cards from the boaters," she said. "And many of them stop in and see us in Florida in the winter."

The Hartzells will continue to take care of the dock until October 1 and then they will head for the southern climes, where Hartzell runs a shrimp boat during the winter months.



CURLY HARTZELL, dockmaster for the Round Lake Yacht Basin, examines the ropes for one of the yachts docked in the city slips. Checking the boats is one of Curly's many duties at the dock which has housed around 750 boats so far this summer.

Rumor unites area people in protest of old petition

Rumors are powerful things.

Last week Debbie Bellinger heard that Madelyn Murray O'Hare, well-known president of an atheist organization in this country, had petitioned the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) to have all religious programs removed from television and radio.

"I thought that was just terrible," Ms. Bellinger said. "You know if they took religious programs off of TV and radio that would mean all of our Christmas and Easter specials, too."

Before she knew it she had lined up 100 local people who

were willing to send letters to the FCC protesting any removal of religious programs from the airwaves.

Then she called the Charlevoix Courier to find out what the staff had heard about the O'Hare petition. The Courier staff checked with the Consumer Information Division of the FCC in Washington D.C. and found out that Mrs. O'Hare had indeed filed a petition, but the request had been denied in 1975 by the FCC.

"We were just concerned," she said. "You know no one thought she could get prayer taken out of the schools and so no one did anything about it."

"But we weren't going to stand by and not do anything this time."

The new approach uses television and radio supported by outdoor posters and billboards and newspaper advertising appeals to people to wear safety belts because "Somebody Needs You," and then added facts showing the lives and injuries that would be saved if everybody wore

the belts now in their cars.

"The program has clearly demonstrated that a well conceived campaign using the right messages supported by facts and effective communications techniques can indeed persuade people to wear safety belts despite the odds to the contrary and the failures of past campaigns," Robert O. Sorsson, spokesman for Motorists Information Inc., said.

"We've had at least three calls a day since the petition was first filed in 1975. But it has been denied now."

And that was good news to Ms. Bellinger.

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The research report connected with the initial "Somebody Needs You" campaign showed that people who said they were safety belts "always" or "most of the time" increased from 29 percent to 41 percent with a corresponding decrease in the number who said they never wore their safety belts from 42 to 37 percent.

Replicates to other survey questions reflecting attitudinal changes were similarly encouraging and consistent, Sorsson said.

Children get chance to meet bus Sept. 6

Stepping into the big yellow school bus for the first time is one of life's major events. In fact, it can be a traumatic experience for both the child and the mother.

That is why the Charlevoix School District has arranged for bus drivers to make the rounds with the big yellow buses in order to acquaint the prospective kindergarten students and their parents with the drivers and the buses. The visits will be made to the homes the morning of Tuesday, Sept. 6, the day before school opens for the 1977-78 school year. Supt. Gordon W. VanWieren has announced. Parents are urged to be available along with the children at that time. VanWieren went on to say that the first few days of school can be extremely important in determining how a child will adjust to the school environment. This program is intended to make the "first step" a little easier.

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Pollution increases summer heat

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Prominent in that "more" is something described in an Orellian terms as "enrichment" of the atmosphere, more commonly known as pollution. Other ingredients include the greenhouse effect and a few dozen other islands, with perhaps a sprinkling of sunspots stirred in.

Mixed slowly and allowed to stand, this recipe has produced those shimmering streaks of stagnant air that causes temperatures to climb

and spirals to sag as the United States struggles through the hottest summer of the decade.

Discomfort Magnified

What starts as a normally warm summer day can become searing under the influence of the "greenhouse effect."

Massive use of fossil fuels such as coal and oil increases the level of carbon dioxide and other contaminants in the air until these pollutants form a floating blanket, trapping much of the heat that otherwise would escape into space.

"Heat islands" are urban areas where the combined

heat from houses, factories, and motor vehicles emissions make the air warmer than in the surrounding countryside.

Temperatures can vary as much as 20 degrees between a city's business center and its residential suburbs. Throngs of people in the commercial district, along with heavy automotive traffic and the solar energy reflected from buildings and sidewalks, add to the heat buildup.

Trees, shrubs, and grass help absorb some of the heat from the sun. But they are no match for the drought that has affected many sections of the

prolonged heat, dry weather. When rain has come, it has been limited chiefly to brief cloudbursts that batter the weak crops before the water runs off the parched ground, causing more harm than good.

The severe summer also has exacted its toll in human life. New York City officials blamed the record heat for a 10 percent rise in the city's death rate during July.

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USDA booklet explains canning process

Home canning is one of those old-fashioned things that people still do for a variety of reasons—from saving money to preserving the garden's best to perk up winter suppers. Whatever your reason, be sure you're using safe home canning methods.

To help you, the U.S. Department of Agriculture has a booklet, "Home Canning of Fruits and Vegetables," giving different canning methods and safety tips. For your copy, send 45 cents to the Consumer Information Center, Dept. 122E, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

For fruits, tomatoes, and pickled vegetables, use a boiling-water-bath canner. These acid foods can be processed safely in boiling water. Any big metal container may be used as a water-bath canner if it is deep enough for the water to be well over the tops of the jars. Allow 2 to 4 inches above the jar tops for brisk boiling. The canner must have a tight-fitting cover

and a wire or wooden rack. For all other vegetables, except tomatoes, use a steam-pressure canner. To process these low-acid foods safely in a reasonable length of time, you need a temperature higher than that of boiling water.

Be sure to use only jars, cans, and lids made especially for home canning. Never use ordinary jars like mayonnaise or coffee jars. Don't reuse sealing lids. The rubber ring deteriorates easily and prevents a tight seal. Get new rings for one-piece lids and new metal lids with sealing compounds for two-piece lids. Don't overpack foods. Trying to get too much food into one jar may result in underprocessing and spoilage.

FOLLOW THE TIME AND TEMPERATURE SPECIFICATIONS FOR FOODS AND CONTAINER SIZES EXACTLY AS LISTED IN INSTRUCTIONS. Adjust processing times according to altitude. Don't use canned foods that show any signs of spoilage.

Watch for bulging lids, leaks, off-odors or mold. If in doubt, DON'T TASTE. Destroy out of reach of children and pets. Boil home canned vegetables in a covered pot for

at least 10 minutes before serving. "Home Canning of Fruits and Vegetables" (46 cents) is one of over 200 selected

federal consumer publications listed in the Fall edition of the "Consumer Information Catalog." The Catalog is published quarterly by the Consumer Information Center, Colorado 81009.

of the General Services Administration. You can get a free copy by sending a postcard to the Consumer Information Center, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

Food poisoning may be cause of upset stomachs after dinner

You've been up half the night with an upset stomach. Your head feels as if it's going to burst and you ache all over. You figure you've picked up the flu, right?

Maybe. But maybe not. A lot of people do get the flu. But a lot of people who think they have the flu are really suffering from a mild case of food poisoning.

A new pamphlet from the Department of Agriculture, "Food Safety for the Family," tells how you can prevent food poisoning. The pamphlet is

available free, just by sending a postcard to the Consumer Information Center, Dept. 678E, Pueblo, Colorado 81009. Most germs that cause food poisoning are killed when you boil, broil, or roast foods. But if you leave food at room temperature for 2 hours or longer after cooking, some germs can produce poisons that are not destroyed by heating. So don't leave food out, and be sure to keep food hot until served and refrigerate leftovers at once.

Germs can't multiply very fast at cold temperatures. At 40 degrees F. or below, meat, poultry, eggs, milk, cheese, and other perishables can be stored safely. If you thaw frozen foods, do it in the refrigerator. If you have to thaw them outside the refrigerator, put them in a sealed plastic bag under cold running water; or put them in a closed double paper bag without use of water. This way the products will get warm enough to thaw and stay cool enough to slow down germ growth.

Every kitchen has some germs. So in order to keep utensils, countertops, hands and food clean, you're going to have to keep washing things off. Don't handle food if you have infected cuts and sores. Germs can spread from raw meat to cooked meat. Suppose you carry raw hamburgers to the grill on a plate, then use the same plate to carry cooked hamburgers back to the table? The result could be germs on your cooked burgers.

Pressure cooker necessary for safe canning

If you're going to can vegetables (except tomatoes) or meats, you need a pressure canner. Only with a pressure canner can you be sure to safely can these products.

The danger is due to bacteria which can cause botulism. These bacteria are in soil and therefore may be on the food you can. Unless they are destroyed by high temperature sterilization in canning, these bacteria can grow in the food and produce a deadly poison.

In a pressure canner at 10 pounds pressure, food in the jars reaches 240 degrees if processed the right length of time. This time varies because foods differ in density. Use the canner instruction booklet and Cooperative Extension Service publication as guides.

If you're buying a new pressure canner, an auction or garage sale might be the best place to get one. The canner may be so old that replacement parts aren't available. Also to work well, it must be in good condition, and you need the instruction booklet.

If you already own a pressure canner, check it carefully before using it each season. Examine the rubber gasket around the lid. It should be flexible, not brittle or cracked. Replacement gaskets are available at hardware and appliance stores from the manufacturer.

The dial pressure gauge should also be checked for accuracy. Contact the manufacturer to have the gauge checked.

If you plan to buy a water bath canner, the size range from one holding seven pint jars to one that holds nine quarts. Check the depth of the canner you want. Be sure it's deep enough so 1 to 2 inches of water can cover the top of the jars. A rack is needed, too, to keep jars separate and off the canner bottom. This allows the boiling water to circulate freely around each jar. Getting equipment together is only one part of managing. You also need to be organized when the job is at hand.

First, have enough space clear in the kitchen. Use the counter to good advantage by lining up equipment and planning the most efficient way to use the space.

Then have everything ready to use. For example, get all the jars washed and scalded before you need the sink for cleaning food. Also, if hot water is needed for blanching or scalding, have it ready on the range while you clean and trim the product.

If you need extra ice for quick cooling, freeze it beforehand in clean milk cartons or pans. Then have any containers, packaging materials and labels you need at the space where you'll use them.

Everyone in the family can help, provided that appropriate jobs are assigned. Younger children can help wash or rough-trim vegetables and delight in making labels for the finished products. But keep them out of the traffic pattern when you're handling hot water or jars.

Contact your county extension office for up-to-date information on canning and freezing.

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Jeanne Lynn Mutz marries John Douglas Hamilton here

Jeanne Lynn Mutz of Hale became the bride of John Douglas Hamilton August 13 at the United Methodist Church of Charlevoix.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Anson Mutz of Charlevoix and the bridegroom is the son of Dr. and Mrs. John A. Hamilton of Potosi.

The Reverend Austin Reiger performed the double-ring evening ceremony before 200 guests. The church was decorated with white potted mums and ferns for the occasion.

Given in marriage by her uncle, Irving Drost, the bride

wore a candlelight organza gown with flocked daisies over candlelight coupe de ville polyester, ruffled A-line with full sleeves and a sweetheart neckline. She wore a matching hat and carried a bouquet of white roses, blue miniatures, carnations, baby's breath, and ferns. The bride fashioned the gown herself.

Janet Mayes of Hale served as maid of honor. Her gown, also made by the bride, was of powder blue organza with flocked white daisies over powder blue coupe de ville polyester. She carried a bouquet of blue and white miniatures.

Thomas Hamilton, brother of the bridegroom, served as best man, and Dave Mutz and John Penberthy seated the guests.

The wedding reception was hosted by the bride's parents at the American Legion Hall, with Vickie Shultz serving punch, and Jackie Hamilton and Susan Penberthy serving the cake. The bridegroom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner at the Country Hearth in Potosi.

The new Mrs. Hamilton will return to her teaching position in Hale, and her husband will work for the Circuit Court judge in Tawas City, where the couple will reside.



Mrs. John Hamilton

Sandra Marie Chew weds Robert Davis Chest

Sandra Marie Chew became the bride of Robert Davis Chest August 13 in the First Baptist Church of Boyne City. White and yellow gladioli graced the altar as the Reverend John A. Beard united the couple in a double ring ceremony, performed before 150 guests.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. John Chew of East Jordan, who gave their daughter in marriage. The bridegroom's parents are Mrs. Betty Chest and the late Robert Chest of Mobile, Alabama.

For her wedding, the bride wore a floor-length gown of bridal satin with attached lace train, fitted bodice, ruffled V-neckline, high fitted midriff, flared skirt, and short puffed sleeves. She carried a bouquet of yellow and white daisies and yellow carnations.

Music for the ceremony was provided by Mrs. Charles Renkiewicz. Mrs. Keith Kenney, sister of the bride, served as matron of honor. Her gown was of yellow crepe, styled in the same manner as the bride's, and she carried yellow mums.

Mike Ardoin of Mobile, friend of the bridegroom, served as best man. James

Chest, brother of the bridegroom, and Keith Kenney, brother-in-law of the bride, were ushers.

A reception in the church parlors followed the wedding ceremony.



Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chest

Nursery school sets meeting for parents

A parent's meeting for the Charlevoix Cooperative Nursery School will be held at 7:30 p.m. Aug. 30 at the Charlevoix Elementary School.

All parents of children enrolled in the nursery school should attend the meeting.

There are still a few vacancies in the school for the coming year. Anyone interested in enrolling their preschooler between the ages of 3 and 5 should contact membership chairman, Ethel Grunich, 547-2784 or any of the other officers.

Financial assistance for nursery school tuition is available for qualifying families. Please contact Pat Sherman, 547-6885.

Serving as officers for the school this year are: Sandy Pahl, president; Diane Celaschi, vice president; Pat Wakulak, secretary; Lynn Cook, treasurer; Ethel Grunich, membership; Joanne LeCureux, delegate; and Barbara Fortin, delegate.

Returning teachers will be Dorothy Miller for morning classes and Nancy Taylor for afternoon classes.

Former local man discusses energy at MSU

While utility users across the country are trying to meet federally issued energy proposals, Michigan State University's engineer in charge of energy management, James Sneathen, said this year was named "Young Engineer of the Year" by the Grand Valley Chapter, Michigan Society of Professional Engineers, said time clocks had been installed in campus buildings which automatically cut back the heating or cooling, at night. Except in buildings where

Sneathen said the energy conservation program at MSU, said the energy conservation program was initiated in the early 1970's because of budget

problems in the late 1960's that forced the university to seek energy saving measures. As a result, energy costs have been reduced by 20 percent.

Sneathen said. In explaining the measures taken, Sneathen, who earlier this year was named "Young Engineer of the Year" by the Grand Valley Chapter, Michigan Society of Professional Engineers, said time clocks had been installed in campus buildings which automatically cut back the heating or cooling, at night. Except in buildings where

Sneathen credits a lot of the

fuel savings to the centrally located steam generation system in use at MSU. The lighting system is also installed to allow control of banks of lights.

He also believes that a great deal of energy could be saved by turning off lights in rooms that are not being used. A study of three resident halls on campus revealed that 50 percent of the lights were burning in empty rooms.

Sneathen credits a lot of the

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Veterans may be entitled to unemployment compensation if they can't find a job immediately. Sometimes, they may have the right to return to their old jobs. If you need more training to qualify for a new career, your local Veterans Assistance Center or your State employment service may be able to help you get on-the-job training or

vocational or academic schooling. Many of the men and women who work in Veterans Assistance Centers (USVAC) are veterans themselves, and they can give invaluable assistance. Remember to bring your Armed Forces separation form DD214 and social security card when you visit a USVAC.

Veterans are also entitled to special consideration from the U.S. Civil Service Commission, if they are interested in finding a government job. You can get a five or ten point preference on examinations for filling jobs, and some special appointments, such as veterans readjustment appointments, may be available. Further information on Federal employment can be obtained from one of the Federal Job Information

Centers listed in your telephone directory under U.S. Government, Civil Service Commission.

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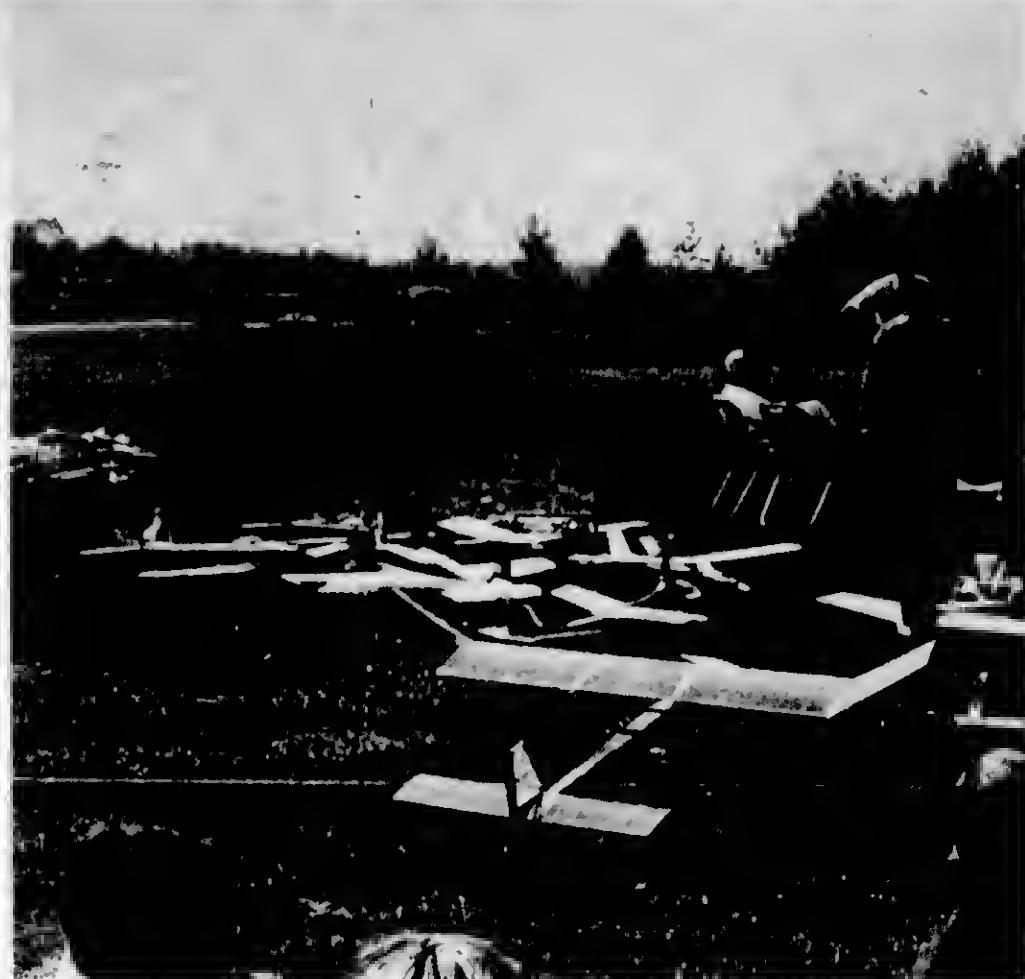
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QUITE A NUMBER of model airplanes were at the annual Lions Club Fly In. The model airplane owners also put on a demonstration of the agility and prowess of their craft.



FULL SIZE PLANES also lined the airfield during the Lions Club Fly In Sunday. Area residents and visitors had a chance to study the planes up close and also to ride in a few of them.

Lions Club Fly In a success

Foul weather put a damper on the eighth annual Charlevoix Lions Club Fly In at the Charlevoix Municipal Airport Sunday. But many area residents and visitors turned out for the festivities despite the gray skies.

Only a dozen planes were

able to fly into the airport because of the bad weather that engulfed the state, but more than 30 remote control model aircraft were on hand. Operators of the model planes gave a three-hour show to interested bystanders.

Also on hand for the Fly In was a U.S. Air Force helicopter. Visitors were allowed to tour the craft and airman explained its operation.

The helicopter was disabled by one of the model aircraft during the afternoon. The craft, a flying saucer driven by Snoopy, alias the Red Baron, got out of range and traveling at 30 miles per hour crashed into the rear propeller of the whirlybird.

Replacement parts were expected to be shipped to the airport Monday so that the helicopter could take off.

Visitors to the Fly In were also able to take plane rides in small aircraft run by Lions Club pilots. More than 200 people were able to get a bird's eye view of Charlevoix.

A chicken barbecue was also enjoyed by Fly In participants at the airport.

A door prize of a gas grill from Kit Carson was awarded to Bob Hater.



DON MEGGISON and Vince Olach, Lions Club members, show their cooking ability during the annual Fly In at the airport Sunday.



A U.S. AIR FORCE helicopter was also on hand for the Fly In. Air Force officers gave residents a tour of the cockpit and the rest of the whirlybird throughout the day.

Model plane grounds helicopter



MODEL AIRPLANE enthusiasts check out Snoopy and his flying saucer following an accident. The flying saucer collided mid-air with the Air Force helicopter which was on the ground. The back propeller of the helicopter was so badly damaged that it couldn't take off.



A U.S. AIR FORCE airman inspects the damage to the rear propeller of the helicopter. The propeller was bent when a model plane ran into it.

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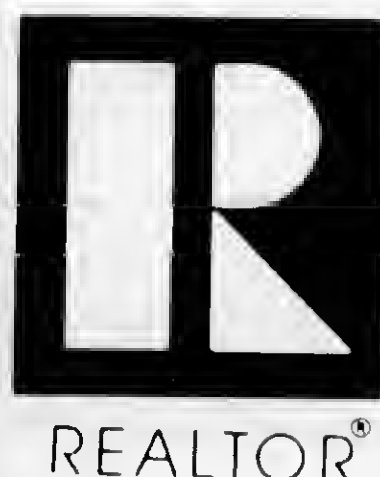
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'Team looks good,' Coach Carey says



VETERAN COACH Don Carey watches as members of the varsity football squad at Charlevoix High School goes through its paces during pre-season drill.

Gaylord captures tourney

ELLISWORTH-The fifth annual Ellsworth Open Slo-Pitch Tournament came to an exciting close Aug. 13 with Weisel Construction of Gaylord defeating Bazun Well Drilling of Atlanta.

Several Charlevoix teams participated in the two week tourney, but they were bumped out before the finals.

Weisel Construction advanced through the winner's bracket by defeating a Charlevoix team, Murdick's Fudge, R & L Auto, and Little Caesars.

Bazun blasted Charlevoix Township and then was upset by R & L Auto. The team came back with victories over Eastport Baglist, Murdick's Fudge, R & L Auto, Koboski Red-Mix and Little Caesars.

"We expect to be competitive," Carey said. "But we know there are other fine ball clubs in the league and that there will be some tough games on our hands."

Carey declined to say which



The Cubs captured the Peanut League title in the Charlevoix Recreation Department sponsored Softball program. The Cubs were awarded the title after defeating the Pirates twice during the regular season though the two teams had like records of five wins and three losses. The other two teams in the league, the A's and the Reds, had 3-5 records for the season.

Team members are: front row (l to r): Dan Buday, Mark Mosley, Tom Graf, Jim Kenny, Pat Bertrand, Wayne Sharow.

Back row: Mike Pischner, Greg Umilor, Pat White, Bill Brodine, Ken Berman, Mike Voccia. Missing from photo: Coach Ed Buday, Dave Buday.

Kirk Lieberman returns to Grand Valley squad

A Charlevoix resident was among the returning players and freshmen trying out for positions for the Grand Valley State College varsity football squad.

Kirk Lieberman was among the prospective football players reporting for early football drills at the college in Allendale last week.

Baillargeon picked as top player

Jim Baillargeon of Charlevoix was picked as the Outstanding Defensive Player in the 14-15 age group at Michigan Tech's recent Summer Basketball School. Baillargeon was one of 55 boys attending the one-week session July 31 to August 6 on the Michigan Tech campus.

Coaches needed for flag football

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Football fever is in the air as temperatures drop into the fall ranges and pre-season practice starts.

The Charlevoix High School Varsity football team opened pre-season practice last week with one week of conditioning. Players were allowed to wear only head gear and shoes during the week of evening practices.

This week the team is expected to begin wearing full gear and will begin two practices a day.

"The team looks good," Coach Don Carey said. "We have good numbers and depth."

Carey said the numbers and depth were lacking in the freshman and sophomore classes and that he hoped more young men in those classes would consider coming out for football this year.

Another new team in the schedule this year is Rogers City. The school is a member of the Michigan-Huron Shores League, but it had to drop from the football schedule last year to a defeat of school millage. It is anticipated that Rogers City and Gaylord both will be tough teams this season.

Leading the Rayder gridiron squad will be co-captains Tom Jones and Kip Cinnamon.

Senior members of the varsity squad are: Jim Elzinga, Pat Klooster, Tom Jones, Jeff Wellman, Jim Kerner, Bruce Avery, Mike Wiklanski, Buy Carter, Greg Krueger, Jerry Kele, Neil Daville, Jim Alger, Kerry Speer, Joe Left, Barry Potter, Erik Lundteigen, Greg Loper, Kip Cinnamon, Steve Hufford and Bob Tiller.

Junior members of the team are: Larry Houghton, Todd Williams, Gregg Boss, Barney Way, Gilbert Noroit, Dennis Martin, Pat Schmidt, Jim Fowler, Chris Henkel, Kevin Kraft, Doug Buday, Mike Keller, Ron Paul, Wade Huffman, Dave Buton, Rich Russell, Jim Hoffman, Dennis Whitley and Jon Kantola.

The list of players is incomplete because new members are still being added to the team. Coach Carey said any young man interested in

Dairy Queen defeats Kusina in women's play

The neck-n-neck race between the Dairy Queen and Kusina Motors in the Charlevoix Recreation Department Women's Slo-Pitch League was broken last week as the Dairy Queen defeated Kusina by one run in an eight-inning game.

Cindy Kitchy had the win for Dairy Queen on a mere two hits while Tammy Mitchell took the loss for Kusina on a low eight hits.

In other action Dairy Queen also downed Village Inn Pizza 8-6. Ms. Kitchy again had the win this time on nine hits while Sue Peters took the loss on 13 hits. Sandra Hodge had a home run for Dairy Queen.

Dairy Queen also squeaked by Tri-City Asphalt 9-8. Amy Potter had the win on six hits and Sue Holm took the loss on 15 hits.

Kusina Motors had a good week other than the loss to Dairy Queen. Kusina downed the Topside 18-4. Pam Parsel had the win on four hits while Carol Vassiliou took the loss on 20 hits.

Ms. Parsel had two home runs for Kusina and Chris Lehman belted in one for the second place team.

Kusina also defeated Tri-City Asphalt 6-3. Pam Parsel had the win on four hits again and Clara Martin took the loss on 11 hits. Tammi Mitchell took the loss on 19 hits.

See Slo-Pitch page 19

CHARLEVOIX HIGH SCHOOL 1977 Varsity Football Schedule

+Sept. 9 Friday 8:00 P.M. AT Kalkaska
 +Sept. 18 Friday 8:00 P.M. Benzie Central H.E.R.E.
 Sept. 23 Friday 8:00 P.M. Gaylord H.E.R.E.
 Sept. 30 Friday 8:00 P.M. AT Cheboygan
 Oct. 7 Friday 8:00 P.M. AT Grayling
 Oct. 14 Friday 8:00 P.M. Rogers City H.E.R.E. Homecoming
 Oct. 21 Friday 8:00 P.M. AT St. Ignace
 Oct. 28 Friday 8:00 P.M. Boyne City H.E.R.E.
 Nov. 4 Friday 8:00 P.M. AT Petoskey
 +Non-conference games

1977 Junior Varsity Football Schedule

Sept. 8 Thursday 6:30 P.M. Kalkaska H.E.R.E.
 Sept. 15 Thursday 7:00 P.M. AT East Jordan
 Sept. 22 Thursday 6:30 P.M. AT Gaylord
 Sept. 29 Thursday 6:30 P.M. Cheboygan H.E.R.E.
 Oct. 6 Thursday 6:30 P.M. Grayling H.E.R.E.
 Oct. 13 Thursday 6:30 P.M. AT Rogers City
 Oct. 20 Thursday 6:30 P.M. St. Ignace H.E.R.E.
 Oct. 27 Thursday 6:30 P.M. AT Boyne City
 Nov. 3 Thursday 6:30 P.M. AT Petoskey H.E.R.E.
 1977 Freshman Football Schedule

Sept. 14 Wednesday 4:00 P.M. Scrimmage AT Petoskey
 Sept. 21 Wednesday 6:30 P.M. Gaylord H.E.R.E.
 Sept. 28 Wednesday 6:30 P.M. AT Cheboygan
 Oct. 5 Wednesday 6:30 P.M. AT Grayling
 Oct. 12 Wednesday 6:30 P.M. AT Gaylord
 Oct. 19 Wednesday 4:15 P.M. Grayling H.E.R.E.
 Oct. 26 Wednesday 6:30 P.M. Cheboygan H.E.R.E.
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Genealogical society plans seminar for people with Canadian roots

People whose ancestors came from Canada and who are interested in researching their "roots" may find the upcoming genealogical seminar in Alpena helpful. On October 8, the Jesse Besser Museum and the Northeastern Michigan Genealogical Society are cosponsoring a day-long seminar on "Canadian Sources and Resources." The main speaker will be Eldon D. Weber, a noted Canadian genealogist who is currently president of the Ontario Genealogical Society.

Other speakers will include Richard Hathaway, Chief of the Michigan History Section of the State Library in Lansing; David Olson, Michigan's State Archivist from Lansing; Mrs. Laurie Schroeder, member and teacher in genealogy in the latter Day

Wojan, Kit Carson teams battle in finals of league playoffs

Wojan Aluminum and Kit Carson were expected to meet in the final playoffs for the league title in the Charlevoix Recreation Department's Men's Six-pitch League Monday night.

The two teams came out on top following three days of play between the top four teams in the league, Kit Carson, Wojan Aluminum, Town House and G-Men.

The playoffs opened with Kit Carson squeaking by the Town House 10-9. Jeff Collins took the win during an extra inning of play and Don Willis took the loss. Both hurlers let 14 hits go by.

Chuck Pease had a home run for the Town House and Tim Carey and Butch Klooster each belted one for Kit Carson.

Bernie DeVries slugged three homers for Kit Carson.

On the third day, Wojan

Aluminum again defeated the G-Men 5-3. Supernaw took his second win of the playoffs on a mere seven hits while Holtzman took his second loss on 18 hits.

Kit Carson came back to down the Town House 19-6. Collins took the win on a low eight hits and Willis took the loss on 22 hits.

It was a home run slug fest as Terry Blissett, Butch Klooster, Krasag, Lieberman, Bernie DeVries, Paul Klooster and Jeff Collins all belted in home runs for Kit Carson. Chuck Pease and Scott Blanchard had home runs for the Town House.

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Robert Shade

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Soccer practice set

An organizational practice for students interested in learning to play soccer will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday at the Charlevoix High School physical education field on May Street.

Students between the ages of 10 and 15 should report to the field in shorts and athletic shoes - all purpose or gym.

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Hiking popularity turns trails into back woods freeways

"Don't fall down. You'll get trampled to death," lament backpackers these days.

Popular footpaths are turning into backcountry freeways as more and more hikers seek to get away from it all on weekends and extended wilderness journeys. Some 20 million people have tried backpacking and the number grows every year.

"We can no longer afford the luxury of sleeping on a bed of fresh-cut evergreen boughs, or of building up a roaring campfire after every mealtime," says a veteran outdoorsman. "Many of the cherished woodcraft ways are passing into memory and the sooner the better, if wilderness is to survive."

Signs Are Ignored

Despite pleas for caution, wilderness areas in many parts of the country are showing wear and tear. "Carry out what you carry in," command signs at trailheads-yet litter still mars forests, mountain paths, and meadows. The mess moves hiking clubs to organize cleanup excursions.

The rewards are still there, however, for those who love the wild backcountry, enter it

lumbly, take from it only memories, and leave behind only footprints.

Anyone in good health, leading a reasonably active life can hoist a nine-pound pack and embark on a modest weekend jaunt without much physical preparation.

But many a soft, unprepared city slicker has toppled to the ground before high noon on his first day out, beat a hasty retreat to the car, and finished his vacation beside a motel swimming pool.

A person of ordinary strength with a fairly heavy load may average two miles an hour on an easy trail and hike six or seven hours a day without pain, say seasoned backpackers.

To a novice, almost any prolonged climbing can seem burdensome. "The first thing that struck me about the Appalachian Trail was that it all seemed uphill," recalls one rookie.

Like Brings Freedom

Confined backpackers feel the rewards easily outweigh the discomforts. "A 24-year-old wirman extols the virtue of solo hikes. "Traveling alone, I often see wild creatures that

would flee from a chattering group," she explains. "On my back I carry my shelter and food enough for the length of my stay, and a sense of freedom fills me."

"Alone I can set my own pace, relax, and enjoy the beauty of nature without social distractions. Often I stop to thank all I see just for being there."

For beginning backpackers, however, a party of three is recommended as the smallest safe number, except on the easiest, most heavily traveled trails. A solo hiker, when injured, can only shout, wait, and hope.

A pair of sturdy, well-broken-in boots is essential to all hikers regardless of experience. But even good boots couldn't help the greenhorn who tried to ease the workload on his legs by tying a cord from each ankle to each wrist so his arms could help lift his feet.

On the first trail, he jerked one foot from under him, fell off the path and rolled into a prickly alder thicket. It took the rest of his group an hour to cut him loose.



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PHIL MARTIN works on an arts and crafts project during a session of Camp McSauba Day Camp. Campers ranged in age from 6 to 13 years old and worked on many arts and crafts projects.



SCOTT STEPHAN reads ghost stories to Phil Martin during a rest period at the day camp. The ghost of old Dan McSauby visited campers on an overnight they participated in.

Fun at day camp

The children were all snuggled fast asleep in their beds while tales of old Dan McSauby danced in their heads. That line describes the weekly campout held for children participating in the Charlevoix Recreation Department's Camp McSauba Day Camp. The children, ranging in age from 6 to 13 years old attended five-day sessions at Mt. McSauba throughout the summer. This was the second year of the day camp program. Each day was jam packed with activities such as archery, arts and crafts, nature study, hiking, music, camp crafts and skits and stunts. And then there were the unexpected things like the discovery of a special insect the "Walking Stick" in one camper's hair and a visit of the ghost of Dan McSauby to a campout one evening. But it was all fun and the stuff that makes a summer memorable.



WENDY TORRA cocks her BB gun in preparation for target practice during a day camp session. All of the students learned how to use a BB gun and bow and arrow and now to safely take care of the weapons.



MICHAEL YAKER, Scott Torra and Chris Mitchell prepare to shoot their bow and arrows during archer practice at Camp McSauba Day Camp. The day camp is sponsored by the Charlevoix Recreation Department.



DANIEL YAKER connects with a softball during a game at the Camp McSauba Day Camp. Children attending the camp participated in arts and crafts, sports and native activities.

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30th Anniversary

LOUIS AND DICK EDWARDS examine the 30th Anniversary cake they cut and passed out to their customers Saturday. The Edwards have been in business at their north side location since 1947. The cake was baked by the same man who baked and decorated the Edwards' first anniversary cake, Ron Fairbanks.

Flower business a family affair

The flower business is a family affair for Gwen and Paul Arnold and their two sons.

The Arnolds operate a small flower business from a farm near Ironton. And it's been quite an experience for the young couple and their sons Paul, 9, and Jeff, 7.

The Arnolds had been city dwellers living on Sherman Street in Charlevoix until 1974 when they decided to buy the farm and flower business including a customer route in Charlevoix from the Irving Johnsons.

"I work for the Charlevoix County Road Commission and their garage is right near here. I used to pass by here quite often and I was just taken with the place," Arnold said explaining how the family found the farm.

Even though the couple knew very little about raising flowers, they decided to give the business a try.

"We had to learn everything on our own," Mrs. Arnold said. "We both took classes in organic gardening and I took a flower arranging class. And, we borrowed a lot of books from the library. The Johnsons helped us a lot, too."

The couple said their friends and relatives thought they

were nuts to buy the business. "We had a little garden on Sherman Street, but it was

terrible," Mrs. Arnold laughed. "Yeah, you could tell our

garden, it was the one with the small vegetables and the big

weeds," Arnold quipped. See Flowers page 19



GWEN AND PAUL ARNOLD cut some of the flowers from their acre garden for sale along their route in town the next day. The flower business is a family affair with the Arnolds.

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BROOKSIDE CEMETERY Lot No. 19, choice location, 5 sites, \$350, negotiable. Serious inquiries. V. Amero, 46 Mt. Vernon, Gloucester, Mass. 01930. (8-17-81)

126 Moving and Storage
250' ROLL NM 12-2 W/G, \$24; NM 14-2 W/G, \$17. 588-4197. (8-24-81)

127 Moving and Storage
CRAFTSMAN RIDING lawn mower. 547-2924. (8-24-81)

128 Moving and Storage
LAKE MICHIGAN - CLIPPERVIEW DELUXE HOME in one of Charlevoix's nicest Lake Michigan Subdivisions. This is a quality constructed four bedroom home with marble fireplace, kitchen with built-in full deck with fantastic views and a beautifully landscaped lot with a nice sand beach. This home has just been placed on the market so hurry! SKI & SHORE CHARLEVOIX, INC. 547-9965. (8-24-81)

129 Moving and Storage
RETIRED DELIGHT. Near downtown Charlevoix, a neat bungalow with garage and nice garden spot. Only \$2,500 down. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, downtown Charlevoix, 547-9782. (8-24-81)

130 Moving and Storage
WANTED: Cedar Logs - 100' long, 7" top & 5" must be straight & sound. Will pay \$72.00 a cord delivered to our yard. For further details, call No. 616/549-2421 days, or No. 616/549-2706 evenings. (8-10-81)

131 Moving and Storage
Beautiful 3-4 bedroom brick ranch. Spectacular lake view. 1 1/2 baths, fireplace, 2 car garage, finished basement 1 1/2 acres. Charlevoix. 547-4548. (8-17-81)

132 Moving and Storage
FOR LEASE - 7500 sq. ft. commercial building on U.S. 31 Charlevoix. Will lease all or part. Will divide to suit tenant needs. For use of offices, light manufacturing, and warehouse. Call 547-8273 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. or 547-6388 after 5 p.m. (8-17-81)

133 Moving and Storage
120' ON US 31 South near Charlevoix, 4 bedroom home with attached garage plus a basement, barn, A-1 for business and home. Contract terms. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, downtown Charlevoix, 547-9782. (8-24-81)

134 Moving and Storage
BEAUTIFUL LIVING in this 1 bedroom luxury condominium with panoramic view of Lake Michigan. Thoughtful floor plan ideal for couple. The low price of \$45,000 includes lounge area, heated swimming pool, sauna, whirlpool and billiard room. Let us show you this luxury way of life today! Peterson and Associates, Pennsylvania Plaza, Petoskey, 347-7700. (8-17-81)

135 Moving and Storage
LAKE VIEW LOTS on M-66, 2 and 10 acre parcels on Sequoia Rd. \$500 down, balance on land contract. 547-4239. (6-22-81)

136 Moving and Storage
CH 201 BUILDING SITES Near Torch Lake. Priced to sell. Buy one or all seven. Call Dave Lamb or Dan George. (8-17-81)

137 Moving and Storage
MICHIGAN SHORES, wooded all year spot, \$1,500 down. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, downtown Charlevoix, 547-9782. (8-24-81)

138 Moving and Storage
5% Acres zoned Commercial within City of Charlevoix, near good possibilities. Call Dave Lamb or Dan George. (8-24-81)

139 Moving and Storage
COZY YELLOW remodeled home on nice lot on paved street. New carpeting, new gas furnace, new 100 Amp wiring. Ready to move in. Ideal starter or retirement home. \$18,700.00. Call Dave Lamb or Dan George. (8-17-81)

140 Moving and Storage
IN CHARLEVOIX, 3 or 4 bedroom, living room with fireplace, enclosed porch, den, 2 baths. Call 547-4693. (7-30-81)

141 Moving and Storage
NEW CHALET in fronton, Maple Woods, Firewood galore. Owner transferred. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, downtown Charlevoix, 547-9782. (8-24-81)

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YOU REACH MORE PEOPLE THRU THE WANT ADS. (8-24-81)

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3 ACRES BUILDING SITE on Marie Grove Road. Good road frontage, Charlevoix School District. Only \$2,500 down. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, Charlevoix, 547-9782. (8-24-81)

144 Moving and Storage
FOR LEASE - permanent all year-round quality 4-bedroom home on Little Traverse Bay at Michigan Shores past Bay Shore. 4 bedrooms, 1 1/2 baths, living room w/ fireplace, complete kitchen w/ built-in, nicely furnished and paneled. Large deck w/ perfect view of Bay. Ideal for 2 or 3 teachers, nurses, professionals or a family. Call Mr. Balogh, 313-645-2500 or evenings 313-646-6102. \$400 per month. (8-24-81)

145 Moving and Storage
LARGE 7 bedroom furnished house N.E. near grade school, now available. No pets. Phone collect 313-882-5693. (8-24-81)

146 Moving and Storage
100 FEET on Susan Lake, has well & septic, \$8,900. Easy terms. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, downtown Charlevoix, 547-9782. (8-24-81)

147 Moving and Storage
FOR LEASE to group of hunters or hunting club - 500 acres of good deer hunting, meadows and woods, together with 9 bed house on lake, tennis court, etc. Oct. 1 to Dec. 1. Buy and arrow season starts Oct. 1, gun season Nov. 15, 1978. Utilities and firewood included. References required. Windmill Farm, Rt. 3, Charlevoix, Mich. 49729. Tele. 616-547-2746. (8-24-81)

148 Moving and Storage
BEAVER ISLAND - beautiful contemporary year-round cottage, shake roof, on 600 ft. Lake Michigan frontage. 355,000. Terms, trade-in, down, L.D. Decker, Realtor, Anna, Michigan, 517-463-2515. (7-13-81)

149 Moving and Storage
LAKE CHARLEVOIX Frontage, 100' x 700' wooded, on paved road, only \$15,900. J.H. CORBIN REALTY, downtown Charlevoix, 547-9782. (8-24-81)

150 Moving and Storage
1975 CORVETTE, L-82, 4 speed, factory installed Gaspak suspension, air conditioning, tilt-telescoping steering wheel, all leather seats, 6500 miles. Phone 347-2544 days, 347-6565 after 5. (6-29-81)

151 Moving and Storage
FOR SALE 1973 40 Mercury Monterey \$2500 400 Engine Trailer towing Package 5 Rod tires w/31000 miles New V Belts New Radiator Hoses Speed Control Power Steering Power front Seat CB w/PA Air Shocks in Rear Disc Brakes in Front Two Tone Color, Brown w/Ivory Top Good Condition Throughout - Howard Brumm 547-5581 (8-17-81)

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MUST SELL 28 ft. Tejon Flying Bridge cruiser. Fully equipped for cruising. 220 Gray marine motor. Teak deck. \$8,100. 547-2529. (8-10-81)

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FURNISHED 2 bedroom cottage. Available Sept. to June. Utilities included. 547-9687. (8-17-81)

155 Moving and Storage
BUSINESS PROPERTY for rent. 4 room office suite with view. Corner of Bridge Street and Pine River Channel. Beautiful view of Pine River. 547-9969. (7-13-81)

156 Moving and Storage
WINTER SEASON, Sept. to June, 6 yrs. home, newly and completely refurbished. See now, 584 Golden Beach Dr., west off Crestwell, 8 miles north of Elk Rapids, on G.T. Bay or call 313-851-8012. (8-3-81)

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LOVELY FAMILY home, 4 bedr., 2 baths, 3 blocks to town, north side. References and security deposit required. \$260 plus utilities. 517-732-1791 days or 735-9132 eves. ENJOY LAKE view and comfortable living in modern 4-bedroom house, walking distance from schools, stores. Available Sept.-June. Call 547-6960 for more information. (8-24-81)

Court News

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix District Court recently by Judge David W. Farnabe:
Ronald A. Gardner, 24, being a disorderly person. Plead nolo contendere. \$35 fine and costs.
Frank J. Chingwa, 24, being a disorderly person. Plead nolo contendere. \$35 fine and costs.
Jimmy T. Sheldon, 33, Mesquite, Texas, driving while under the influence of liquor. Plead nolo contendere. \$205 fine and costs.
Arthur H. Lewis, 54, Seattle, Canada, being drunk on public street. Plead guilty. Two days in county jail.
Joseph E. Wabigoy, 41, Ontario, Canada, being drunk on public street. Plead guilty. Two days in county jail.
William L. Hanana, 37, Lowell, Mass., impaired driving. Plead guilty. \$245 fine and costs.
Joseph A. Kortan, 30, Charlevoix, impaired driving. Plead guilty. \$125 fine and costs.
Franklin C. Pennington, 26, Kentwood, impaired driving. Plead guilty. \$245 fine and costs and one year's probation.
Robert J. McDermott, 43, Charlevoix, speeding. \$25, Detroit, speeding. \$25.
Robert J. Dorwin, 46, Atlanta, speeding. \$25.
Timothy F. Hall, 31, Mancelona, speeding. \$25.
Joan A. Wright, 33, East Jordan, speeding. \$25.

Humane Society

What would be more fun than romping in the fall with two golden colored puppies? These pups, about nine weeks old and part golden retriever, are currently lodged at the Charlevoix County Humane Society. They may be seen between 1 and 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.

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Ehman of Portage Lake.

Championship races held on Lake Charlevoix by Flying Scot Assn.

Lake Charlevoix was alive with sailboats as the Flying Scot North American Championships took place on its waters for five days last week.

Day sailors from across the nation came to Charlevoix to participate in the race. In all, 87 boats were registered for the championship races.

Junior races were held a week ago Saturday and the adult races began Monday. The first two days of adult races were spent dividing the boats into the Challenger and Championship classes based on the results of preliminary races.

Two local residents, Richard Pajtas of Charlevoix and Ken Moran of Petoskey, raced in the Challenger class and did fairly well. Moran took 13th place and Pajtas was behind him.

The weather wreaked havoc with the boats, Moran said. He had taken a third and fourth place in two races when his mast was broken and he ended up in 40th place.

But Moran, who is captain of the Flying Scot Fleet on Lake Charlevoix, was one of the lucky ones. More than 10 boats were overturned when a squall hit the lake during an afternoon race Thursday. Several races had to be cancelled due to weather.

Lake Charlevoix was selected for this year's championship races by Tom Ehman of Portage Lake who had won last year's championship.

The Charlevoix Yacht Club served as hosts for the event and the U.S. Yacht Racing Union managed the race.



BOAT TRAILERS FILLED the parking lot at the launching sites on Lake Charlevoix as 86 day sailors-Flying Scots-raced across Lake Charlevoix last week. The final race of the week was called on Friday due to poor weather. Several sailors had been dumped earlier in the week due to a sudden squall on the lake.

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Crews roll with punches to keep concerts running



ONE OF THE SECURITY CREW members at Castle Farms takes through his walkie-talkie about the behavior of the crowd as it entered Castle Farms for the Beach Boys concert.

Sheriff serves papers to Reibel at Castle Farms

An attempt to collect debts owed by Arthur Reibel and Castle Farms, Inc., was made during the Beach Boys Concert Saturday night.

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department served two writs of execution to Reibel, owner and president of Castle Farms, at order of the Charlevoix District Court.

A writ of execution is a district court order to the sheriff to locate any assets that may be used to satisfy a judgment and to present it to the court.

The writs ordered Reibel to turn over his portion of the parking receipts collected from Saturday night concert goers in order to satisfy two judgments that are pending against him. However,

By PAULA HOLMES

While 12,000-plus fans were rocking and rolling to the Beach Boys Saturday night, about 60 other people were making sure that the concert ran as smoothly as possible.

Rock concerts don't just happen, they take a lot of behind-the-scenes work, a spokesman for Castle Farms Music Theater, who asked not to be identified, explained. Work that begins around 10 a.m. the day of the event.

"Members of the staff begin to show up around 10 a.m.," the spokesman said. "There are little things that have to be taken care of like the catering of the food for the band and meals for the road crew."

The road crew, which sets up the equipment for the band and makes sure everything is in perfect running order, usually shows up around noon.

"It takes a long time to get everything set up," the spokesman said. "The road crew for Jackson Brown worked from before noon until about 6:45 p.m. getting everything ready."

The groups are responsible for their own equipment whether it is going to work or not. But the Castle Farms crew is on hand to help move the equipment around and generally to assist.

The music theater crew, which is made up of local people and people from the Netherlands, Theatrical Corporation operation at Pine Knob near Detroit, is also in contact with the performers finding out when they want

to have sound checks, if they are going to be late or if they need anything. "It's just minor things, but you have to do them to keep the performers happy. And that's our job," the spokesman said.

The spokesman said the groups seemed to have enjoyed playing at Castle Farms, but he added that it takes a lot to impress a rock group.

"When you are used to first class like these groups are, even first class joints are no big deal to them," he said.

As the day wears on and the crowd begins to gather outside the gate, the attention of the Castle Farms security and parking crews turns more toward working with the crowds.

"The crowds have been great here," the spokesman said. "Security has really been just keeping people from jumping the fences and from parking on the road."

"You know, I don't think people understand rock concerts," he continued. "They think that everybody who attends one is a dope fiend and that's not true. We've had people of all ages and all types here. There were a lot of

families at the Chicago concert for instance."

Following the concert the crews assist the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department in getting the crowds on their way and the next day take care of the clean up of the concert area.

"We're basically a weekend operation," the spokesman said. "And the crews just come in for the weekend. We just have three people in the office during the week handling ticket sales and other details."

The spokesman said the ticket office received a handful of mail orders everyday from throughout the state and the Midwest. He said many orders came from Sault Ste. Marie, Chicago and Detroit.

"Most of them are probably people who are going to be vacationing in the area and want to go to the concert," he said.

The rest of the time is spent getting ready for the next concert and making sure that it runs smoothly.

"We're here to keep everybody happy," the spokesman said.



MEMBERS OF THE Castle Farms security crew around the stage relax on the job while waiting for the concert to begin.

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Additional operational mill needed to keep quality program

"The quality of education that a school system provides determines what type of people move into that community and what type of community the town becomes."

"If people have any community pride at all, they will want to keep the quality of education up as well as the quality of their churches and city government. But you have to have money to do that."

Gordon Van Wieren, superintendent of Charlevoix Public Schools, said discussing the upcoming millage election.

Charlevoix School District voters will be asked to approve an additional one mill for operational expenses during a special school election Sept. 12.

It is a vote for continued quality education in the Charlevoix area, according to the superintendent.

Van Wieren said the Charlevoix School District needs the additional mill to make up for a loss of state aid funds. Because the school district's

property valuation is so high, the school system will not be receiving any state aid at this year.

The district is starting the 1977-78 school year in the red budget wise because the amount of state aid that the school officials had anticipated receiving during the 1976-77 school year was less than had been expected.

The amount of tax revenues was lower than the school district officials had calculated would be coming in, too, the superintendent said.

With the deficit and the lack of state aid funds, the additional one mill is needed to maintain current programs, Van Wieren added.

And the school district would also like to add a new reading program at the middle school level this year.

"There is no formal reading program beyond the sixth grade level," Connie Pointer, school board member, explained. "But tests and teachers have found that there are several children in

the seventh and eighth grades that could benefit from additional reading help."

Middle school principal Vince Chew said about 35 students in the seventh and eighth grades were reading two levels below their grade and needed additional help.

Superintendent Van Wieren said there were many types of maintenance that were also needed at various buildings throughout the school district.

"Many things need to be done at the high school," Van Wieren explained. "Things have deteriorated there over the years and sooner or later they will have to be repaired."

"We have been putting it off because we didn't have the funds, but we can't do that any more. You can wait just so long for certain repairs."

Van Wieren said the gym roof at the high school needed to be repaired as well as the roofs at the middle school and elementary school. Doors also need

to be replaced at the high school along with school furniture.

Van Wieren said he did not think the request for one additional mill from the taxpayers was out of line. He pointed to school districts surrounding Charlevoix and explained that the Charlevoix School District has the lowest millage rate of any. A table of millage rates follows.

	Voted	Total
City		
Petoskey	19.15	29.15
Boyne City	17.8	31.96
East Jordan	18.4	33.5
Ellsworth	21.1	35.5
Charlevoix	15.25	26.45

Plus 1 Mill for Middle School 27.45

Van Wieren invited any school district voters with questions about the millage vote on Sept. 12 to contact him at his office or to get in touch with a school board member.

First day of school scary, rough for brand new teachers, too

By PAULA HOLMES

Fear of the unknown, anxiety about being in a new place...and uncertainty about what school is really all about. All these feelings describe the first day of school for the new student and, surprisingly enough, they also describe the first day of school for a new teacher, too.

"I'm not worried that I can't teach," she explained quickly. "I know I can do it. It's just a nervousness that comes with being new."

"I know I'll make mistakes. I just hope that I can learn from them and that the students can, too."

Miss Gengle, 22, will be teaching part time in the high school Learning Center. She is replacing Pam Smith, who is on maternity leave. It is the young woman's first teaching assignment.

"The first day of school will not be easy," the new teacher said her face lighting up at the thought of the challenge. "I don't know really what to expect."

"I've been thinking about it a lot though, trying to set up a plan to follow for the day. I think we will just do some get acquainted type things so that I can see how they think and they can see how I think."

"Yep, I'm scared," Mary Gengle, a bouncy blonde-headed new teacher at Charlevoix High School, said as she thought about her upcoming first day of school as a teacher.

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Just like the first time students, first

P.S.



Debbie Puffpuff betcha never thought you'd make the front page!



Mary Gengle

Editorials/Opinions

Pettiness, politics should not be running county, city

Pettiness and politics seem to be running the county these days.

Our county commissioners and city officials seem to be far too concerned with the petty and political aspects of the issues instead of being concerned with accomplishing some good for the area.

One example of pettiness and politics running the show instead of common sense and a desire to accomplish great things for the county is a recent suggestion for the revision of the planning commission bylaws.

The proposed new bylaws, drawn up by some members of the county board of commissioners, not the planning commission itself, would rule out having anyone involved in real estate transactions on the planning commission because of possible conflict of interest.

Although the county commissioners claim that this revision is not aimed at anyone person on the planning commission, it appears that the commissioners are trying to oust Walter Thorsen, chairman of the planning commission, who has served on the planning body since its inception in the 1960s.

Instead of rewriting the bylaws, the commissioners could have used a method already open to them and just not reappoint Thorsen when his term on the planning commission expires.

However, certain commissioners decided they wanted to change things now

and they have devised a way to accomplish it. Other commissioners who perhaps do not care one way or another about the planning commission have gone along with the change in bylaws in order to protect their own committees and interests.

The only people who suffer in the whole mess are the residents and voters in this county who need to have a united planning body working for them. Instead the planning commissioners are embroiled in a power struggle with the county commissioners and not doing anyone any good.

The City of Charlevoix seems to be having the same problem. The city owns a beautiful recreation complex called Mt. McCauba. The city has also received a sizeable matching grant from the federal government for improvements at Mt. McCauba which would benefit children and adults from throughout the area.

But no action has been taken on accepting the grant for several reasons. One is that the property just happens to be located in Charlevoix Township. Another problem is that it might be used by people who are not tax payers in the city.

Also if the city develops something on the north side, then it should also develop something on the south side.

That's politically astute, but impractical.

And once again only the people—especially the children—suffer.



Clockwise

by Bob Clock

That old whipping boy—television—is taking its lumps again because "Johnny Can't Read." Or if he can read, he isn't very good at figures. But this time television isn't taking the blame alone. A blue-ribbon panel studying a dramatic slip in Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) scores over the past 14 years also has concluded that relaxed teaching standards, as well as television, are to blame.

All of which leaves me confused. From what I have seen of our teachers and of television, I would say just the opposite should be true. The teachers I know are mostly young, dedicated and gung-ho about their chosen careers. And television—particularly with the advent of public broadcasting—is better than ever. Of course there is still a lot of junk on the air and there always will be. But there are some terribly interesting documentaries and dramatic shows on TV today, including the best of the classics.

If you haven't seen "Anyone for Tennis," the PBS poetry show produced by the University of Nebraska, you have denied yourself an exciting educational and cultural experience. The science documentaries prepared under the auspices of the National Geographic Society are excellent.

Furthermore, just about everything the networks run has to be somewhat broadening to stay-on-the-air. Kids like ours who have never slept at the Royal Hawaiian Hotel or galloped through the Louvre.

I am greatly puzzled as to why the very instrument which has the greatest potential for abolishing ignorance since the invention of paper has been labeled a positive deterrent to the educational process. It just doesn't make sense.

If SAT test scores have dropped as sharply as the educators say, there has to be a reason, but I believe blaming television and teaching standards is the

easy way out. For example, did the test probers take into account the fact that during the period of greatest decline in the SAT scores millions of minority youngsters who never took the test before have suddenly become candidates for university education?

Certainly in evaluating the scores, this one factor alone should be weighed quite heavily, since SAT tests are administered only to college-bound kids to determine their potential for success. To suddenly include a sizeable number of youngsters who will attend college only to satisfy the demands of an egalitarian society is not entirely fair to the folks who do the testing.

Certainly some reservation must be made for the culturally deprived when analyzing the SAT scores of recent years.

Furthermore, have the tests kept abreast of the times? Are the young people quizzed in areas in which they could reasonably be expected to show some proficiency?

Again, are there different tests for students whose interests lie in different areas? Are the SAT critics aware that with the coming of vocational education, specialization starts earlier than it did a generation ago? Most students and mechanics are totally unaware that an adverb may modify a verb, adjective or another adverb. And they could care less. Such knowledge is of little use in fine-tuning a carburetor.

So far as relaxed teaching standards are concerned, so be it. When you are educating the masses, you don't use the same standards as you do in educating the rich, the well born and the able.

The declining SAT scores could merely be a reflection on our changing social structure. To view them as an indictment of television and the teaching profession seems to be highly unfair.

Wants to have more road work done

Dear Editor:
Has the Charlevoix Co. Road Commission completely forgotten "Lake Shore Drive"—the extension of Bell's Bay Road beyond and south of the State Forest Campground? The road is a disgrace to the county that

calls itself "The Beautiful". I pay a huge tax to the county each year. I should think myself entitled to roads that are reasonably and safely negotiable.

Respectfully,
L.A. Wheeler

If it Fitz

by Jim Fitzgerald

To avoid police layoffs, will it soon be necessary for taxpayers to subsidize crime? This question worries me more than the possible embarrassment of having my life saved by a cop who can't read.

The worrying began as the traffic cop stepped in front of my car and signaled stop. He almost dropped the copy of "War and Peace" wedged into his left armpit.

"I must commandeer your car," the cop said. "I have to get this book back to the library before it becomes overdue. It is not possible for police to stamp out crime without the co-operation of citizens."

I refused to co-operate, so the cop gave me a ticket for disobeying the lawful command of a policeman. Before handing me the ticket, he read it aloud three times, front and back, sounding a lot like Richard Burton.

"Am I not articulate?" he asked. I answered, but there was considerable applause from people standing along the curb. "If all policemen could read like that, I would move back into the city," an admiring woman said.

As you must know, there has lately

been considerable fuss about whether Detroit cops know how to read. The hassle was started by crusading newspaper reporters who revealed that some new cops had flunked a test. There is nothing more crusading than a newspaper reporter who has uncovered someone who can't spell as he or she can. The reporter's satisfaction is greatest when the uncovered dunce is an editor, but a policeman will do.

The July 29 graduates of the Detroit Police Academy scored an average of 59 percent in a test administered by the Michigan Law Enforcement Officers Training Council. That is 11 below the acceptable average. The test results indicate the cops are lousy readers.

The Detroit Police Officers' Association (DPOA) said an impartial committee should be appointed to investigate the training of police recruits. But Police Chief William Hart said the DPOA was offended more by their intelligence.

And besides, Hart added, reading skills are not "indicative of job performance as a police officer."

Only a visitor from Mars would call

Paula Holmes... Speaking Her Mind

Well, I made it. It's been a year since I came to the Charlevoix Courier and I have survived.

I have also learned some things along the way that I would like to share with you.

One of the first things I learned was to be very careful when attending a Kiwanis meeting. I was invited to a Kiwanis gathering once and I nearly drowned!

I was sitting at a table with some people from the Kiwanis Club in Petoskey who were visiting the Charlevoix club on an exchange. There was some good natured exchange throughout dinner and then as it came time for the speaker we settled down to listen.

I was studiously taking notes and thinking about picture angles when I felt a drop of water on my head and then another and another.

I jumped up from my chair just in time to miss being drenched by a waterfall pouring from a ceiling tile that had given way. The water poured instead on my vacant chair, never hitting the man to my right or left. I couldn't believe it.

The man sitting next to me laughed so loud over the incident that the speaker had to stop talking until the matter was taken care of. In the meantime, I tried to sneak out without being noticed.

After all, I had heard about small towns and how cliquey they were. I was a little concerned to say the least. However, I found Charlevoix to be much friendlier than even Petoskey, with people more than willing to help me out in every way they could.

And this is true of anyone, not just me. We have had some real tragedies in this town this summer involving the premature deaths of a couple young people and serious injury to others. Each time the residents of this town have rallied around the relatives trying to ease the pain and to make life bearable during that moment of sorrow.

And that's a good feeling to have for a town, and its residents. It's been a great year Charlevoix and all I can say is thanks.

The next thing I learned was never to complain about my age to the other people in my office. I am not the

youngest person in the office, but I am not the oldest, either. However, when I turned 25 this year I was quite depressed and concerned about becoming old.

After all, I had never been 25 before and it seemed awfully old to me. Well I got what I deserved. When my birthday finally rolled around, the staff greeted me with a shawl, a cane and some prune juice.

I have also learned some things about small towns. When I first moved to this area three years ago, I thought Petoskey was pretty small. But when I had to move to Charlevoix, which is about half the size of Petoskey, I was pretty concerned.

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Erma Bombeck

Mothers of America! You have been given one more chance to be fashion pacesetters.

White anklets are back! They've been seen throughout Europe being worn by high-heeled shoes. I know it is only a matter of time before Princess Grace, Queen Elizabeth, Jackie Onassis and Barbara Walters are schlepping around in them.

Before you shake your head and say, "No, I'll never wear one," let me assure you. I went through the same humiliation route with white anklets that you went through back in the '40s and '50s. I too was maligned by my family.

My sons self-destructed before my very eyes once when I appeared in white anklets on the playground. My husband said they made my legs look like tree stumps, and one day when a friend of my daughter's came to the house to play she said, "What team does your mother play for?"

We let them shame us into giving up our white socks. And what did we get in return? Pantyhose. You have to be in shape to wear pantyhose. Just ask Joe Namath. I personally never put on a pair of pantyhose without thinking I got a pair that was hatched prematurely and needed another few months in the

egg.

Ah, the good old days of white anklets. They never sprung a run... never slid down over your hips when you coughed... never cut off circulation when you crossed your legs. White socks went with everything, winter and summer. And you never had cracked heels.

Remember the warm, fuzzy feeling you had in white socks? Critics are the first to point out how ridiculous they looked. Sour grapes. Have you ever seen yourself standing in front of the mirror in a pair of knee-highs and a pair of glasses?

The trouble with Mothers is they are never the pacesetters of anything. They borrow a few T-shirts and jeans from their sons, kooky shoes and funky blouses from their daughters, sweaters from their husbands and a few dresses from their mothers. But they do not have one style that is exclusive, unique, and theirs alone.

The white socks could do it for us. It could establish mothers as trendsetters. What have you got to lose—except your ankles?

Have you got the guts?
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Call the Hotline

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Let's subsidize crime!

Who is correct? I don't care. I am worried about something more important than whether a cop can read a comic book without moving his lips. That's why I wasn't impressed by the traffic officer and his overdue book. I am worried what will happen if the FBI ever wins the war against crime. What turned me on to this scare is the compromise recently worked out to keep state troopers patrolling Detroit freeways.

Wayne County deputies wanted to replace the troopers. This would have furnished employment for deputies who had been laid off because the local jail population has shrunk.

The deputies' union pressured the state Legislature to jerk the troopers. But the Legislature received just as much pressure from Detroit drivers who want the troopers to stick around.

The politicians' compromise keeps the troopers on the freeways but it also creates jobs for the laid-off deputies. The deputies will be used to guard state prisoners and to chase bail jumpers. A posse will be formed when a single deputy would be plenty.

Only a visitor from Mars would call

Meet Charlevoix

...Helen Phillips

Helen Phillips is the Assistant Director of the Public Program Administration for Charlevoix County, working under County Clerk Clarence Rabach. This week the Courier talks with Mrs. Phillips about her job, especially as it relates to employment of persons under the comprehensive Employment and Training Act (CETA).

COURIER: Where do CETA funds come from?

PHILLIPS: They are federal funds, funneled through the state and a consortium made up of 10 Northwestern Michigan counties.

COURIER: How are the funds and jobs and job-seekers matched up?

PHILLIPS: When we are advised that we have been allocated a certain amount of money, we contact the public employing agencies in the county and ask them to submit requests for job slots, along with job descriptions and budgets. The CETA committee of the Board of Commissioners, made up of Commissioners Lee Moerland, Ralph Richardson,

and Marty Paul, then screen the requests and make job allocations to the different employing agencies. Each agency does its own interviewing and hiring.

COURIER: Who are these public employing agencies?

PHILLIPS: All branches of county government, townships, schools, cities, villages, hospitals, road commission, Northern Michigan Community Mental Health, the District Health Department, etc.

COURIER: After the employing agencies' requests for CETA employees have been approved, how do they contact people to fill the jobs?

PHILLIPS: They list their jobs with the Michigan Employment Security Commission (MESC). All people hired under CETA must be registered with MESC.

COURIER: Who is eligible for employment under the CETA program?

PHILLIPS: There are two programs. One is called Title II. Under present rules, a person may be hired for this program if he or she has been

unemployed for at least 30 days. Jobs funded under this program should serve a training purpose and provide an identifiable future opportunity to transfer to unsubsidized employment within 12 months. The other program is called Title VI. Eligibility for this program, under present rules, calls for a person to be earning not more than 70 percent of the lower living standard, which is based on a family-size scale, and be unemployed for a period of 15 weeks out of the last 20 weeks, or have received unemployment benefits for 15 weeks. Another category covers those who meet lower living standard requirements and who were recently discharged from the Armed Services, recently released from prison, or receiving Aid to Dependent Children.

COURIER: What about the new "Projects" part of Title VII?

PHILLIPS: This is for public agencies which have a job or several related jobs which can be completed in a definite period of time, not to exceed

one year, and for which they do not have funds available. A "Project" may include the rehabilitation, alteration, or improvement, but not new construction of public buildings, roads, health and education facilities, or other facilities for the improvement of the community. The Road Commission, Boyne Falls Schools, the City of Charlevoix, the Equalization Department, East Jordan Schools, the DNR, and the Char-Em School District have already had Projects approved. As an example of what might be done, the Boyne Falls Schools are having their ceilings lowered to conserve energy.

COURIER: How many people are there in CETA jobs in the county at the present time?

PHILLIPS: We have nine working under Title II and 36 working under Title VI.

COURIER: How much money does that represent?

PHILLIPS: We have an estimated budget of \$76,000 for Title II for the fiscal year, and \$325,000 for Title VI for the fiscal year. This does not

include Title VI project money, which will probably be about \$800,000.

COURIER: What kind of salaries do CETA employees receive?

PHILLIPS: Depending on the job, they range from minimum wages of \$10.00, which is the top limit. CETA employees also receive the same fringe benefits that regular employees of the public agency they work for receive.

COURIER: Are all the CETA jobs now available filled?

PHILLIPS: Yes, with the exception of any new Projects that may be under-taken. Also, if anyone quits a job, we will fill it with someone else.

COURIER: Give us some examples of the types of jobs CETA employees are now holding.

PHILLIPS: Sheriff's deputies, secretaries, sanitation, media aide, cook's helpers, deputy probation officer, director of the Commission on Aging, bus drivers, laborers, accounts clerks, graphic specialist, administration assistant,

custodians, and recreation directors.

COURIER: How do you feel about the criticisms that are sometimes leveled against the CETA program and CETA employees?

PHILLIPS: Well, I know a lot of people who have been helped, not only money-wise but pride-wise.

COURIER: How many other employees are there in the county CETA office?

PHILLIPS: Only one, Marge Webster. She's my right-hand man.

COURIER: How long has the CETA program been operating?

PHILLIPS: Since 1974. I started with it then.

COURIER: What did you do before that?

PHILLIPS: I've had several jobs through the years. With the Friend of the Court, Health Department, Welfare Department, Earl Young—all secretarial work.

COURIER: Are you a native of Charlevoix?

PHILLIPS: I was born on Beaver Island. My father, Peter Gallagher, was in the lighthouse service and we



Helen Phillips

were transferred to Milwaukee when I was in the eighth grade. I went to high school three years in Milwaukee then came back to Charlevoix for my senior year and graduated.

COURIER: Where did you go to college?

PHILLIPS: Catholic Junior College in Grand Rapids. I took a commercial course and received an AA degree.

COURIER: How many children did you and your late husband, Ivan, have?

PHILLIPS: Three. Peter

has come back to Charlevoix from Detroit where he worked for the IRS to run the family gas station. He has a degree in business administration, is married and has two children. Ann is a graduate of Central Michigan, is married and lives in Grand Rapids with her husband and three children. Richard is a student at Michigan State.

COURIER: Does your father still live in Charlevoix?

PHILLIPS: Yes. He's 92 years old.

Ray Peltz supports peaceful nuclear research

To the Editor:

In the past oil and gas producers encouraged the use of their products, and now most of the world's industrial nations are dependent on them for energy. 75 percent of the energy used by the United States comes from oil and gas. Since the 1973 Middle East oil boycott the oil industry claims that increasing prices will be necessary to finance the discovery and development of new petroleum and gas resources, and eventually world demand for oil and gas will surpass supplies. Expert

estimates of when this crisis will occur range from 4 years to 100 years with the official United States estimate at about 10 years.

Considering the fact that when the United States and the Allies cut off Japanese supplies of oil in the early summer of 1941 we got the Pearl Harbor attack in the late fall of 1941, and during the 1973 oil boycott some American officials admitted that if our economy were threatened war could not be ruled out, a successful resolution of the energy crisis, worldwide, could be more than the "moral equivalent of war" failure could result in the literal equivalent of war.

The President Carter response is long range research and development of solar power systems, conserve petroleum and gas supplies by reducing waste while shifting to more abundant coal, a modest increase in U-235 nuclear power stations, a delay in breeder reactor construction and reprocessing nuclear wastes to reduce chances of nuclear proliferation, and this would leave much of our, and the

world's, nuclear power locked into weapons systems.

While the Carter plan is better than a blind drift toward disaster there are alternatives that should be considered. Six nations now have nuclear weapons and two dozen nations have the economic and technological requirements to produce them. In 4 to 10 years that number will undoubtedly be higher.

Environmentalists seem to be fanatically opposed to the peaceful uses of nuclear energy, especially

plutonium, where scientists try to make nuclear technology as safe as possible, and they ignore nuclear weapons systems where scientists try to make nuclear technology of plutonium for weapons purposes and cannot account for thousands of pounds of that nuclear material.

The energy available in the world's fissionable nuclear resources exceed the energy available in organic resources by far, but using the only known naturally occurring fissionable isotope, U-235, directly for energy

without breeder reactors and without reprocessing nuclear byproducts is a waste of energy resources.

The world reserves of U-235 are estimated to be about 3,000 tons. The world reserves of U-238 that can be converted to fissionable plutonium 239 are about 330,000 tons. The world reserves of thorium 232 that can be bred into fissionable U-233 are about 1 million tons.

If it comes down to a choice between an energy crisis where the world's organic resources are in dispute for

See Research page 17.

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U.S. CONGRESSMAN—Rep. Philip Ruppe (R), Woodland Road, Houghton, Mich., 49931; or the U.S. House of Representatives, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C., 20515.

STATE SENATOR—Robert Davis (R), 351 E. Fourth St., Gaylord, Mich., 49735; or State Senate Chambers, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48913. STATE REPRESENTATIVE—10th District—Ralph Ostling (R), Route 2, Box 475B, Roseconnon, Mich., 49853; 10th District—E. Dan Stevens (R), Atlanta, Mich., 49709. The representatives may also be reached at the House of Representatives, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

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Cancer society volunteers honored



HARRY CUSTER, M.D., and member of the Charlevoix County Unit of the American Cancer Society, receives a certificate of honor from Patty Muma, Cancer Crusade chairman. Mrs. Muma honored all volunteers that worked in Charlevoix County.

Thanks and congratulations were given to volunteers working for the Charlevoix County Unit of the American Cancer Society last week.

Patty Muma, Cancer Crusade chairman, held a special meeting to thank the people who had worked with her on the fund drive and gave each a certificate mentioning their hard work.

"I want to congratulate you and thank you," Mrs. Muma said. "This is the 10th straight year that Charlevoix County has gone over its goal."

"And this has been a special year for me, too. I was going to resign at the end of this year, but for the second time in five years, cancer struck my family," she told a silent audience. "My mother died of it five years ago and my husband had it this year but has been completely cured thanks to the research that has been done in the last five years."

"So I have decided to stay and work for the cancer society and I myself would like to start a World War III

against cancer. If we form an army together we can wipe out cancer in our lifetimes."

The Charlevoix County goal for its Cancer Crusade this year was \$15,000. Workers collected \$14,152 with \$7,750 coming from Charlevoix; \$2,520 coming from East Jordan; \$3,341 coming from Boyne City and \$500 from Beaver Island.

Dr. Harry Custer also addressed the group. Dr. Custer told the volunteers that not

much progress had been made in the fight against cancer since he talked with the group a year ago.

"But we are making progress and it is worthwhile to continue our efforts," Custer said. "The secret to cancer is the secret to life itself and that's what the fight boils down to."

"Can we wipe out cancer in our lifetime, I don't know, but I hope we can control it."

Historical group to honor author Rex Beach

By PEG OHLE

Members of the Charlevoix Historical Society will honor the memory of Rex Ellington Beach at the Society's next meeting, Tuesday, September 6 at 8 p.m. in the Community Room of the First State Bank of Charlevoix.

The famous author was born 100 years ago just ten miles south of Charlevoix in a homestead on what is now known as Rex Beach Road. A feature of the evening's program will be a book review by Mrs. Eleanor Carson of an autobiography by the famous writer. A birthday cake is planned, and on display will be a number of Beach's 30-odd novels, 27 of which were made into movies during the silent film era. Although no original pictures of the Beach homestead have been found, a number of conceptual paintings based on later snapshots will be shown.

Rollins College in Winter Park, Florida, Beach's alma mater and recipient of his endowment, joins in the September celebration. A granite boulder from the Beach homestead and a polished Petoskey stone from the area were provided by Historical Society President Ed Bestner and presented to the Society to Rollins College by the Arthur and Robert Weststaff families during their trip to Florida last winter. The boulder has recently been set in a concrete block in the College's Famous Walk adjoins the library. The Petoskey stone will be displayed in the new Art Gallery as a permanent addition to Rex Beach's memorabilia.

The Historical Society urges all who are interested to attend the September meeting to honor Beach's contribution to American literature as well as to add to this belated recognition of a native son.

Social Services Dept. tries new schedule

Employees of the Charlevoix County Department of Social Services are now working a four-day, 10-hour a day week. Their hours are from 7 a.m. to 5:30 p.m., with one-half hour for lunch.

However, the Department is open five days a week from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. to serve its clients. There is someone on duty in each office every day.

Vasco Zucchini, assistant director of Charlevoix Social Services, reports that the four-day work week schedule is now available to Social Services Departments throughout the state upon approval of the State Department of Social Services.

The Charlevoix schedule is on a trial basis and will be re-evaluated at the end of December.

The Charlevoix County District Court is looking for a new East Jordan magistrate by paid \$2,000 a year with no fringes.

The judge also said the city had agreed to give the magistrate's office some space in what was formerly the secretary of state's office.

Fershee said that after reviewing the position, his office had determined that it was important to keep a part

time magistrate in East Jordan. He suggested that the magistrate be paid \$2,000 a year with no fringes.

Fershee said he had gotten several applications for the magistrate job already even though he hadn't advertised it yet.

New store offers alternatives



OLAV SPAULDING and Dan Osmer discuss one of the wood burning stoves they keep in stock at their new store Heartwood Alternative. The store is located on Mason Street across from the post office.

Looking for a way to ease your heating bills this winter? Charlevoix residents are now being offered an alternative means of heating through a new store called Heartwood Alternative.

The store is located on Mason Street across from the U.S. Post Office.

The new store, owned and operated by Dan and Reta Osmer and Joe and Carol Spaulding, stocks two types of wood stoves for area residents and visitors who would like to try their hand at an alternative means of heating. The new business also offers saunas and natural foods.

"We feel this business fulfills a need in the area and offers an important service," Osmer said explaining how the two couples decided to go into business. "And it combines our lifestyles with the business."

Osmer said both he and his wife and the Spauldings heat

with wood and have been for some time and they both eat natural foods and have been vegetarians for seven years.

The businessman said that the couples were very concerned about the environment and the energy crisis.

"We see heating with wood as a short-range solution to the problem," Osmer explained. "And it uses a fuel that can be replenished."

The store stocks the two top brands of wood stoves, Merru, a stove made in Denmark, and Fisher, an American-made model which is built in Schoolcraft, Mich.

The couples also have Nippa Sauna Heaters in stock.

Institute in Detroit, and Spaulding, a carpenter, offer free delivery and a complete installation service with their products.

"We can handle most any type of installation including stonework," he said.

The store owner said the couples hope to expand their stock to include other items needed for wood burning such as chain saws, axes and fire extinguishers.

In the natural food department, the store offers whole grains, whole grain flours, unfiltered fruit juice, nuts, beans, seeds and natural food snacks such as dried fruits, cookies and corn chips.

"Since the Industrial Revolution we have been refining everything from toast to jam," Joe Spaulding explained. "We take the nutrients out of the food and then bleach it and treat it and then put artificial nutrients

back in.

"Here we are offering foods that haven't been refined and that still have some life left in them. Foods that are better for you," Spaulding said.

Osmer added that studies have shown that preservatives and sugars have increased hyperactivity in children. He said the two couples believe that eating natural foods would cut down the rate of hyperactivity in children and would probably also prevent the onset of intestinal diseases in older people.

"We're here to take responsibility to help people become more aware of the joy of living," Osmer said. "And mostly to offer alternative."

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Once called lumbago, back pain is often caused by poor posture, obesity, ill-fitting or inappropriate shoes, a sedentary life, overly strenuous work, or participating in sports. It may also be caused by disease not

directly relating to the back, or to injury or strain.

Low back pain may occur at any age, but it seems to bother middle-aged persons most. It occurs in both sexes and in all races, and is more common among people who do work that requires stooping or lifting.

Good posture of the entire body is important in preventing low back pain. Sit with head, shoulders and trunk erect. Stand straight. Not the military ramrod posture, but straight.

A soft, saggy bed and low, soft chairs contribute to backache. Chairs ideally should be firm, straight and have the contour of a normal back.

A low-heeled shoe is best for standing or walking. High-heeled shoes throw the posture off balance and increase strain on the lower back. Loafers, ballet slippers or sneakers may contribute to backache if worn extensively.

In lifting heavy objects, keep the back straight and lift with the knees and thigh muscles, rather than bending over and straining the spine.

Like most other ailments, backache may be aggravated by emotional tension or anxiety.

Treatment of backache varies with the cause. When it's due to strain, usually rest, heat and a pain reliever will help. Massage in moderation may relieve discomfort. Your doctor also may recommend exercise to strengthen the muscles of the back and to improve posture.

Homemade treats make great gifts

What could make a better gift than a jar of sweet strawberry jam you made yourself? Unless it's a jar of homemade pickles. Or, better yet, give both!

Just so you go about making these treats comes your way in two booklets from the U.S. Department of Agriculture. For a copy of How to Make Jellies, Jams, and Preserves at Home send 40 cts., and for Making Pickles and Relishes at Home, send 5 cts. to the Consumer Information Center, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

Here are some helpful highlights from each booklet:

Alum and lime are not needed to make pickles crisp and firm if good-quality ingredients and up-to-date procedures are used.

Use tested recipes. And be sure to measure or weigh all ingredients carefully.

Select tender vegetables and firm fruit.

Use pure granulated salt if available. Do not use iodized table salt; it may darken pickles. Uniodized table salt

can be used, but the materials added to salt to prevent caking may make the brine cloudy.

Uncooked Berry Jam Sort and wash 2 cups of fully ripe berries (such as strawberries, blackberries, and raspberries). Drain. Remove caps and stems. Crush berries. Place prepared berries in a large mixing bowl.

Add 4 cups of sugar, mix well, and let stand for 20 minutes, stirring occasionally. Dissolve 1 package powdered pectin in 1 cup water and boil for 1

minute. Add pectin solution to berry and sugar mixture. Stir for 2 minutes. Pour jam into freezer containers or canning jars, leaving 1/2 inch space at the top. Cover containers and let stand at room temperature for 24 hours or until jam has set. Makes 6 or 8 half pint jars.

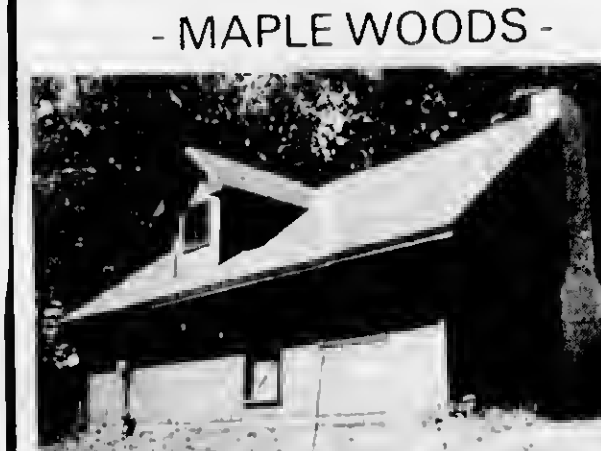
Store the uncooked jam in your refrigerator or freezer. It can be held up to 3 weeks in a refrigerator or up to a year in a freezer. Once a container is opened, jam should be stored in the refrigerator, and used within a few days.

How to Make Jellies, Jams, and preserves at Home, (45 cents) and Making Pickles and Relishes at Home (45 cents) are two of over 200 selected federal consumer publications listed in the Fall edition of the Consumer Information Catalog. The Catalog is published quarterly by the Consumer Information Center of the General Services Administration. You can get a free copy by sending a postcard to the Consumer Information Center, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.

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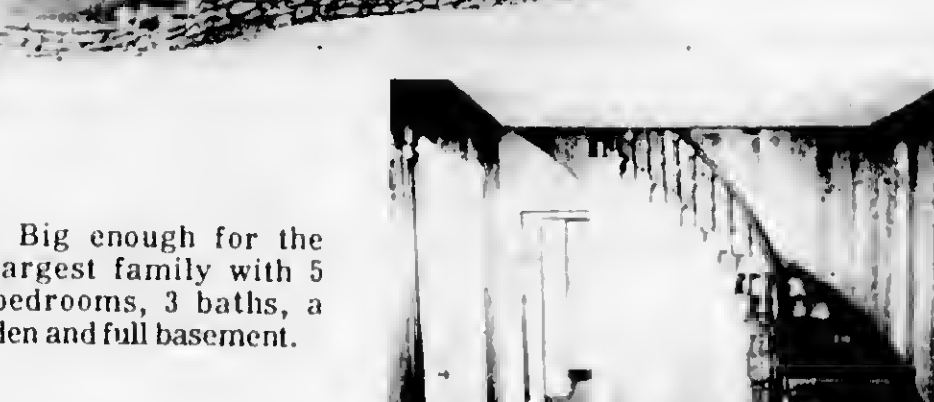
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Charlevoix residents enjoy Emmet fair

It may have been called the Emmet County Fair, but a lot of Charlevoix County residents participated in it. Charlevoix area youth and adults took part in the beef auction as well as participated in the exhibits and many residents of this county were among the 265 exhibitors at the fair.

In addition to winning some of the top prizes, some interesting things happened to Charlevoix residents at the fair, too. A grand champion dairy cow, owned by Robert Stowe of fronton, gave birth to a calf Friday afternoon at the fair as the fair manager Wilfred Sterzik assisted. Stowe knew the cow was going to give birth, but he just happened to be away when she decided it was time to deliver. In the Market Steer competition David Elzinga of Charlevoix won the Grand

Championship Showmanship award. Elzinga, 16, first took the senior showmanship award for the 15-18 age group. The steers in the competition are judged based on the grooming and the handling by the owner in the show ring.

Then during the show off between the first and second place winners in the junior and senior division for showmanship, Elzinga was awarded the Grand Champion prize.

This is Elzinga's second year of competition in the Market Steer Program at the Emmet County Fair. Other Charlevoix County youth participating in the steer program were: Liz Heath, Sherry Jones, Kaye and Tom Hand of Charlevoix, Kelly Bascon and Bud Klooster of Atwood and Kaye and Tammy Tahyer and Jean

and Sue Stoll of Boyne City. Second year participants were: Doug and Mark Drenth, Dave Elzinga, Rich Hand, Andy and Bob Keller all of Charlevoix.

A list of the exhibitors from Charlevoix County and the prizes they received follows.

Alma Boone, Boyne City, second place best dressed doll; Char-Em Beekers, Boyne City, first most complete bee display; Irene Ciszewski, East Jordan, third best dressed doll; Judy Everest, Boyne City, first knitted afghan; Doug Drenth, Charlevoix, first senior buck and additional rabbit division; Cindy Figord, Charlevoix; second in stole and crocheted child sweater; third in crocheted bedspread and stocking; and Julie Fall, Boyne City, second white Leghorns.

Other winners from Charlevoix County were: Ed Garrick, East Jordan, second Italian zucchini; Martha Griffen, Charlevoix, first pound cake, second brownies; Doris Hamlin, Charlevoix, two firsts, five second and three thirds in baked goods and canned goods division; Pat Howard, Boyne Falls, first easter egg cock; Ricky Johncheck, Boyne City, first chicken division; Barb Knight, Charlevoix, second cactus; and Lois Leach, Boyne City, first yeast coffee cake and second extracted honey.

More winners are: Ray McCrany, Boyne City, first junior yearling bull; Diana Nottelsen, Boyne City, first doe and litter; Robert Pluister, Boyne City, first honey comb; Phyllis Penfold, Boyne Falls, second sofa pillow, third crocheted afghan; Theresa Polorski, Boyne City, five firsts, two seconds and three thirds in baked goods and rhabarb; Tom Rainey, Boyne City, third five jars of honey; Lisa Regmund, Boyne Falls, second round cabbage; Charles Regmund, Boyne Falls, second large squash, third flat cabbage and Joan Sorenson, Boyne City, first doe and breed and second doe and breed.

Other winners are: Anna Speigal, Bay Shore, first dresser scarfs; Jim Stowe, Charlevoix, first dairy cattle,

three seconds dairy cattle; Barb Stowe, Charlevoix, two first dairy cattle and first junior get of sire; Robert Stowe, Charlevoix, six first, one second and one third all cattle; Doug and Marilyn

Thayer, two seconds junior call and one third yearlings; Pat Smalley, Charlevoix, two firsts, six seconds and four thirds plants and other exhibits; Darlene Smalley, Charlevoix, one first, three

seconds and one third, clothing and rabbits; by Strong, Boyne Falls, second crocheted and third doll; and Leona Winchester, Charlevoix, first in applique quilts.



DAVID ELZINGA, winner of the Grand Champion Showmanship award, poses with his steer and Alvin W. Pals, chairman of the board and chief executive officer of Northwestern State Bank. Pals purchased the steer for 87 cents a pound during the auction at the Emmet County Fair.



WATCHING OVER HER new charge is the grand champion dairy cow at the Emmet County Fair. The cow, owned by Robert Stowe, gave birth at the fair Friday afternoon.

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JIMMY BOGGS WORKS his magic trick the "Queen of Hearts." Jimmy and his sister Tammy held a backyard carnival with the help of some of their friends to raise funds for muscular dystrophy.

Boggs hold carnival for M.S. fundraising

"Step right up and see the magic show, or try the pie throw."

Those sounds came from the backyard of the James Boggs residence this week as Jimmy and Tammy Boggs held a carnival to help raise funds for the fight against muscular dystrophy.

"We wanted something to do. You know, something that was worth something," Jimmy, 13, said explaining how the carnival got started. "Actually, it was my sister's idea. She wanted to have a circus and raise money for us. But instead we decided we shouldn't keep the money but send it to something good."

So when the two children saw an ad on television about backyard carnivals for muscular dystrophy, they sent away for the kit explaining how to hold one. The rest is history.

Jimmy and Tammy set up as many different types of booths as they could think of. They had a fortune teller and a magic show with Jimmy playing the part of the magician.

"I like doing stuff that surprises people," the middle

school student said explaining how he got into the magic business.

His two favorite tricks are the "Queen of Hearts" where the queen card is magically converted from three pieces into one card, and the "Flying Ace."

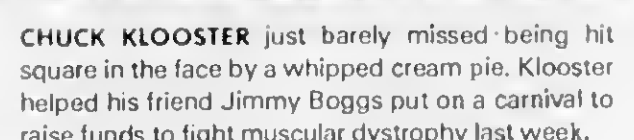
The Boggs also had a ring toss, a dart throw set up complete with prizes.

"We thought we should make the games worthwhile since they are paying for them," Jimmy explained. "So we bought prizes from different stores downtown."

One of the most popular booths was the pie throw. For quarter carnival goers could throw a miniature pie tin full of whip cream at a waiting victim. Sometimes it was hard to tell which was more fun, being the thrower or the receiver, who got to clean up the whip cream.

"We came up with the pie throw because we knew we wouldn't have to give any prizes for it," Jimmy said.

Helping Jimmy with the three-day carnival were other Eaton St. residents, Eric Dziedzic, Chuck Klooster and Mark Mosley.



CHUCK KLOOSTER just barely missed being hit square in the face by a whipped cream pie. Klooster helped his friend Jimmy Boggs put on a carnival to raise funds to fight muscular dystrophy last week.



MARK MOSLEY takes aim with a dart at the balloon board. This was one of many games at the backyard carnival.

SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF CHARLEVOIX PUBLIC SCHOOLS CHARLEVOIX AND ANTRIM COUNTIES, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 12, 1977

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that a special election of Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, will be held in the Charlevoix Elementary School, on Division Street, on Monday, September 12, 1977.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following proposition will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the special election:

TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION FOR OPERATING PURPOSES

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, be increased by 1 mill (\$1.00 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for the year 1977, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes?

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

I, Anah H. Potter, Treasurer of Charlevoix County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of July 25, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Charlevoix County:
By Charlevoix Township:
By Norwood Township:
By Hayes Township:
By Marion Township:
By Eveline Township:
By the School District:
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2 mills, 5 years (1975-79)
None
None
None
None
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6 mills, 1977 and 1978
1 mill, 1977 to 1981, inclusive
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Anah H. Potter
Treasurer, Charlevoix County, Michigan

I, Phyllis I. Mills, Treasurer of Antrim County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of July 21, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

By Antrim County:
By Banks Township:
By the School District:
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Phyllis I. Mills
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Commissioners suggest changes for planners

Some suggestions for change in the operation of the Charlevoix County Planning Commission have been made by members of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners.

The planning commission recently revised its bylaws to improve its operation and effectiveness. However, now members of the county commission are planning to make some further changes.

The new changes were discussed at a recent meeting of the board of commissioners. Planning Commission members suggested

that the bylaws be amended to reduce the size of the board from 11 to 7 members and to appoint members to represent the following areas: agriculture, business, industry, labor, environment, recreation and government or transportation.

The Committee members also asked that all people involved in the sale and transfer of ownership of real estate be ineligible for membership on the planning commission due to conflict of interest. Two members presently on the committee, Walter Thorsen and Edward Wojan.

John Kujawski, county commissioner and real estate agent, objected to the exclusion of people involved with real estate.

"If you exclude everyone involved in a real estate transfer from membership on the planning commission you'll have to exclude judges and lawyers, too," Kujawski said. "And those people are some of the pillars of the community."

Thorsen also said that he was concerned about the elimination of certain professions from the commission and that said that he

had called the state attorney general's office to get an opinion about the suggested change in the bylaws.

"As chairman of the planning commission, I'm going to take any action on these suggestions until we hear from the attorney general," he told the commissioners.

"I know that I always try to think of the county when I am working on the planning commission and I would say that all the members do."

Thorsen pointed out that the planning commission always has written its own bylaws.

Oscar Ward, a county commissioner who supports the revisions, said that the changes had been presented in good faith in an effort to make the planning commission more responsible to the county commissioners and the people.

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had called the state attorney general's office to get an opinion about the suggested change in the bylaws.

"As chairman of the planning commission, I'm going to take any action on these suggestions until we hear from the attorney general," he told the commissioners.

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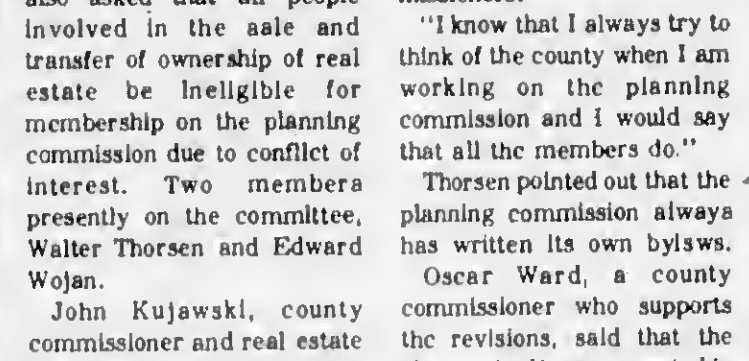
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WALTER HARVEY, who farms land near Greensky Hill Methodist Church in Charlevoix County, holds one of his prize zucchini squash. The squash weighed in at 11.5 pounds. Harvey said his secret was using chicken manure as fertilizer.

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Charlevoix County residents find cost of college greater than ever

Residents of Charlevoix County whose sons and daughters will be heading for college soon are finding that the cost will be greater than ever.

Colleges in all parts of the country have raised their rates again, citing their own increased operating expenses for faculty salaries, fuel, supplies and maintenance.

The new rates, according to figures obtained in a survey of 2,750 colleges and universities, will boost the already high cost of such education.

For residential students at four-year private institutions, the average increase is \$242, and, for those at public colleges, \$115.

The big problem is how to pay for it. Many parents, especially those with two offspring going to college at the same time, find themselves in a financial bind as a result.

For Charlevoix Community families, based upon the number of local youngsters who are college-bound this year, the added cost will amount to approximately \$87,000.

The nationwide survey shows, according to the College Entrance Examination Board, that the overall cost is about four percent higher on average, than it was in 1976.

With the increase, the total costs of private four-year institutions now average \$4,965 for resident students, compared with \$4,663 previously. At public colleges it is \$3,005, as against \$2,890 the year before. For commuting students the figures are about \$500 lower.

Included are tuition, fees, transportation, books, miscellaneous expenses and room and board.

According to the latest estimates, some 630 young men and women from the Charlevoix County area will be going to college this year.

The total cost involved, for local parents, is approximately \$2,169,000. This is based upon the assumption that half of the students will be going to private colleges and half to public ones.

Because higher education has become so costly, many young people have had to change their plans. Some are settling for two years rather than four year schools. Others have had to forego college entirely, at least for the present.

Road commission to recycle pavement

The Charlevoix County Road Commission has gone into the recycling business. It is using a new system of resurfacing whereby stretches of existing worn pavement are taken up, pulverized, mixed with bituminous oil, re-laid, compacted, then covered with a layer of new pavement.

Road Commission Engineer-Director Irvin H. Sturm reports that a section of Six Mile Road in South Arm Township has been resurfaced by the recycling method, and part of North Shore Drive in Walloon Lake will soon be repaved by the same method.

Results of the recycling process will be closely observed, Sturm says, to determine the advisability using it more often.

"It minimizes the use of new material," Sturm adds, "and therefore saves not only money but energy and natural resources."

Improper lane usage, and following too closely. Indications are that drunk driving and speeding will be the major concern of the nearly 300 highway patrol officers in the four states. It will be the first time that four states have teamed up in such a program.

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Michigan to join 3 states in Labor Day highway patrol

Vacationers heading south to their homes in Southern Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois over the Labor Day weekend will be well observed by State Police in those states.

Highway patrol officers are co-operating in a special holiday effort called "Operation Care" to patrol the Interstate Highways beginning on Friday and carrying through Monday midnight.

C-A-R-E (Combined Accident Reduction Effort) will focus attention on enforcing the nationwide 55 mile an hour speed limit and concentrating on drunk driving.

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Petoskey, Michigan

Little Traverse Bay has quiet beauty and unforgettable charm. When the setting sun spreads its radiance over the waters, it is indeed lovely from the vantage point of the limestone cliff on which the city of Petoskey now stands. The setting sun provides a spectacular show. The Indians created a legend about it. Since the first settlers and sightseers arrived over one hundred years ago, the beauty of the sunset has been a thing of wonder and awe to all.

Very few white people had seen a sunset over Little Traverse Bay on that late fall day in 1863, when the first train whistled to a stop at the end of its line.

On board was a reporter for a Grand Rapids newspaper, who in reporting on the wilderness scenery, dubbed it Petoskey's Million Dollar Sunset.

The metamorphosis of Petoskey was rapid. It grew from a small Indian settlement at the mouth of Bear River, to a dynamic, busy village catering to the needs of sightseers and other homesteaders. To house the visitors, the Arlington and other luxury hotels were constructed overnight. Roaming houses for

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the less affluent were soon to follow. By 1890 a substantial number of shops had sprung up along the main street, creating a very unique pioneer shopping area. Along the Bear River waterpower was harnessed to run sawmills, flour mills, hardwood flooring industries, butter bowl factories, and furniture making industries. The limestone cliffs along Little Traverse Bay provided Petoskey with time, a natural resource of great importance to the industrial development of the town. Little steamers plied the Bay, and the summer visitors who registered at Petoskey hotels and roaming houses took advantage of the many excursions offered. The most popular trip was the Circular or Inland Route. This lengthy excursion took the traveler up the coastline of Little Traverse Bay into Lake Michigan, around to Mackinac Island, on to Cheboygan and then down the chain of rivers and lakes to what is now Conway. Until the quaint little dummy trains were in operation, the excursionists were jolted back to Petoskey from Conway by wagon and team.

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Although the modes of transportation have seen drastic change, Petoskey's magnetism remains. There is still an element of charm and friendliness in shopping adventure which belongs uniquely to Petoskey's Gaslight District. One may still marvel at the beauty of Little Traverse Bay and experience the wonder of the Million Dollar Sunset.

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T-shirts may also tell what people's favorite rock groups

tennis shoe or soda pop is and even if they are pregnant or not.

For the avid T-shirt reader, there have been plenty of the cloth billboards around this summer as everyone—young and old, male and female—got into the act. For those of you that missed the T-shirts, we offer a page of some of our favorites.



RENADA GRATH of St. Ignace lets everyone know her number with this T-shirt. She wore it to the Beach Boys concert at Castle Farms.



ANITA HENDRICKSON'S T-shirt shows a different type of communication. She is sporting a display of the signs used in hand language in communicating with deaf people.



MIKE DINAN of Troy is walking advertisement for this tennis shoe.



T-SHIRTS CAN LET other people know your colors, too. Here Jon Holmes, a former member of the Michigan State Spartan Marching Band, lets the world know where his loyalties lie.



ROCK GROUPS are making it big on T-shirts these days, too. Betty Nietopski of East Jordan, shows off her Chicago shirt. Chicago performed at Castle Farms this summer.



T-SHIRTS also can tell you a lot about a person's interests. Joanne Bertrand of Bay City and Charlevoix shows off her Peanut League T-shirt for Courier photographer.



MARK DINAN of Troy, doesn't seem to care too much about his Farrah Fawcett T-shirt. He's more interested in a little something to eat.



AND THERE ARE SHIRTS that tell people where you've been. Jim Rathbun of Midland, is letting everyone know he's been to Mackinac Island.

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Teri Lynn Wells marries Richard Wilson here

Teri Lynn Wells and Richard Wilson were joined in marriage during a double ring ceremony Aug. 20, at the Community Church of God.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Wells of Charlevoix are the parents of the bride and Mr. and Mrs. Richard McKeon of Newark, Tex., are the parents of the groom.

Rev. William P. Selbert performed the ceremony before 150 guests and Mrs. Brendan LaBlance was the organist.

For her wedding the bride chose an organza gown with a V-neckline and a bodice of overlaid venise lace. The dress also featured full bishop sleeves trimmed with venise lace.

The full circle skirt ended in a chapel length train that was also trimmed with venise lace. Her finger tip veil was attached to a Juliet Cap of venise lace.

The bride carried a cascade arrangement of pink carnations, snowdrift pomp, daisies and baby's breath.

Andrea Brown served as maid of honor. She wore a blue nylon organza print halter

gown with matching ruffled cape. She carried a single blue rose.

Kathy Mosoryak was the bridesmaid. She wore an identical pink gown and carried a single pink rose.

Michael Wilson served his brother as best man and Randall Wells, brother of the bride, was groomsmen. Larry Cross and Shaun McDonough were ushers.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Wells wore a rust colored A-line gown and a corsage of yellow sweetheart roses. The groom's mother wore a pink gown with a corsage of pink sweetheart roses.

The bride's parents held a reception at the American Legion Hall following the wedding. Julie Wells, cousin of the bride, cut the cake and Connie Whitley took care of the guest book.

Following a Northern Michigan honeymoon, the couple will make their home in Charlevoix. The bride is a student at Charlevoix High School and the groom is a two-year veteran of the U.S. Coast Guard.



Mr. and Mrs. Richard Wilson



LOOKING FOR A WAY TO STAY YOUNG?

How many times have you heard someone comment "I wish I had the youth I had at twenty with the maturity I have now?"

The search for staying young is an ancient as history. The Summerians in the fourth millennium B.C. gave up and turned to cosmetics. Ponce de Leon found Florida, but the fountain of youth eluded him. Today we continue the search via pills, tonics, and rejuvenators.

Time, the old gypsy, will always win, however, with careful planning and determination we can make it a difficult race. The minutes,

hours and days can be on our side. Everyone ages every day, but with a little moderation our life expectancy can be 70 years or more.

Remember the mark of an "old" man or woman is creaking joints, aching backs, and a myriad of complaints.

One key word for staying youthful is exercise. The push-button age we live in is great for easy living but think what it does to the muscles. We need regular exercise to improve muscle tone. But it goes even further than that. It crases fatigue and boredom.

Boredom is one of the greatest enemies of youthfulness and a short cut to "old age". Exercise helps to

control inches and reduces nervous tension. It is much more effective than a cigarette or a double martini.

The heart, lungs and digestive system all benefit by exercise.

Exercise falls in all categories from vigorous activity such as tennis and volleyball to callisthenics and gardening. If you are out of practice and want to get back into the race, train properly for the action. Begin with small doses of exercise and gradually increase them.

Determination is a must. If you don't have it, develop it or you will never be able to give time a rough race.

The American Medical Association suggests the following steps if you want to stay young:

1. See your family doctor regularly.

2. Watch your diet.

3. Get adequate rest for both your mind and body.

4. Pursue physical exercise.

5. Fill your days with productivity.

6. Participate in community affairs.

7. Plan and save for tomorrow thus avoiding another short cut to "old age" — WORRY.

Think of your body as your machine. In order to keep the parts in good working order they have to be well cared for and used frequently.

The secret of staying young is to make a habit of good physical and mental health.

We have the choice of giving up without a struggle or making it a hard race. It is never too late to stop counting the candles and begin a routine to stay young.

Area women unite to organize at-large League of Women Voters

The Little Traverse Area unit-at-large of the League of Women Voters of Michigan met recently with representatives of the State League to learn how they might become a full-fledged League affiliated with the

State and National Leagues.

Mary Dee Riecke of Midland and Peg Kauffman of Traverse City explained the structure of the League. It will be a four-hour work session with local women who are mem-

bers of the Michigan League seeking local LWV status.

Two essential actions required of the local group are: (1) a membership drive to enlarge the group, and (2) an in-depth study of local government structure and activity.

Doris Schaller, president of the local group, arranged for luncheon at the Petoskey-Bay View Country Club, over

which the group continued discussion of plans.

In an effort to increase membership, the local group voted to hold an evening meeting in September. It will be held in the Westminster Room of the Presbyterian Church in Petoskey on Thursday, September 8, at 7:30 p.m.

All meetings are open to the public, both men and women.

Local artists to exhibit at Detroit fair

Two Charlevoix County artists, Susan Bolt of Charlevoix and Linda Beers Aydlott of East Jordan, will participate in the 1977 Lafayette Park Art Fair in Detroit on September 10 and 11.

Ms. Bolt is a potter and painter and Ms. Aydlott is a jeweler. They will be among 50 artists and craftpersons exhibiting their work at the fair. All traditional art media will be represented, including painting, sculpture, pottery,

photography, printmaking, and jewelry, along with some unique contributions — dulcimer crafting, face and body casting, wooden and fabric toys, and porcelain and batik dolls. Many of the artists will demonstrate their skills by working at their craft during the fair.

The all-volunteer committee which plans, organizes and stages the fair sees it as a way of showcasing the best of Michigan artist-craftpersons.

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Sue Way

daughter, Sue, to Michael T. Boss of Brighton. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Boss, also of Brighton.

The wedding will take place November 5 at the Community Reformed Church in Charlevoix.

The bride-to-be is a graduate of Charlevoix High School and attended North Central Michigan College. She is presently employed in the office of the Charlevoix County treasurer.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Clawson High School and Michigan State University, with a bachelor's degree in engineering. He is employed by Boss Engineering in Howell.

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More volunteers needed

The Fall Flag Football program will be cancelled if three more coaches cannot be found by Thursday Dwight Boss, City Recreation Director, announced following a recent meeting that resulted in a little response from volunteers.

The fate of the program will be decided at a meeting to be held at the Recreation Department office in the city hall at 7 p.m. Thursday. The coaches are needed for youngsters in the fourth and fifth grades.

Last year the program had a junior and senior league. It is hoped that the program can be continued this fall for boys in the middle school and the upper grades of the elementary school Boss said.



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Contributions for park stage continue to pour in to group

Donations for the new Park Stage Fund are continuing to come in, according to Clarence Odmark, who is coordinating the committee working on the fund.

Odmark said more than \$325 had been sent to him since he announced that he would be reorganizing a committee to work on getting the stage expanded and a bandshell constructed in East Park.

The former Charlevoix High School and Charlevoix City bands director said he had gotten together a group of interested residents who are willing to work as a committee on the expansion project.

The first step the committee is taking is to get a nonprofit corporation status so that all donations to the group will be tax deductible. The group will also be electing officers and exploring alternative methods of raising funds for the project, Odmark said.

The group would also like to get the stage expansion and bandshell designed architecturally so that the members will know how much money they will need to raise.

Season tickets available for high school sports

Season tickets for all athletic events at the Charlevoix High School are now on sale. K. Dale Burke, athletic director, has announced.

The first varsity football home game will be at Kipke field with Benzle Central on Sept. 16. The JV squad will host Kalkaska on Sept. 8.

Adult prices will be as follows: all sports, \$15.00; football only, \$5; basketball only, \$10; family ticket for the entire family, \$35. Students all sports tickets will be \$8.

The tickets are on sale at the high school office on Garfield ave.

More information may be obtained by calling 547-6491 between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. daily.

U-M Nursing School to offer BS degree courses

The University of Michigan School of Nursing, in cooperation with the U of M Extension Services, is offering all courses necessary to obtain the bachelor of science degree in nursing in the Traverse City-Petoskey area.

Yvonne Abdo, assistant professor of Nursing at the University of Michigan, will explain the requirements of the community-based bachelor's degree program which was begun in Traverse City in May, 1976.

Professional Nursing Matrix II (Nurs. 267) will be offered at Northwestern Michigan College in Traverse City beginning September 9. Students may register on September 1 or 2 or at the first class session. More information may be obtained from Mrs. Grace Geiger at (616) 946-7406.



WINNERS and runners-up in the five flights of the annual City Golf Tournament held during the month of August were announced Sunday following the last day of play at the municipal course. They are (r to l) Mike Custer, winner, and Dick Kenney, runner-up, Championship flight; Bob Ranger, winner and Del Terrill, runner-up, First Flight; Tommy Morrison, winner, and Jack Curtis, runner-up, Second Flight; Bill Joy, winner, Third Flight; Georgia Lusk, runner-up and Pauline Young, winner, Women's Flight. Missing: Dr. Dennis M. Joy, runner-up Third Flight. Sixty golfers qualified for the annual tournament.

Kit Carson team takes league title

Kit Carson narrowly defeated Wojan Aluminum to win the league title in the Charlevoix Recreation Department Men's Slo-pitch championships.

Kit Carson defeated Wojan 8-7. Kraag Lieberman was the winning pitcher with Bill Supernaw taking the loss.

Lieberman held Wojan to 13 hits while Supernaw let 15 hits go by.

The game proved to be one packed with action as players for both teams belted in a total of 11 home runs including one grand slam, hit by Larry Edwards of Wojan. Edwards also had two other home runs.

Terry Bilasett hit three home runs, and Butch Klooster and Tim Carey one apiece for Carson. Gordon Block had two home runs, and Steve Dunkleberg and Steve Kiddier each had one for Wojan.

In Thursday night's play, Wojan Aluminum came back to defeat Kit Carson 14-13. Supernaw had the win and Lieberman took the loss both on 13 hits.

This game also proved to be the match of the home run hitters. However, only eight home runs were belted in but runs for Carson.

Team	W	L
Indians	6	2
Orions	4	4
Blue Jays	3	5
Cardinals	3	5

Team	W	L
White Sox 24		
Red Sox 20		
Green Sox 25		
Gray Sox 25		
Orange Sox 14		
Blue Sox 25		

Team	W	L
Cardinals	3	7
Indians	6	2
Blue Jays	4	4
Orions	19	3
Phonics Buchanan, winning pitcher		
Archery, losing pitcher		
Blue Jays	4	4
Orions	19	3
Phonics Buchanan, winning pitcher		
Archery, losing pitcher		
Blue Jays	4	4
Indians	18	3
Theresa Noiset, winning pitcher		
Julie Archer, losing pitcher		



KIT CARSON TOOK the Charlevoix Recreation Department Men's Slo-pitch League title after defeating Wojan Aluminum. In the front row are, left to right: Jeff Collins, Terry Bissatt, Tim Carey, Paul Klooster, Kraag Lieberman, Dale Martin and Dave Vaughan. In the back row are: Pete Spioles, Dan McKenzie, Barnie DeVries, Butch Klooster, Mark White, Bill Joy, Bill Joy, Jr., and Dave McKenzie, bat boy.



Two of these were grand slams going against Edwards and one to Dunkleberg, both players for Wojan.

Steve Kiddier also had a home run for Wojan with Barnie DeVries, Kraag Lieberman, Butch Klooster, Paul Klooster and Tim Carey hitting home

Counter Sports



Top Batters

JIM WILLIS (center), also-pitch commissioner, awards trophies to the top sluggers in the Charlevoix Recreation Department Women's League. Pam Parsel (left) captured the home run title and Chris Lehman was the batting champ.

City still considering Mt. McSaubia grant

The Charlevoix Common Council is still considering accepting a \$17,000 grant from the Bureau of Outdoor Recreation of the U.S. Department of the Interior for improvements at Mt. McSaubia Recreation Area.

"We're not dragging our feet on this, we're just at a dragging point in the grant process," Joe Morris, chairman of the Recreation Committee of common council explained.

"We have to clear certain questions so we can get an additional access road to the area before we go ahead with the grant," Morris said. "We have plenty of time on the grant funds, which must be matched by city funds, are proposed to be used for the construction of a multipurpose building and ice skating and hockey rinks at the recreation area. Minor preparation for the construction of the skating rinks has begun."

Dairy Queen holds on to lead to take women's league title

Dairy Queen held onto its slim lead in the Charlevoix Recreation Department Women's Slo-pitch League and won the league title last week.

The Dairy Queen defeated the second place Kusina Motors team in two games Wednesday night. In the first game Dairy Queen squeaked by 6-5. Gladys Kiteley was the winning pitcher with Pam Parsel taking the loss both on eight hits.

In the second game Dairy Queen won 14-1. Ms. Kiteley was again the winning pitcher on 14 hits while Tammy Mitchell took the loss for Kusina on 10 hits.

In other action last night, Kusina defeated Village Inn Pizis in two meets on Tuesday. In the first game Kusina won 12-8. Ms. Parsel had the win on 12 hits with Sue Peters taking the loss on 10 hits.

In the second game Kusina ran over its opponents 29-6. Ms. Parsel was the winning pitcher on nine hits and Ms. Peters took the loss on 28 hits.

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THE DAIRY QUEEN maintained its slim lead and became the Charlevoix Recreation Department Women's Slo-pitch League champs. In the front row are: (left to right) Sue Hodge, Marie Buday, Mary Wimmer, Candi Kiteley, Kathy Sladak and Terri Hodge. In the second row are: Dave Slagist, coach, Kay Curry, Amy Potter, Maureen Cudd, Connie Crain, Sandra Hodge, and Terri Novotny. Missing is Terri Hultford.

Sign-up begins for adult closed tennis

Entries are now being accepted for the Charlevoix Closed Adult Tennis Tournament scheduled for Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 10 and 11 under the sponsorship of the Charlevoix Recreation Department Dwight Boss, City Recreation director, has announced.

Those planning to enter the men's and women's singles and doubles must be out of high school to be eligible to play Boss said. There will be an entry fee of \$5.00 per event. Entries will close Sept. 8. Those planning to participate may register at the tennis courts until Sunday, Sept. 4 and after that date at the Recreation Department office in the City Hall between 4 and 5 p.m. Sept. 6, 7, and 8.

Theresa Morris joins Women's Varsity Club

A Charlevoix student is a member of a new organization at Michigan State University which was created to improve the status of women in the male-dominated field of athletics.

Theresa Morris, a 1974 graduate of Charlevoix High School, was initiated into the MSU Women's Varsity Club recently along with 28 other charter members.

Based on the same principles as the 63-year-old MSU men's Varsity Club, the women's group will provide its members with unity and friendship, promote and support women's athletics and engage in community service projects.

Miss Morris is a junior at MSU majoring in park and recreation resources.

Sealed bids will be received until 12:00 noon, Tuesday, September 6, 1977, of the Charlevoix City Hall, for two (2) new lawn and garden tractors with a center mounted mower. Specifications are available at the City Administrator's Office, 210 State Street, Charlevoix, Michigan. Phone 616/547-2510. All sealed bids must be directed to the attention of A. L. Sondberg, City Administrator and marked on the outside of the envelope "lawn tractor". The City reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

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Little gifts combine to make great things at Charlevoix hospital

They say that good things come in small packages. And at the Charlevoix Area Hospital that's true, too. Donations totaling more than \$24,000, all unsolicited, have come to the Charlevoix hospital in the past year and remarkably, about \$14,000 of that has been in the form of small gifts averaging \$15.

Richard Krueger, hospital administrator, says these spontaneous donations, which are added to the Equipment Memorial Fund, are not only warmly welcomed, but rather unusual.

"In my experience with other hospitals, we did not have this type of general public support," he said.

"It makes us feel very good that people do this and think of the hospital in this way."

"People feel Charlevoix Area Hospital is important to the community. It's their way of recognizing that we do a good job providing the best possible health care," Krueger continued.

"Approximately \$10,000 has been donated to Charlevoix Area hospital on such occasions as anniversaries, birthdays, marriages, retirements, and for two scholarships, according to Ms. Novotny.

"Some is earmarked for certain equipment or the Building Fund, the rest is just plain donations."

Asked to explain how a donation is given on an occasion such as a birthday, Ms. Novotny said a donor sends a contribution to the hospital noting the individual's birthday. The hospital in turn sends the person celebrating the birthday a printed card stating that a donation in their name was made to the Charlevoix Area Hospital and names the donor.

"People are very pleased when they receive such a card from the hospital," Ms. Novotny observed. "We note donations on all sorts of occasions and we send cards to both parties."

Krueger was asked what is behind this giving situation. "Some of it tradition," he explained.

But, Krueger acknowledged, Charlevoix Area Hospital has a "special atmosphere."

Director of Nursing Services, Kathryn Boss reported that a visitor from Detroit affirmed that, as she was being discharged from the

hospital: "When I first came here I wasn't sure if this was really a hospital," the visitor exclaimed. "Everyone was smiling. The spirit was so good, I thought it might be make believe. I was waiting to see if Marcus Welby would walk out of the next room."

Krueger added, "People recognize good nursing care and good personal care. They know if the personnel have a nice manner. People know if their room is clean and if the meals are good, whereas they might not understand all the fancy diagnostic medical things that happen."

Laughingly he added, "So we get donations to our funds and the nurses fill up on candy from grateful patients."

Community support for the hospital is a tradition, particularly for members of the Chicago and Belvedere Clubs who played an important role in establishing the hospital.

The Belvedere Club, through a Hospital Benevolence Committee, has been carrying on form of individual donations.

The Charlevoix Hospital Women's Guild played a major role in community support. It has permitted the hospital to purchase twelve sets for patient rooms they are now in the process of purchasing three all beds to replace the crank style hospital beds.

Women's Guild also has scholarships a year, nurses training and for any hospital training.

Donations, large and small, along with help from like the March of Dimes enabled the hospital to purchase a fetal monitor.

The hospital employees have played an important role in raising funds for equipment. In the of the fetal monitor they pitched in holding a bazaar.

A Neonatal Intensive Center, for newborn with serious problems, purchased similarly to March of Dimes donations.

Hospital employees donated a special wheel chair in memory of Dolores Fischer who was a nurse's aide.

Memorials and donations have enabled the hospital to acquire two auto (sterilizers), and IV measure Intervenor, a radiant heater table, nursery, a new stretch, the emergency room.

rocking chair for the mothers in OB, and four electric beds.

While the hospital is deeply involved in long range planning for expansion of its lab, X-ray, inhalation therapy and emergency rooms, funds donated to the Building Fund are being allowed to accumulate until these plans are completed.

Thus, Krueger explained, donations not otherwise earmarked are used by the Equipment Fund to purchase additional vital articles.

Mrs. Boss added that it is not unusual for people to donate equipment directly to the hospital.



A CHARLEVOIX AREA Hospital nurse adjusts some equipment at the hospital. Some donations to the hospital are combined in the equipment or building fund to purchase needed items.

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Rub-a-dub-dub--or, how three men built a tug

By PAULA HOLMES

Cliff Biddick is one of the proudest sailors on Lake Michigan.

And he should be. Biddick is the skipper of the tugboat "Resolute," which he built himself with a lot of help from some friends.

The boat, which made its maiden voyage last week after being under construction for 16 months, can be seen moored at Irish Boat Shop, where Biddick works.

Or, you might catch a glimpse of the tug or hear the bellow of its deep horn as Biddick proudly skippers it across Lake Charlevoix or around Round Lake.

Biddick, his father, also Cliff Biddick, and a friend, Kirk Post, began work on the tugboat almost two years ago on Christmas Eve. They went up to Mackinaw City to pick up the hull of the old fishing tug "Cheerio," which was eventually to become "Resolute."

They trucked the hull down to Charlevoix and waited a month before seriously tackling the project.

"It was engineless and full of fish guts," Biddick recalled. "We could have outfitted a whole new tug box with the things we found in the bottom of the boat."

Six truckloads of junk, five tons of steel and several months later, the three men were ready to start patching the metal hull and to replace everything from the bare hull on up.

"We learned to weld as we went along," Biddick explained.

"We would weld the hull, put the boat in the water and watch the water come through the patches and then really begin to weld," he laughed.

Rebuilding a tugboat is not a new undertaking for Biddick. He rebuilt a 24-foot wooden tug four years ago. But, he sold the wooden tug to finance the purchase of the metal hull.

Needless to say, Biddick is sold on tugboats.

"I like tugs. They're neat. And I guess they're the smallest ship you can own," he said a grin spreading across his face.

Biddick said he decided to build the tug because there was need of a work boat around the boat yard. And he wanted to have a boat big enough to haul in disabled boats from Lake Michigan.

The new boat, a 40-footer, has four times the horsepower of the old tug. It's 4,200 pound engine has 250 horsepower and once powered the motor ship "South Shore."

The bow of the tug has been reinforced for ice and has one-quarter inch hull plating with three-eighths inch frames on eight inch centers.

The three men spent weekends, evenings, early mornings, coffee breaks and lunch hours working on their project. And as their work progressed other people around Irish boatyard would pitch in and help on whatever needed being done.

Biddick's brother made the doors for the tug, cabin, his mother helped paint and a friend designed the wooden ship's wheel used to guide the boat across the lake.

"We must have just shy of a million hours of work in it," Biddick estimated as he surveyed the tug.

The group set Memorial Day as the deadline for completion of their project, but they missed it.

"We wanted to get it down this weekend for the Red Fox Regatta," Biddick explained. "We wanted to use it for the committee boat."

So one last month of long hours was put into the boat to get it operational. Biddick said there is still lots of work to be done on the boat and he figures that will keep him busy for a while. But he's already working on plans for a radical new boat design.

He hopes to begin work on an aluminum hull boat in the future. And he's sticking with the tug design.

"They're not your run of the mill toy boat," he explained.



CLIFF BIDDICK mans the wheel of the newly completed tugboat "Resolute." Biddick, his father and a friend Kirk Post revamped the old fishing tug for use as a work boat.



THE TUGBOAT "Resolute" steams her way along Lake Charlevoix to the Charlevoix Yacht Club. The boat was used as a committee boat last weekend for the Red Fox Regatta.

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For senior citizen housing Commission studies land swap

A trade off of land in the Belvedere Club for the location of a proposed senior citizen housing complex in exchange for the closing of Belvedere and Ferry avenues became dead and streets at the beginning of club property.

Ralph McFae, president of the housing commission, said the commission had approached the Belvedere Club last spring asking the board of trustees to consider selling five acres of its land on the southwest portion of Belvedere Club property at the corner of Alice and Garfield streets to the city for the senior citizen complex.

The board of trustees responded last week by suggesting that the club would be willing to swap the land the housing commission wished to buy for a deed to the portion of Belvedere and Ferry avenues that run through the club.

F. Carl Schumacher, member of the Belvedere Club Board of Trustees, said in a letter that members of the Belvedere Club recognized the need for a senior citizen complex in the city and wanted to help the city get the project off the ground.

Schumacher said the board of trustees was becoming increasingly concerned about security and safety within the Belvedere Club property.

The trustees believe one way to curb problems is to close off the club to through traffic by having Belvedere and Ferry avenues become dead end streets at the beginning of club property.

"This proposed trade off seems to be fair, equitable and offers real advantages to you (the housing commission), the City and us," Schumacher said.

McFae said the proposal had been explained to the Charlevoix Common Council, but no action had been taken.

"The council cannot commit itself to this trade until the citizens have had a chance to express themselves," McFae pointed out. "The housing commission is now earnestly asking for the opinion of the people of Charlevoix about the swap."

McFae suggested that people for and against the proposal write to their aldermen or contact one of the following members of the housing commission: Robert Cook, Marge Dewidde, Ralph Hamilton, Ralph Shapton or himself.

"If people would rather have senior citizen housing than they would Belvedere avenue, then we'll have it," McFae said.

The housing commissioner said the property that the Belvedere Club was willing to swap was valued at approximately \$100,000.

"This would represent quite a savings to the housing commission and that money could be used to construct the housing complex," he said.

McFae said there is a crucial need for a senior citizen housing complex within the city. A recent survey conducted by the housing commission resulted in responses from more than 30 residents who said they would consider becoming tenants of a proposed senior housing development.

A professional market analysis recently conducted by Ruggie Associates of Mt. Pleasant also indicated a definite need for elderly housing facilities in the city, McFae said.

McFae said the housing commission recognized the controversial nature of the land swap with the Belvedere Club, but he said the swap presents a solution to a long standing problem of the housing commission.

"Because of the confining boundaries of the city, it is extremely difficult to acquire a building site of adequate size and in a desirable location at a reasonable price for a senior citizen development," McFae said.

The housing commission is pursuing funding from the Farm Home Administration for the construction of a 60-unit housing complex. Rent subsidies will be provided for eligible tenants through the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development.

Senior Citizen Survey Results					
Ward	Married Couples	Widows	Widowers	Others	Total
1	3	3	1	3	10
2	14	20	4	3	41
3	14	24	0	3	51
Totals 31	57	57	5	9	102

Charlevoix Airport in line for state funding

The Charlevoix Municipal Airport has been included for funding in the proposed Michigan Aeronautics Commission budget for the upcoming fiscal year.

The state aeronautics commission has asked for funds for the construction of taxiways, construction of a VOR (Visual Omni Range) system and for the lengthening of the existing runway. The state commission has also asked that funds be approved for the acquisition of crosswind runways, according to Alvin Ronger, engineer working on the airport master plan.

Ronger said the aeronautics commission budget requests must be approved by the state legislature before any of the funds can be released.

If the budget is approved, the city must apply for the funds and agree to pay its share of the construction costs, Ronger said. He said the funds for the various construction projects at the airport would probably be available on an 80-20 basis with the city paying 20 percent of the costs.

Ronger said the master plan for airport development must also be completed before any funds will be granted to the city for improvements at the airport. He anticipated that the master plan would be finished by January.

The engineer explained that the master plan would become the blueprint for the improvements at the airport and would set up a timetable for the improvements.

A second public hearing on the master plan was held last week. Ronger said a group of 30 people made up of members of the Charlevoix Common Council, the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners as well as interested pilots from the area discussed the recommendations he had proposed in the first portion of the airport study.

Ronger had recommended that crosswind runways, additional hangar space, expanded automobile parking and expanded aircraft parking be added to the airport.

He also recommended that new navigational aids such as VOR be installed.

The group at the meeting favored the lengthening of the existing runway over the construction of crosswind runways.

"They seemed to feel that the money would be better spent improving the existing runway than constructing new ones," Ronger said.

He said there was also a great deal of interest in the construction of a new hangar and parking areas for cars and airplanes.

The group also favored replacement of the nondirectional radio beacon and the installation of a VOR.

Charlevoix School voters go to polls Monday

The polls for the special Charlevoix School District election will be open from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday at the Charlevoix Elementary School on Division St.

All registered voters in the Charlevoix School District are eligible to vote in the election.

The Charlevoix Board of Education is seeking approval of one mill for operational expenses. The mill is needed to balance the budget. The school district is in the red financially because it received less state aid funds than were expected last year.

The school also needs funds for maintenance which needs to be done at all three schools and for a reading program the school district would like to set up at the middle school to help children who are having reading problems.

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Community Calendar

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Tuesday, Sept. 6
Charlevoix Historical Society will meet at the Community Room, First State Bank, 8 p.m. The meeting will observe the 100th anniversary of the Harbor Barber Shop.

Carson will present a book review of his autobiography, *American Legion* will meet at post home 8 p.m. Women of the Church of God will meet at Fellowship Hall 7:30 p.m. Hostess: Mrs. Mrs. Kit

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Typing (Tues.)
Consumer Math (Tues.)
C.E.D. Prep. (Tues.)
Biology (Wed.)
English (Thurs.)
Basic Education (Schedule to be arranged)

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Needlepoint - Tuesday/8 wks. Fee \$15.00
Dry Floral Arranging - Thursday/10 wks. Fee \$15.00
Fibri. Painting - Thursday/10 wks. Fee \$15.00

Registration for Adult Education classes will take place at Charlevoix High School on Wednesday, Sept. 14, 1977 at 7:00 P.M. Classes will start the week of Sept. 26, 1977. Please fill in the registration form below and either register in person, or mail in the completed blank to the high school. If you desire further information, please call 547-6491. Fees for the above classes are payable at the first meeting.

Roy H. Fortin, Adult Education Director
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Wednesday, Sept. 7
Charlevoix Public Schools will open for the 1977-78 school year. High School classes: 8 a.m. Middle and Elementary Schools 9 a.m.

Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational church will meet at Fellowship Hall at 12:30 p.m. for a potluck luncheon. Program: annual reports of Fellowship and Circles; Devotions: Mrs. David Fowler; Hostesses: Executive Board.

Norwood United Methodist Women will meet with Mrs. Edward Dillow 7:30 p.m. Coast Guard Wives will meet with Mrs. Renee Mendez, 103 Wood St., 7:30 p.m. Charlevoix Scouting Club will meet at hangar each room 8 p.m.

St. Mary's parochial school will open at 9 a.m. for the 1977-78 school year.

Thursday, Sept. 8
Grandview Medical Care Facility Auxiliary will meet at the Facility 2 p.m.

V.F.W. will meet at post home 8 p.m.

Charlevoix JV football team will host Kalkaska JV's at Kipke Field 6:30 p.m.

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224, American Legion, and its Auxiliary will hold a joint installation of officers at the post home. The installation ceremony will follow at 8:30 p.m. potluck supper. Members are asked to bring a dish to pass and their own table service.

Friday, Sept. 9
Footbal: Charlevoix Raiders at Kalkaska 8 p.m. Al-Anon Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal Church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.

Sat. & Sun, Sept. 10-11
Closed Tennis Tournament for local players. Entries must be out of high school. Municipal courts. Deadline for signing: 5 p.m. Thursday.

Sign-up for flag football at ball park 10 a.m. for players nine through 14 years. Players are asked to bring any equipment they might want to trade or sell. Now and used equipment will be available for purchase.

Monday, Sept. 11
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsor.

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Nancy Podskalny wins scholarship

A 1977 Charlevoix High School graduate is the recipient of the Custer-Kerry Scholarship awarded annually by the Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Nancy Podskalny was awarded the \$1,000 scholarship which is available on a competitive basis to full and part time employees of the hospital, their children and grandchildren. The applicants must have completed high school and have been accepted in an academic program of at least one academic year and be financially worthy.

Miss Podskalny is the

daughter of Marion Podskalny, who is employed in the business office of the hospital. The scholarship is funded annually by the J.L. Shipman family of Ann Arbor in appreciation for the care given to their son following an automobile accident in July 1970. The scholarship was named for Harry Custer, M.D., and Robert Kerry, M.D., surgeons who cared for the young man.

Miss Podskalny is planning to attend Grand Valley State College where she will major in art. She plans either plans to become either an art teacher or a museum curator.

While she was at Charlevoix High School, Miss Podskalny took several art classes and private oil painting instruction, too.

Miss Podskalny was selected for the scholarship by a committee including Sheila Essenberg, chairman; Terry Bremeyer, Esther Carey Lavina Hooper and Gene Farley.

City Administrator Allen Sandberg said the city is

sored by Community Church of God.

Monday, Sept. 12
Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club Auxiliary family potluck supper at clubhouse 5:30 p.m. Business meeting at 8 p.m.

Char-Em Intermediate School District Board of Education will meet at Service Center, Mercer Blvd. 8 p.m.

Women's Guild of the Charlevoix Area Hospital will meet at the hospital 8 p.m.

Kappa Sigma Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi sorority will meet with Mrs. Reed Freidinger, Sequaneta Rd., 8 p.m. Co-hostess: Mrs. Jerry Leonard. Program: Family by Mrs. William Kenefick.

Golf: Charlevoix Raiders will host Elk Rapids in a non-league meet at the municipal course 3 p.m.

XI Epsilon Gamma chapter, Beta Sigma Phi sorority, will meet with Mrs. Paul Stephan, Mercer Blvd. 8 p.m. Co-hostess: Mrs. William Austin.

Charlevoix Band Boosters will meet at the high school cafeteria 7:30 p.m. Note change in date.

Sunday, Sept. 11
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsor.

St. Mary's Rosary Altar



NANCY PODSKALNY (center) accepts a scholarship check from Harry Custer, M.D., as her mother Marion Podskalny looks on. Miss Podskalny was selected to receive the annual \$1,000 Custer-Kerry Scholarship fund by the J.L. Shipman family.

City surveying new plots at Brookside

Survey work is being completed at the Brookside Cemetery for the City of Charlevoix.

City Administrator Allen Sandberg said the city is

laying out new lots in the cemetery and checking the original survey. Sandberg said that the original survey encompassed land that is now used for the M-66 highway.

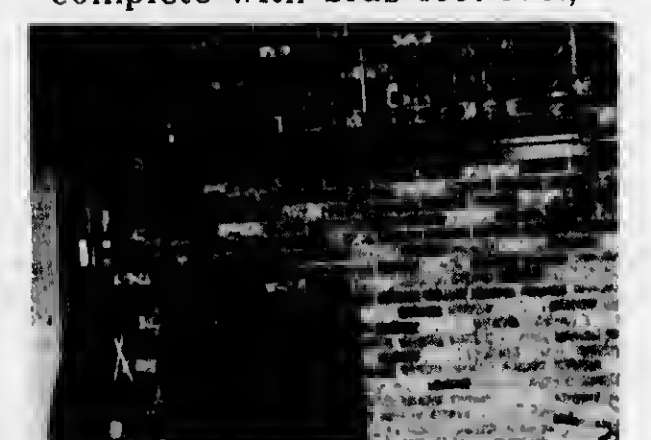
With the new survey in the cemetery, the city is also

redesigning the plots so that the lots will have four burial sites instead of five. The city administrator said the city had found that there was more call for either two or four plots instead of the five.

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CHARLEVOIX COURIER Wednesday, September 7, 1977-2

Society will meet at the home of Mrs. Willis Peters, Loeb School Rd. for 6 p.m. potluck supper for members and husbands.

Sep. 12
Eveline township board will meet at the township hall 8 p.m.

SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION. Voters of the Charlevoix School District will vote on 10 mill for one year for operational purposes. Polls at the K-5 school on Division Ave. will be open from 7 a.m. until 8 p.m.

Tuesday, Sept. 13
Roan Hashana - Happy New Year!

Annual meeting of the Charlevoix Area Garden Club at the LaCrosse Reception Room 12:30 p.m. Flower arrangement demonstration by Mrs. Farwell C. Webb, Traverse City, District V Blue Ribbon Master Judge 1:30 p.m.; Tea: 3:30 p.m. Guests of members are welcome.

Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will meet at Grey Gables Inn 8 p.m.

Men's Prayer meeting 7 a.m. Community Church of God.

Wednesday, Sept. 14
Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at the County Building annex 9:30 a.m.

Charlevoix County Chapter, Michigan Association for the Blind, will meet at the Community Room, First State Bank, 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at hangar each room 8 p.m.

Mary Burns Circle will meet at Friendship Hall, First Congregational Church, 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Bonnie Nickerson and Mrs. John Mol, co-hostesses.

Football: Freshman scrimmage at Petoskey 4 p.m. Mary Brewster Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. P.D. Campbell for 12:30 p.m. potluck luncheon.

TOPS will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal church for 6 p.m. weigh-in. Business meeting: 6:30 p.m. Little Flower Guild will meet at St. Mary's school 7:30 p.m. for its first meeting of the club year.

Teachers enjoy summer vacation, too

If teachers had to write essays about their summer vacations, four teachers in the Charlevoix School District would probably write books on their one-week trip to the island of Roatan.

Sally Drost, first grade teacher at Charlevoix Elementary School; Roger Gowell, math and science teacher at the Charlevoix High School; Pete Spies, biology teacher at the high school; and Henry Wagner, science and math teacher at the Charlevoix Middle School, all participated in the trip along with spouses and friends.

And for all of them it was a lifetime.

"It was an experience you just can't repeat," Wagner said he couldn't the trip. "You couldn't go back for a long time because it would never be the same."

Roatan is part of the Bay Islands situated off the coast of Spanish Honduras. Surrounding the island are some of the clearest waters in the world. Exactly what every divers dream of.

"It's crystal clear water," Traversa Hospital and trip coordinate," said. "We had up to 120 feet of visibility. "That's great when you consider that up here we might have 50 feet of visibility at the most."

The divers were also able to make deeper dives than they were normally used to. Their first dive was 120 feet deep and their deepest dive was 180 feet deep.

"We dove through a hole in a wall," Wagner explained. "And when we came through the hole, we couldn't see anything below us. It was completely black."

Drost had heard about Roatan from another diver and took his family there for a visit last year. This summer he was ready to go again. But he wanted to get a group going so that the rates would be cheaper.

The Drost's live with the Wagners and Wagner is a good friend of Gowell's. Gowell does a lot of diving with Spies. By the time the friends got done talking with each other they had a group ready to go.

The divers said they were impressed with the lushness of the tropical island. They saw wild parrots and tasted various tropical fruits.

They also ate a lot of lobster. "Lobster there is like eating chicken here, I think," Wagner said.

The group also had a night dive

"At night the coral come alive," Gowell explained. "They're a nocturnal animal. The coral looks completely different at night."

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Walloon Lake Association takes development stand

Growing awareness and concern about the threats of certain types of government of Walloon Lake has prompted the Walloon Lake Association to take a stand on development.

The lake association's 12-member board of trustees has prepared a message to present the future real estate developers on the lake in the form of newspaper ad.

Development is trying to prevent any more from coming in.

"We want to get our position known early enough so that we

believe that such developments create pressure on the lake far greater than the pressures created by single family lake front cottages because they give a large number of families access to the lake through a small corridor of lake front property.

"We have been concerned for about four years about development on the lake," Warren Parker, executive director of the Walloon Lake Association, said.

"We've seen what development has done to lakes elsewhere and we are now taking a position to make sure that it doesn't happen to our lake, too," Parker continued.

"We are not an extremist group, but we do feel a responsibility to work with future developers to achieve something that will be satisfactory to everyone

concerned," he said.

Parker pointed out that Walloon Lake is a very fragile and sensitive lake to begin with.

"For the given surface area of the lake, there is much more development potential than for the same surface area for a lake that is oval shaped or round," he said.

"Because of this we feel it is not reasonable land use to have funnel or corridor development on the lake. It just makes a super concentration of people relative to the lake which the association's committee will use when making its guidelines will be taken from studies conducted of Walloon Lake by the University of Michigan Biological Station.

Parker said the U-M group had been studying the lake for about 10 years.

Parker said the trustees had also met with attorneys and realtors to discuss development guidelines for the lake.

Parker said the association was willing to meet with any developer to discuss reasonable guidelines. He said that if an agreement could not be met that the lake association might attempt to take legal action.

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Students enjoy trying out language skills in Mexico

How do you order a meal if your waitress only speaks Spanish?

Very carefully, unless you are a member of the Charlevoix High School Spanish Club.

Eight members of the club and their teacher JoAnn Kravutske, recently returned from a week long trip to Mexico, where the students had a chance to test their communication skills.

The students said that in most cases the Mexican people could also speak English so they didn't have any trouble communicating.

"Most of our meals were already planned for us as a

part of the trip," Steve Mielke explained. "But one night we did have to order dinner on our own. We were lucky though and got a waitress who could speak English pretty well."

Other students said they would meet people on the streets who would want to talk with them and then they would have to use their Spanish.

"I couldn't remember my tenses real well, but I got the point across," Michelle Robinson said.

While in Mexico, the students visited Mexico City, Acapulco and Taxco, a silver mining center which boasts more than 400 silver shops.

They visited the pyramids of Mexico, cruised in the bay at Acapulco and watched the cliff divers and stayed in a Mexican-type hotel at Taxco.

It was at Taxco that the students had their greatest opportunity to display their knowledge of the language, Miss Kravutske said, adding that some of the students returned home with some fine pieces of jewelry gained at a good price as a result of their bargaining ability.

"If you know the language well enough to bargain, you can get some good buys," Miss Kravutske said. "The kids did alright."

The students said they enjoyed the entire trip, but they preferred the resort town of Acapulco and the cliff divers.



EIGHT MEMBERS of the Charlevoix High School Spanish Club recently returned from a trip to Mexico. Talking over old times and looking at souvenirs are: Sally Dishong, Steve Mielke who is sporting an Acapulco T-shirt, Michelle White, who is holding a purse Sally purchased in Mexico; Rich Borths, who is also sporting an Acapulco T-shirt, and Michelle Robinson. Missing are: Karri Moerland, Robert Warner, Kevin Wilks and JoAnn Kravutske, teacher.



Charlevoix Yesterday

THE PINE Lake Iron Company furnace at Ironton forms the background for this group of people apparently having a picnic on the shores of Pine Lake (now Lake Charlevoix). The picture was taken in

Native American Recovery Center provides help, hope for alcoholic

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THE DOORWAY to the Native American Recovery Center isn't very noticeable, but it holds a lot of hope for Charlevoix area people who are fighting alcohol and drug problems.

By PAULA HOLMES
If you weren't looking for the Native American Recovery Center (NARC), you would walk right past the door and on down the street. The entrance way to the upstairs offices at 206 Bridge Street is overshadowed by shop windows and obscured by a decorative brick front. But for people looking for help, the doorway stands out as if it were surrounded with neon lights. For the alcoholic it is a place of hope.

NARC provides counseling and supportive activities for alcoholics and their families, particularly Native Americans. The organization is funded through an \$85,000 grant from the National Institute of Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism and through the State of Michigan. NARC is an outgrowth of the Committee for Action for Rural Indians, which was founded in Petoskey in 1971. The alcoholism center opened offices in Charlevoix in 1975. It is one of 154 alcoholism programs for Native Americans in the United States and was one of the first programs to be established in the Northern Michigan area. "I feel we have made a great impact as far as detoxification is concerned in this area," Mrs. Kane said. "And we do everything we can to help that person maintain sobriety."

Most of the counselors are recovered alcoholics and they relate well with the clients," Louise Kane, director of NARC, explained. "They've been there. They know what it is like."

"Our goal is total sobriety for the individual," Mel Pearl, assistant director, explained. "And we do everything we can to help that person maintain sobriety."

Sheriff George Lasater said he had noticed a decline in the number of Native Americans in the county jail since the first of the year as compared with 1976 statistics. However, he said he didn't know what to attribute the decline to.

The sheriff said NARC may have been a deterrent in that it gave his department another resource to work with and to use as a referral center.

Once a person, Native American or any other race, begins coming to the counseling center, the counselors work to get them involved in other activities as well as with the counseling.

"We try to get the person back on their feet by trying to find them a job and making them an active part of the community," Pearl explained. "We also set up a buddy system where another one of our clients works with this person and takes them to Alcoholics Anonymous meetings or other activities and is supportive of them."

Mrs. Kane attributed much of the center's success to the activities that have been provided for the clients. More than half of the people going through the center maintain long term sobriety.

We try to set up situations where the clients can go and have a good time but where no alcohol is involved," Pearl explained. "We want to show them that life is not just in the bottle."

Pearl said NARC sponsored a picnic recently at Whiting Park and more than 140 people attended it. He said a Christmas party held last December was attended by 400 people from all over Northern Michigan.

"The more things we can do to help that person maintain sobriety," Mrs. Kane said, "the more we can do to help that person maintain sobriety."

Church to begin 'Family Building' program

By EUG OHLIE
The Community Reformed Church in Charlevoix will launch a Family Building Program during the month of September.

The Reverend Larry Grooters explains that the program is being undertaken to answer a need.

"Many people today are concerned not only about the future of the family," he says, "but about finding creative ways of coping with family problems now."

"Parents often find that children and young people reject the traditional values of the home and the community—or that they react to those values with apathy and boredom only to drop them at a later time. People within families often yearn to communicate clearly with each other and cannot," he adds.

"Often grandparents find themselves in the middle. Divorce is a fact that hits many households and will not go away. The church finds itself in the position of wanting to strengthen and fortify the family, while at the same time ministering to the hurts and needs of the newly separated and the parent without a partner."

"Not every family has such needs, however, and some families find themselves wanting to make what already is a good structure, a solid structure, better—a good marriage a great marriage—adequate communication good communication."

It is to these needs that the Family Building Program will address itself. It will offer practical helps for those who wish to enrich the quality of their family experience. It will

also seek to give spiritual guidance, practical aids, and recreational opportunities for families.



REV. LARRY GROOTERS of the Community Reformed Church and Tom Terry of Charlevoix Emmet Intermediate School District, review materials that will be used as part of a presentation for a family building program presented at the church.

Church of Nazarene plans to begin special services

The Charlevoix Church of the Nazarene is planning a week of special services beginning September 11.

On Sunday, September 11, at 7 p.m. there will be a showing of the religious film "Silent Pass," which was filmed in

Japan. It is a true story revealing the deep understanding of the Christian faith among the Japanese people.

On Tuesday, September 13, through Sunday, September 18, a series of revival services will be held at 7:30 each evening, and at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. on Sunday.

Belize. He is a graduate of Olivet Nazarene College. Special musical numbers will be presented each night.

The Reverend Earnest The Reverend Richard Cornelius of Midland will conduct the revival services.

Besides serving in several pastorate, Reverend Cornelius served as a missionary for five years in British Honduras, now known as Knight, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, invited everyone in the community to view the film and attend the revival services.

Retirees may wish to file for tax credit

Older Americans may now want to amend their 1976 income tax returns to claim the retirement income credit.

Previously, under the Tax Reform Act of 1976, the retirement income credit could not be used on 1976 tax returns since it was replaced by the tax credit for the elderly.

The IRS also advises taxpayers who claimed the tax credit for the elderly on their 1976 returns to file amended returns.

See taxes page 11.

Sorority chapter holds Beginning Day meeting

"Light Another Torch" will be the guiding theme for the XI Epsilon Gamma chapter this year during its activities.

Members of the sorority learned about the theme and the year's events during "Beginning Day" ceremonies at the Weatherlane Inn

recently. Yearbooks and calendars were also handed out at the meeting.

The next meeting will be held at 8 p.m. Sept. 12 at the home of Mrs. Paul Stephan. Co-hostess will be Mrs. William Austin.

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SPECIAL SCHOOL ELECTION

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION OF THE ELECTORS OF CHARLEVOIX PUBLIC SCHOOLS, CHARLEVOIX AND ANTRIM COUNTIES, MICHIGAN TO BE HELD SEPTEMBER 12, 1977

TO THE ELECTORS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT:

Please Take Notice that a special election of Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, will be held in the Charlevoix Elementary School, on Division Street, on Monday, September 12, 1977.

THE POLLS OF ELECTION WILL OPEN AT 7:00 O'CLOCK A.M., AND CLOSE AT 8:00 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following proposition will be submitted to the vote of the electors at the special election:

TAX RATE LIMITATION INCREASE PROPOSITION FOR OPERATING PURPOSES

Shall the limitation on the amount of taxes which may be assessed against all property in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, be increased by 1 mill (\$1.00 on each \$1,000.00 of state equalized valuation) for the year 1977, for the purpose of providing additional funds for operating purposes?

All school electors who are registered with the city or township clerk of the city or township in which they reside are eligible to vote at this election.

I, Anah H. Potter, Treasurer of Charlevoix County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of July 25, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

- By Charlevoix County:
- By Charlevoix Township:
- By Norwood Township:
- By Hayes Township:
- By Marion Township:
- By Eveline Township:
- By the School District:
- 1 mill, 3 years (1977-79) Grendvue
- 2 mills, 5 years (1975-79)
- None
- None
- None
- None
- 2 3/4 mills, 1977
- 6 mills, 1977 and 1978
- 1 mill, 1977 to 1981, inclusive
- 6.5 mills, 1977 to 1979, inclusive
- .5 mill, 5 years (1977-81) Library
- \$995,000 Bond Issue voted November, 1959
- \$1,595,000 Bond Issue voted April, 1968

Anah H. Potter
Treasurer, Charlevoix County, Michigan

I, Phyllis I. Mills, Treasurer of Antrim County, Michigan, hereby certify that, as of July 21, 1977, the records of this Office indicate that the total of all voted increases over and above the tax limitation established by the Constitution of Michigan, in any local units of government affecting the taxable property located in Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan, is as follows:

- By Antrim County:
- By Banks Township:
- By the School District:
- None
- None
- 2 3/4 mills, 1977
- 6 mills, 1977 and 1978
- 1 mill, 1977 to 1981, inclusive
- 6.5 mills, 1977 to 1979, inclusive
- 1 mill
- By C-E Intermediate District:
- Phyllis I. Mills
- Treasurer, Antrim County, Michigan

This Notice is given by order of the Board of Education of Charlevoix Public Schools, Charlevoix and Antrim Counties, Michigan.

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Great care needed when making sauerkraut

Remember the taste of sauerkraut, the good old fashioned way? Many people are still making it that way. It is important that great care be taken when making sauerkraut. It is highly susceptible to spoilage since it must ferment from five to six weeks.

The cabbage is mixed with salt to start the fermenting process. Three tablespoons of salt are used for five pounds of cabbage. Mix the salt and cabbage well. Hands or big spoons will do the mixing job best. After the mixing is complete, fill a big container with the salted cabbage, press

down on top of the cabbage until juice appears. It is important that air not get to the cabbage while it is fermenting. To prevent air from getting into the container fill a big plastic bag with water and let it settle down on top of the cabbage.

When you get gas bubbles in the kraut you know the fermenting process is taking place. Mook says you should allow the kraut to sit at room temperature until this process completely stops.

You are now ready to remove the kraut and cook it. When the kraut is heated to simmering, the micro-organisms will be destroyed. The sauerkraut can now be packed into hot jars. Leave a half-inch head space, put lids on and process in the boiling water bath. Start counting time as soon as the jars are placed in boiling water, and process 15 minutes for pint jars, 20 minutes for quart jars.

Sauerkraut may also be frozen. Since it has such a pungent odor, it should be packaged extremely well before freezing. Otherwise the entire freezer may smell like sauerkraut.

Sauerkraut problems: -Soft-sloppy sauerkraut caused by not using enough salt, air pockets in the fermenting container, or the temperature when processing was too high.

-Pink sauerkraut caused if the salt is not evenly distributed, or if the sauerkraut is not properly covered when fermenting.

-Dark sauerkraut caused when the cabbage is not washed properly, or not packed down when fermenting. Other causes might be salt evenly distributed or temperature too high when processing.

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EMMET AND CHARLEVOIX 4-H and FFA STEER CLUB

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GRAND CHAMPION
Coebee, this year's Grand Champion, raised by John Marquardt was purchased by Olson's Food Stores of Petoskey, represented by Bob Frank.

RESERVE CHAMPION
Rusty was reserve Champion, raised by Tom Hand and purchased by Olson's Food Stores of Charlevoix, represented by Bob Frank.

Dave Elzinga sold Jake to Alvin Pals from the Northwestern State Bank. East Jordan. Dave won the Showmanship Award.

Reva Eggers purchased Freddie from Dick Marquardt, who received the reserve showmanship award.



Jim Slove raised Nature Boy and sold him to North Country Equipment of Alcona, represented by Tom Kotz, Judy Norris, Chuck Norris.



Buddie, owned by Pat Klooster was sold to Jim Brannon who is donating the steer to the Holy Childhood School in Harbor Springs.



Taz, raised by Jean Stoltz was sold to Henry Klooster from Klooster Equipment in Atwood.



The Elsworth Fairless Exchange bought Sherwin from Rich Hand. Harold Jensen represented the Exchange.



Kay and Tammy Thayer sold Charlie and Bob to Paul Rogers of Petoskey Wholesale Meats, in Petoskey.



Brandy and Wilb B. were raised by Kaye Hand and Shew Jones. Both steers were purchased by the Circle M Ranch, represented by Otto Milleard.



Kelly Bascom sold Brandy to Scott Way and Doug Way, Jr. from the Way Oil Co. in Charlevoix.



Brad Lupinski sold Cream Puff to Timberly Ranch, Gaylord, Michigan, represented by George Totati.



Andy Schwartzfaher sold his Dopey to Kauffman Furniture of Petoskey.



Derango, owned by Scott Lupinski was sold to Mrs Robert Atkins and Bill Petrolid.



Mickey Mouse owned by Andy Kelle. Heath was purchased by the First State Bank and the Farm Bureau Insurance Group, representing the George Lord Agency, Charles Elzinga.



Liz Keller Heath raised Rocky. He was purchased by Wilma and Darwin Petrolid of Petrolid Ace Hardware, Charlevoix.



Buddie was raised by Doug Drenth and purchased by Bob Frank of Olson's Market, Charlevoix.



Alvin Pals from the Northwestern State Bank in Boyne City purchased Cheyenne from Sue Stolt.



Mark Drenth raised Smokey and sold his steer to Larry Bealer, and Clarence King from the Charlevoix Co-op.



Jerry Marquardt raised Bobakue and sold him to Bob Frank of Olson's Market, Petoskey.



North Country Equipment bought Chaplain from Marge Kivsett, Chuck Norris and Tom Kotz raise the representatives.



Al Grube of Frank Gruber and Sons purchased Ben from Pete Schwartzfaher.



Bob Keller Heath sold his steer to the Sundown Motel, Petoskey and John McFall.

Lyda Johnson celebrates 80th

The family of Mrs. Lyda Johnson gathered recently for a dinner honoring her on her 80th birthday anniversary Aug. 22.

Coming for the event which was held at the Grey Gables Inn were her sons and daughters-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Rex McGhan of Birmingham and Mr. and Mrs. Marion (Bubby) McGhan of Traverse City and her sons-in-law and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Clark (Peggy) Hought of Dearborn Heights, Mrs. John (Dorothy) Dietrich of Taylor and Mr. and Mrs. Les (Ruth) Payne of Charlevoix.

Earlier this summer, the Black family of which Mrs. Johnson is a member held a gathering at Whiting Park. More than 60 members from Florida, Louisiana and Birmingham, Dearborn, Detroit, Ypsilanti and Charlevoix attended the event.

Travel club for senior citizens plans Pocono trip

The New Horizons Travel Club, composed of senior citizens from Charlevoix, East Jordan, and Boyne City, is planning an eight-day trip to the Pennsylvania Dutch Pocono Mountains.

The trip is scheduled for October 10 to 17 and is being arranged by the American Tour Club of Gladwin.

Any adult who is interested in this trip and who would like a brochure and more details may call Janet Barber at 536-2639 in East Jordan. Reservations will be taken until September 15.

Richard Goodburn promoted to rank of lance corporal

Marine Lance Corporal Richard L. Goodburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward G. Goodburn of P.O. Box 534, East Jordan, Mich., has been promoted to his present rank while serving at the Marine Corps Logistics Support Base, Atlantic, Albany, Ga.

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THE CLASS OFFICERS and student council representatives for the 1977-78 school year have been elected. Representing the 1978 senior class will be: (front row from left to right) Mitch Martin, class treasurer; Mary Faculak, class secretary; Peggy Hosmer, class president; and Karen Sell, class vice president. In the back row are student council reps: Laura Glass, Sue Peters, Matt Stangis, Scott Swanson and Joe Thonire. Missing from the picture is Wendy Wieland.



REPRESENTING THE SOPHOMORE class next year will be: (front row from left to right) Nick Anderson, president; Shari Barnes, student council rep; Mary Egler, student council rep; and Ken Ormanowski, treasurer. In the back row are: John Fiedorek, vice president; Kim Mitchell, Debbie Resch, student council reps; Donna Campbell, secretary; and Wendy Wright, student council rep.

People returning to caves

"Cavemen" evokes images of a matted figure in rough furs, crouching before a rude fire in some craggy recess. But what about a Frenchman in a smoking jacket, enjoying his pipe in an easy chair in front of his fireplace? Or a leisure-jacketed Texan reclining on a sofa, listening to stereo and perhaps dialing a sunset outside his artificial window?

Or the schoolteacher diagramming sentences on a blackboard for her class, and the Swedish workman operating high-speed lathe? All are 20th-century cave-men.

Cave-dwellers increasing Caves probably were man's earliest form of shelter. Footprints made 15,000 years ago are preserved by a natural film of calcite in the cave of Peche-Merle in southern France, and primitive paintings equally old have been found on cave walls there and elsewhere.

People still are decorating caves and living in them. The ranks of cave-dwellers may even be growing, as more families discover there are some advantages to living underground.

Today's cave-bayer is no troglodyte. Instead of being reclusive, he or she usually is a homeowner or business executive attracted by the lower maintenance and the quiet of a suburban home, office, or factory.

Sweden long has had large industrial plants carved into mountains, and other nations have followed suit. In one rock-solid optics factory outside Stockholm, instruments on the walls keep workers informed of the weather above their heads.

Dust-free Environment An American company that makes delicate instruments for space projects moved underground in Long Island to escape dust and vibration.

A junior high school was built underground at Lake Worth, Texas, to get away from the roar of jet bombers from a nearby air base.

A Texas architect who had designed more than one cave-house contended that living beneath the earth's surface is therapeutic because, "There's no noise, no air pollution, and no whirling world outside your window."

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New class officers, reps to head up school activities



REPRESENTING THE JUNIOR class next year will be: (From left to right front row) Sue Miller, treasurer, Debby Fochman, secretary, Brenda Boss, vice president, and Lynne DeMoor, president. In the back row are Jeff Drenth and Jeff Cockfield, student council reps. Missing from the picture are Debby Tollas and Janeen Boul.



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Margaret Anne Berg weds James Ogden

Margaret Anne Berg of Charlevoix and James Russell Ogden of Ypsilanti were united in a double ring ceremony August 27 in the First Congregational Church of Charlevoix.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Berg are parents of the bride and Dr. and Mrs. Russell L. Ogden are parents of the bridegroom.

The Reverend Raymond Giffin performed the ceremony before an altar decorated with flowers from the garden of the bride's father and arranged by Mrs. Conrad Klooster and Nancy Berg. Approximately 100 guests were in attendance.

The bride's costume was fashioned of angel wing organ music for the ceremony before an altar decorated with flowers from the garden of the bride's father and arranged by Mrs. Conrad Klooster and Nancy Berg. Approximately 100 guests were in attendance.

The bride carried a cymbidium orchid on a white ribbon. She was given in marriage by her parents.

Nancy Berg, sister of the bride, served as maid of honor, and another sister, Virginia, was a bridesmaid. Sally J. Rudolph of Fort Collins, Colorado, sister of the bridegroom, was also a bridesmaid. All attendants wore gowns of pale pink chiffon fashioned with deep tucks in the full sleeves and skirts. They carried nosegays of garden flowers.

Donald Waligore of Mt. Clemens was best man, and John Kerr of Bay City and Peter Greiner of Ypsilanti served as groomsmen.

Organ music for the ceremony was furnished by the band of Ronald Miller of Ypsilanti, Delbert Luebke of Kenosha, Wisconsin, uncle of the bride, sang "O Perfect Love". Following the ceremony, a dinner reception was given by the bride's parents at Schuss Mountain Lodge. The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the bridegroom's parents at the Perry-Davis Hotel.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Berg wore a pale green chiffon gown in a Nina Ricci design. Mrs. Ogden wore a loose fitting floor-length gown of white dotted nylon over a green crepe. It was fashioned with a flared back and slight train and a jeweled neckline trimmed with tiny pearls.

Following a wedding trip to Northern Wisconsin, the newlyweds will be at home in Ypsilanti, where the bridegroom is a senior at Eastern Michigan University. The bride is a graduate of the University of Michigan.

Out-of-town guests attended the wedding from Michigan, Indiana, Wisconsin, Illinois, Missouri, Colorado, and Arizona.



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Charlevoix Hospital Guild to launch new membership drive Sept. 22



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The Women's Guild of the Charlevoix Area Hospital will launch its annual membership drive at a Membership Coffee to be held at the LaCrosse Condominium Lounge on Thursday, Sept. 22.

Mrs. William Squire of Boyne City, Guild president, has issued an invitation to residents of the area to attend the event scheduled from 10 a.m. until 12 noon and, at that time, to purchase a membership in this service-oriented organization.

In announcing the drive, Mrs. Squire said "You can be a working or a silent partner by becoming a member of the Guild whose prime purpose is service to the hospital and its patients. Your dues will enable us to continue our constant efforts to up-date equipment, refurbish furnishings and to participate in the volunteer activities that make the Guild a working service organization."

Volunteers are involved in two phases of the Guild's activities at the hospital. One is the floor patient volunteer aid which fills a host of services which release the nursing staff for patient care. The other is serving as sales persons at the Guild's gift shop, The Show Case, which recently was moved to its new location adjacent to the main waiting room at the hospital.

The gift shop, The Show Case, offers for sale patient needs as well as many appropriate gift items. The shop, along with TV rentals, are the Guild's main fundraising projects.

The following portrays the projects sponsored by the Guild, the volunteers and the results of their efforts, all accomplished through membership in the Women's Guild of the Charlevoix area hospital.

Through the Show Case gift shop, See Guild on page 11.

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Cross country team looks good this year

Who are those young men you see running across the fields and up and down city streets?

Probably members of the Charlevoix High School Cross Country team. Members of the team have been getting in shape for the season during the past two weeks, according to Coach Pete Spieles.

Spieles said the team has been spending some time working out on the track as well as running cross country. The team works on sprints at the track building up their heart and lungs.

On other days, team members alternate and work on strength and endurance by running distances, the coach said. He said he was also planning to put the team on a weight program, but he hasn't started yet.

This year the team will also be running on the Belvedere Club Golf Course one day a week over a three mile course.

"This is to help the team work on their timing," Spieles explained. "You need to know how fast you should run each mile in order to pace yourself for the race."

Also as a part of their training this year, the team members participated in the Mackinac Island Road Race. The team ran around the island Labor Day weekend.

Spieles said the team looks very promising this year. The Charlevoix team finished second in the conference last year and the coach hopes to do as well this year.

"We will miss Wally Drenth, our all-star," Spieles said. "But we have some real promising kids coming up."

"We will have some depth this year and the team appears to be really competitive," he said. "Somebody is always pushing somebody and it makes them have to work harder."

Returning lettermen on the cross country team are: Mark Russell, Jeff Drenth, Gene Morrison and Ron Hilton. Besides losing Drenth, the team also lost Nat Klooster, who graduated last year.

Spieles said he has 12 boys running now and he hopes to end up with around 16 team members. He encourages any interested student to come out for the team. Practices will be held right after school.



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Using bow and arrow not easy

American Indians weren't the great shots with bows that Hollywood films have made them out to be.

In battle, they preferred close combat with clubs, tomahawks, knives, or spears instead of trying to tell their foes a distance with arrows.

When hunting, careful stalking was necessary to bring a brave as close as possible to his prospective dinner before risking a feathered shaft.

Of course, the Indians were only working with homemade equipment. Given today's fiber-glass-coated, compound bows with contoured grips, adjustable sights and stabilizers, and precision-machined aluminum arrows, the tribes might have turned back those Westbound wagon trains.

Space Age Technology

Even the English longbowmen who punched holes in the myth of armored invincibility by trouncing 13 times their number of French knights at Agincourt in 1415 could not have equaled the accuracy archers now attain with Space Age armament.

Using modern equipment, Darrell Pace can put a quiver-full of hollow metal arrows in a bull's-eye nearly a football field away. The American teenager won a Gold Medal at the Olympic Games in Montreal, officially becoming the world's best bowman.

To hit targets at ranges of 90 meters, or 97 1/2 yards, Olympic contestants use a three-piece, take-down bow consisting of a central grip and double-curved upper and lower sections.

Stabilizing rods protruding from the bow hold sliding weights that can be set to keep the bow from twisting when the archer releases the string.

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The arrows are precision drawn, aluminum alloy tubes with metal points and plastic vanes-instead of feathers-to make the shafts fly true.

In a nod to tradition, the core of the bow still is wood, usually a thin strip of maple. It is overlaid with a matrix of strong plastic in which glass fibers are embedded.

These laminated bows, approximately four feet tall and with pulls of 28 to 35 pounds, are accurate at greater distances than the 15th-century longbows that stood six or seven feet tall and had pulls of 65 to 70 pounds.

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statistic right. I think we are slowly achieving that since criminal complaints this year as compared to the same time last year have more than doubled. Any success we have had this first eight months belongs to 20 and-a-half other people who work for the department. They have made it work, especially Mr. Stockwell, the best undersheriff a Sheriff could have.

COURIER: Have you moved into the Sheriff's quarters in the jail?

LASATER: No, and I'm not going to. I don't think it's a good place to raise children. I'm still living in Boyne City although I've been trying to find a house in the Charlevoix area. So far I haven't found one that I could afford.

COURIER: How large a family do you have?

LASATER: My wife, Margaret, and I have three children. Amy is 11, Thomas George is eight, and George Robert is seven. My wife is a substitute teacher in the Boyne City school system.

Guild

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shop and TV rentals for patients, the volunteers were able to purchase new equipment, refurbish furnishings, sponsor community child birth classes taught by a registered nurse, present nursing scholarships and purchase new television sets for patient use.

Volunteer floor workers, volunteer sales personnel and volunteers for other projects were able to make layettes for needy babies, slippers for patients, toys for pediatric patients, tray favors for all holidays and Christmas decorations throughout the hospital.

Mrs. Squire concluded by saying "A community is its service. Join us in a very important and functional one by becoming a member of the Women's Guild of the Charlevoix Hospital now."

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City hires employees under CETA

Nine new CETA (Comprehensive Employment and Training Act) have been hired by the City of Charlevoix, City Administrator Allen Sandberg said.

The CETA employees are being hired with extra funds that the city recently received through the CETA program. The new employees will be used on several projects around the city.

One of the first projects will be to replace the ski poles at Mt. McSaba. Recreation area. Also at Mt. McSaba the new employees will be clearing an area for an ice skating rink.

The CETA employees will assist city crews in the lowering of water services throughout the city so that the pipes won't freeze up in cold weather. The new employees will also be working on burying electric cables.

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When Labor Day arrives we know it is time to say goodbye to our summer friends and to look forward to their return another year.

Mrs. S. E. Chamberlain returned Wednesday to her home in Webster Groves, Missouri, after spending the summer in her cottage at Sequanota.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Tessman of St. Petersburg, Florida, have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Christenson.

Diane Alexander and

college roommate MarLu Davis of Traverse City spend the weekend with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. Sam Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Folkens of Stockton, Ill., were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Brink.

Mrs. Lorena Beene is making her home at the Van Pelt Nursing Home in Atwood. We miss her from our community.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hanson of Clarkston called on old friends recently. Paul's

parents George and Mable Hanson owned and operated a cherry orchard several years ago on M-66 and were active workers in the community. Friends and neighbors extend their sympathy to Mr. and Mrs. Philip Myner on the death of his brother Joseph Myner in Sault St. Marie.

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Medusa Corp. elects new executive officer

The chief executive officer of the Medusa Corporation has retired from the company. Robert W. Fort will leave the position he has held since 1970, however, he will continue as chairman of the board of the corporation.

Scott A. Rogers, Jr., who joined Medusa as president and chief operating officer in 1976, will continue as president and has been elected chief executive officer by the board of directors. He is also a director of the company.

Fort joined Medusa in 1966 and was elected vice president of finance in 1960 and senior vice president in 1963. He is a graduate of the University of the South and the Harvard Business School. He is a director of National City Corporation and is vice chairman of the American Mining Congress.

Rogers was president of American Chain and Cable Co., Inc., before joining

Medusa. Prior to that he was senior vice president of Parker Hannifin Corporation. He is a director of Stauffer Chemical Company, Parker-Hannifin Corporation and Reliance Electric Company. He is a graduate of Dartmouth College.

The Charlevoix Medusa plant is a part of the Medusa Corporation of Cleveland, Ohio.



Robert Fort



Scott Rogers

Births

Hardin

A daughter has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Mike Hardin of Memphis, Tenn. Melody Michelle weighed 7 pounds 4 ounces at birth.

Grandparents of the new baby are Mr. and Mrs. Julius Roberts, Jr., of East Jordan, and Mrs. Evelyn Hardin of Pine Bluff, Ore.

Paving completed on streets

The paving of city streets has been completed for the summer, according to Charlevoix City Administrator Allen Sandberg.

Tri-City Asphalt completed the paving program for the city during a three week period. The city spent approximately \$20,000 resurfacing certain sections of streets throughout the town.

City crews are currently tarring and chipping various bad spots remaining on unpaved streets. Tarring and Chipping is the patching of holes with a mixture of tar and stone.

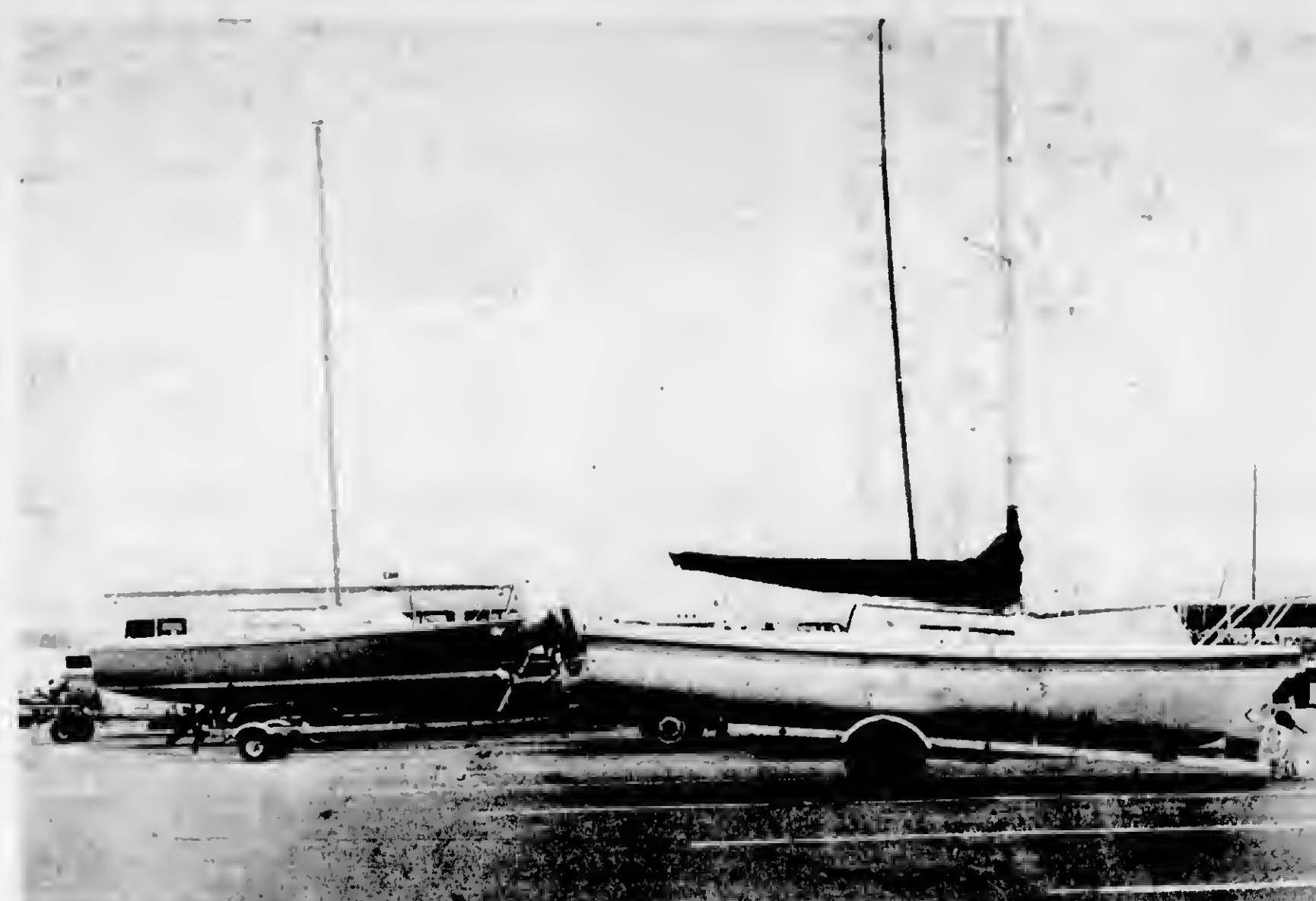
Electric crews working on burying cables

City of Charlevoix electric crews have been hard at work burying some street lights on the north side, according to City Administrator Allen Sandberg.

Sandberg said the crews had finished burying and burying the lines for street lights on Dixon Avenue and were working in the Meech Street area and one other street where the lighting has been poor.

The city administrator did not estimate when the work would be completed.

Charlevoix not ready to give up summer



THE BOAT LAUNCHING areas by Ferry Avenue Beach showed signs

of the end of summer as trailer after trailer was loaded up with boats headed for home.



WHILE SUMMER may be over, Charlevoix seems to be refusing to give it up. People were still touring the city boat slips and the slips were still full of boats enjoying the last nice days of the season.

Local businesses experience better than average summer

Summer came early to Charlevoix this year and with it an early influx of tourists.

However, August weather turned out to be the coolest in history, and the number of tourists declined a bit.

With it all, however, Charlevoix' summer tourist season was better than last year's.

That is the consensus of opinion voiced by most motel and restaurant people surveyed by the Courier last week.

No definite amount of sales increases

could be determined, but one motel source indicated that it was "probably about 3.5 percent for the season" at his place of business.

July seems to have been the best month all around, with June showing the greatest increase in business over last year.

The cool weather in August is causing some business people to feel apprehensive about the coming weeks, fearing that there may be an early fall.

However, the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce reports that it already has

150 reservations for the first boat color tour, on October 1, and two motels report they are "well booked" for the color season.

Local shops are not as unanimous in their assessment of summer business, with comments running from "up some" to "a lot of shoppers but not as many buyers."

Most of them are looking forward to the color season, though. One shop owner volunteered that "fall tourists seem to spend more money than summer tourists."

Charlevoix Area Garden Club plans annual meeting Sept. 13

The annual meeting of the Charlevoix Area Garden Club will be held at the LaCroft Reception Room, 103 W. Dixon Ave., at 12:30 p.m. Sept. 13.

At 1:30 p.m., a flower arrangement demonstration adaptable to varied uses will be presented by Mrs. Farwell C. Webb of Traverse City.

Mrs. Webb has earned the distinguished title of Blue Ribbon Master Judge of District V.

Tea time will follow at 3:30 p.m.

Hostesses for this important event are Mrs. Albert

Edwards, Mrs. Paul Santele, Mrs. Ralph Hesse, Mrs. Alexander Gibson, Mrs. Roy Raymer and Mrs. Perry Manning.

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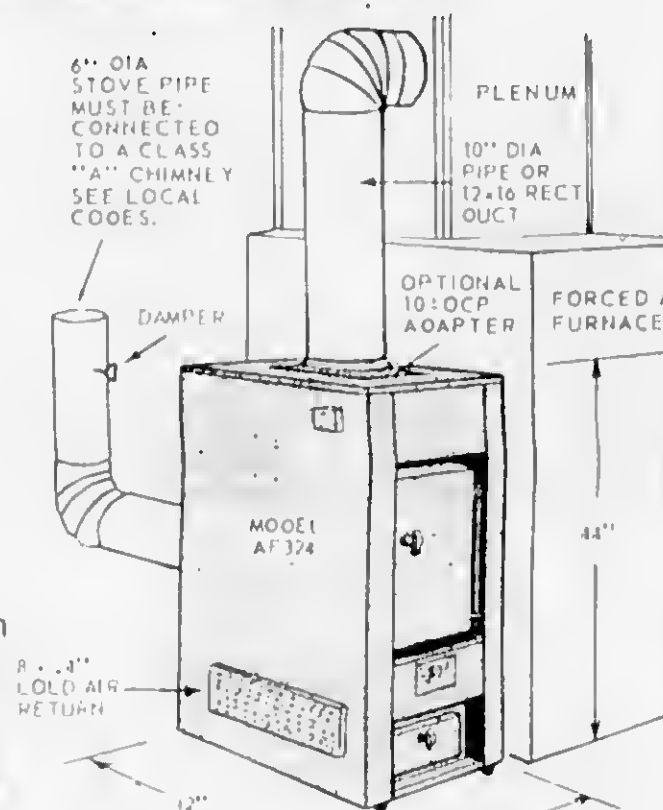
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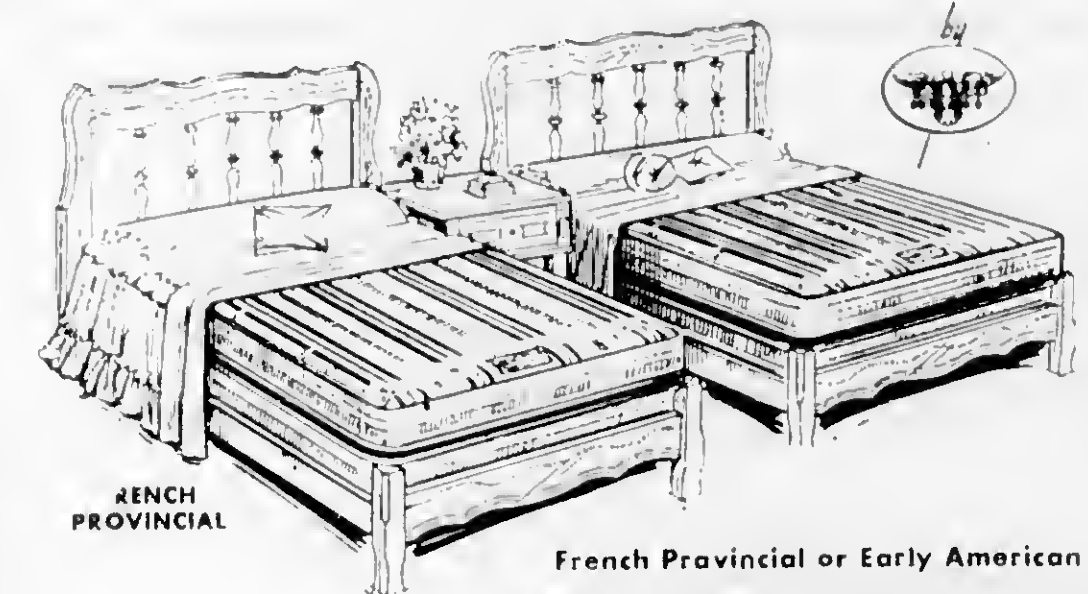


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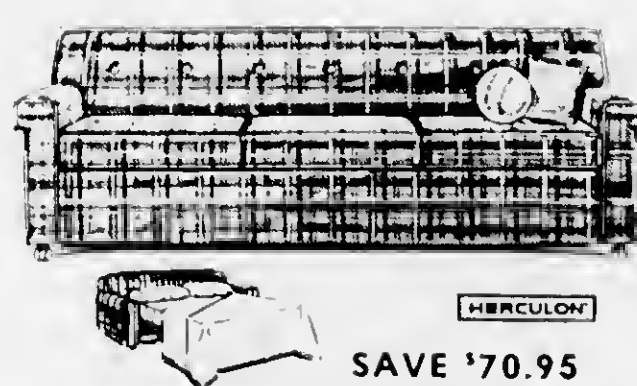
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Community Calendar

Wednesday, Sept. 14
Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at the County Building annex

9:30 a.m.

Charlevoix County Chapter, Michigan Association for the Blind, will meet at the

Community Room, First State Bank, 7:30 p.m.
Charlevoix Flying Club will meet at hangar, tach room 8 p.m.
Mary Burns Circle will meet with Mrs. Lin Rountree, 712 Park ave., 8 p.m. Co-hostess: Mrs. Franklin Curtis.
Margaret Parker Circle will meet at Friendship Hall, First

Congregational Church, 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Bonnie Nickerson and Mrs. John Mol, co-hostess.
Football: Freshman scrimmages at Petoskey 4 p.m. Mary Brewster Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. D. Campbell for 12:30 p.m. potluck luncheon.
TOFS will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal church for 5 p.m. weigh-in. Business meeting 8:30 p.m. Little Flower Guild of St. Mary's church will meet at the school hall 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Lodge No. 293, I.O.O.F., will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.
Registration for fall Adult Education classes at the Charlevoix High School,

Garfield ave., 7 p.m. Classes in high school completion and adult enrichment are being offered. Registrations will be accepted up to and including the first night of classes Sept. 26. Call Roy Fortin at 547-6491 for further information.
Thursday, Sept. 15
Charlevoix Senior Citizens will meet at the high school cafeteria for a 6 p.m. potluck supper. Program: Rev. Richard Cornelius, Missionary to British Honduras and Reed McVay and his performing poodles. Members are asked to bring own beverage, a dish to pass and own table service.
Football: Charlevoix JV team will play at East Jordan 7 p.m.
Girls Basketball: Elk

Rapids here 8:30 p.m.
Cross Country: Charlevoix Rayders at Elk Rapids 4 p.m.
Charlevoix County Big Brothers-Big Sisters will meet at community room, City Hall 7:30 p.m.
Friday, Sept. 16
Football: Charlevoix Rayders vs. Benzie Central at Kipke Field 8 p.m.
Al-Anons Family Group will meet at undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For more information call 547-2145.
Maple Grove Grange will meet at Grange Hall 8 p.m.
Saturday, Sept. 17
Petoskey Whirl-Aways Western Square Dance Club will meet at Lincoln School, Petoskey, 8:30-10 p.m.

Members are asked to bring sandwiches for refreshments. Citizenship Day...
Sunday, Sept. 18
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.
Monday, Sept. 19
Golf: Charlevoix Rayders at Cheboygan 4 p.m.
Charlevoix Board of Education will meet at high school study hall 7:30 p.m. All meetings are open to the public.
Tuesday, Sept. 20
Cross Country: Charlevoix at Grayling 4 p.m.
Girls Basketball: Charlevoix at Central Lake 6:30 p.m.
American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m.
Men's Prayer meeting 7 a.m. Community Church of God.
Wednesday, Sept. 21
Freshman Football: Charlevoix Freshmen vs. Gaylord Freshmen at Kipke field here 6:30 p.m.
Charlevoix Chapter No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star will meet at the Masonic Temple at 6:30 p.m. for a potluck supper. The regular business meeting will follow.

Power". Women on all area churches are invited to attend.
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After 19 years with Freedman Artercraft Josephine Stutzman retires



JOSEPHINE STUTZMAN got plenty of help celebrating her retirement from Freedman Artercraft. Here her husband Joseph helps during the celebration in her honor at the Grey Gables.

Things were a bit different for Josephine Stutzman when she got up Monday morning. For the first time—in 19 years, Mrs. Stutzman didn't go off to work in the bookkeeping department of Freedman Artercraft Engineering Corp.
"I'm going to do all the things I haven't been able to do," Mrs. Stutzman said of her retirement during a celebration in her honor at the Grey Gables last week.
"I'm going to take up gardening and hand work and we're going to do some traveling, too. In fact, we're leaving for west next week."

The bookkeeper said she planned to just plain relax, too.
"This winter I think I'll just stay in bed at 7:30 a.m. and laugh when everyone else has to get up and dig themselves out," she quipped. "I won't miss that."

"Oh, I bet she'll be up at 7:30 with nothing to do," a

co-worker said. "Knowing Josie, she won't be able to stay in bed."
Mrs. Stutzman said she has seen a lot of changes at Freedman's over the last 19 years.
"I've seen a lot of people come and go," she said. "I've seen a lot of changes and a lot of moves."
There have even been some changes in her own department. When Mrs. Stutzman started at Freedman's she handled all of the books herself. Now the department has a computer and four workers.
The plant has grown, too. There was a time when it was down to 17 employees total, Mrs. Stutzman said. Now there are about 130 people working in the Charlevoix plant.

Mrs. Stutzman got her start at Freedman's on a piece of good and bad luck.
"I was getting bored with the job I had so I went over to Freedman's to put in an ap-

plication," she recalled. "The lady that took the application said there weren't any openings at the time and the only way I could get in would be if one of the girls fell down and broke her leg."
Within a couple of days Mrs. Stutzman received a phone call from Freedman's asking her to come to work. One of the women had fallen and broken her leg and they needed a replacement.
Mrs. Stutzman moved to Charlevoix in 1928 with her parents. She went to business college in Chicago and worked for General Motors in Chicago and Detroit before returning here.
She and her husband have two children, a daughter, Mrs. Kenneth Hurt who is a business teacher in Allegan and a son, Gary Stutzman, who is the Charlevoix High School band director.
They are also expecting their first grandchild within the next few months.
"That'll keep me busy, too," she said.

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Kindergartners find school to their liking

By LAURA GLASS
Wednesday, Sept. 7. The day most mothers had been awaiting for several weeks, the First Day of School.

The day hundreds of kids headed off to start a new year of education, well equipped with paper, pencils and gym shoes.

The day mothers of kindergartners shed a few tears

for their little "grown-ups" and the day mothers of seniors shed tears for their grown ups, too.
We've known this day was coming for a long time. The last few weeks of summer always show signs of the preparation for school—Olson's has a sale on notebooks, paper and pencils, shoe stores get huge new

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ROGER HOUGHTON offers a flower to his teacher Kaye Smith on the first day of school. Roger is a kindergartener.

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For more information contact Roy Fortin, assistant high school principal, 547-6491.

High school teacher attends science seminar

A Charlevoix High School teacher recently attended the CHEM ED 77 conference at the University of Waterloo in Waterloo, Ontario, Canada.
James Jensen attended the three day session along with teachers from the Philippines.
The program emphasized the exchange of practical ideas among classroom teachers. It also featured chemical demonstrations and workshops on computers, cosmetics, foods, ceramics, glass blowing and photography.

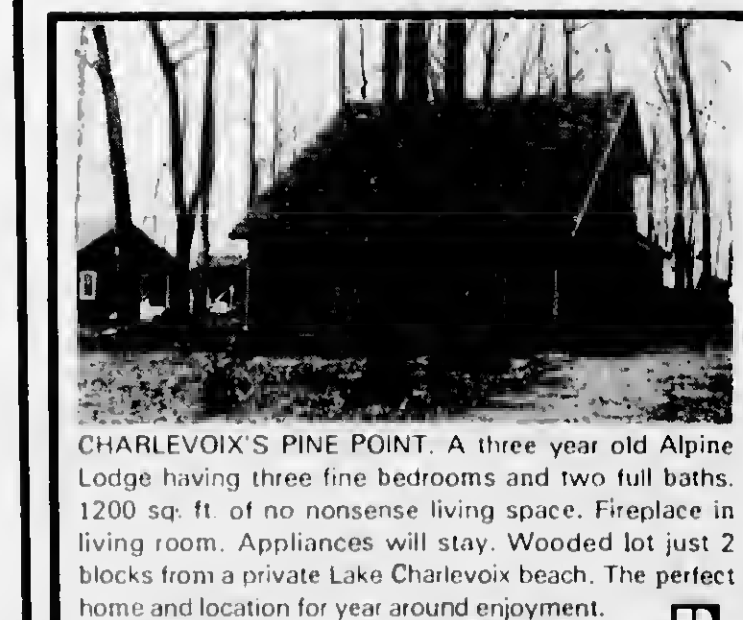
Dean Ginther appointed to faculty

A former Charlevoix resident has been named to the faculty of East Texas State University.

Dean Ginther, former school psychologist for the Charlevoix Emmet Intermediate School District, has been named an assistant professor in the Department of Psychology. He worked for Char-Em from 1973 to 1977.

Ginther has M.S. and Ph.D. degrees in educational psychology from the University of Illinois at Urbana and a B.A. from DePauw University. This summer he was a senior extension lecturer for Michigan State University's off campus graduate seminar on learning disabilities.

He and his wife, Sharon, and their two children are relocating to Commerce, Tex., the location of East Texas State University.



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New Staff Members

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Editorials/Opinions

Senior housing site needed, but not swap of land and roads

The question of where to locate senior citizen housing in Charlevoix has been a hard one to answer. The Charlevoix Housing Commission has been working on a solution for more than three years without much success.

Many of the available sites in town did not meet the requirements set up for the location of senior citizens by the federal and state agencies loaning construction funds. Other lots, which met the various requirements needed to obtain special funding for the construction of a senior housing complex, have been priced too high to make it feasible to construct senior housing on the property.

It's been a frustrating last couple of years for the housing commission and the Charlevoix Common Council. And it's been hard on the senior citizens, too.

Many of the senior citizen residents in this community subsist mainly on social security checks. They need a housing complex like the one that has been proposed in order to ease the strain on their tight budgets.

Once again the housing commission has found a site it feels may be suitable for the location of a senior housing complex. The commission members are considering swapping the parts of Belvedere and Ferry avenues that run through the Belvedere Club for a five acre parcel of land that has been lying vacant on club property for more than 100 years.

The housing commission had approached the club last spring to see if it would consider selling the parcel to the city at a reduced price. The Belvedere Club Board of Trustees felt the swap would be more in order.

solving two problems. The swap would afford the club more privacy and the city would finally have the property it needs for a senior citizen housing complex.

To close off Belvedere and Ferry avenues to through traffic just is not feasible. Yes, there are other ways to get to Ferry Avenue from the north side of town than just on Belvedere Avenue, but they are less direct. And the chances are the traffic that now uses Belvedere Avenue would end up winding through neighborhoods that are much more populated.

As it is, Belvedere Avenue has very few driveway entrances, small children or other people on it. However, other streets in the area have numerous driveways emptying onto them and are heavily trafficked by pedestrians.

To compound the traffic problems on these streets by adding more cars would not be a good idea. Also, the route to Belvedere and homes along Ferry Avenue would not be as direct as it is from Belvedere Avenue and people are bound to get lost compounding the traffic problem even further.

Also police and fire protection may be seriously hampered if the streets are closed off within the Belvedere Club.

Perhaps, because the project is so important to the city the Belvedere Club would consider selling the vacant property to the housing commission at a reduced price. But closing off parts of Belvedere and Ferry avenues is a price too high even for such a worthwhile project.

If the housing commission cannot obtain the property it should look at other parcels within the city.

Mr. and Mrs. McMillan oppose land swap

Dear Editor:

In regard to the land swap which is proposed to benefit senior citizens, I recall having read that among the criteria for selection of a site the following considerations are important:

A convenient shopping center is a must for groceries, clothing, etc.

Places of worship, recreation and town activities as well as beauty parlors, barber shops, pharmacy and restaurants within walking distance as well as clinics, medical and dental, be within reasonable distance from the domicile.

If the Alice-Griffith area is accepted, how can these facilities be made available? Low income senior citizens cannot afford to patronize such and many may not have autos, or be able to drive.

A downtown highrise, perhaps at the Erber Garage lot, would offer access to most, and with a superb view of the lake from the upper levels.

Lots now for sale at a comparative lower price would be near the new shopping center but would be secondary in choice for other facilities at this time.

To deny access to Ferry Ave. & Belvedere does not seem to be a democratic approach. Already a delightful view of Lake Charlevoix has been eliminated by permitting shrubbery and trees to blot out the scenery to all except those so fortunate as to live on the bluff or those able to utilize the beach.

Very truly yours,
James & Frances McMillan

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"If you ask me," I said to my husband, "jeans have gotten out of hand. They're all anybody wears anymore."

"What's the matter with that?"

"I read the other day where a bride went through her entire ceremony with her fly open."

"You exaggerate."

"I do not exaggerate. I went with your daughter the other day to one of the places with wall-to-wall, ceiling-to-floor jeans. I was the only one in the entire store with a skirt. I looked like a chair. Someone tried to put a wad of bubble gum on my knee."

"Why are you buying more jeans?" I asked her. "For once, why don't you buy a nice wrap-around skirt and a T-shirt with a little sweater knotted around your neck like Marlo Thomas? Aren't you sick and tired of sounding like you're trying to start a fire without matches everytime you walk across the floor?" If you don't want to consider me,

think of your Grandmother who asked me just the other day if we couldn't chip in and buy you a pair of legs."

"Look Mom," said our daughter, "I'm an individual person. When I dress I want to be unique. Don't you understand? I want to be me."

"She said this surrounded by 25,000 pairs of jeans all alike. I'm worried," I said to my husband. "If jeans get any tighter, you know there's a place in New York where you actually lie down a car bed under a mirrored ceiling and three salespeople zip you into your jeans? According to them your eyes should bulge when you put them on."

"The fat has to go someplace," he said logically.

"You haven't heard the worst of it. Our daughter came out of the fitting room, flung her jeans at me and said, 'Mom, you'll have to shrink 'em two inches in the waistband, three inches in the hips and four inches off each leg. Then, rip out the pocket, take out the hem and fray the legs so they'll drag on the ground, wash them 15 times just to soften 'em up and bleach them for 15 minutes in the sun.'"

"Why are you buying them?" I asked tiredly.

"Because," she said. "They're perfect!"

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Want to write your man in Washington or Lansing? Here are the addresses of the two U.S. Senators and the U.S. Congressman from Michigan, the State Senator and the two State Representatives from the Charlevoix Courier's circulation area.

U.S. SENATOR—Donald Riegle (D), 438 Federal Bldg., 231 Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich., 48223; Robert Griffin (R), 1039 Federal Building, 231 Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich., 48223. In Washington D.C., write to the U.S. Senate, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

U.S. CONGRESSMAN—Rep. Philip Ruppe (R), Woodland Road, Noughton, Mich., 49093; or the U.S. House of Representatives, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

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We suggest you clip and save this for future references.

If it Fittz

by Jim Fitzgerald

"It is not easy being a sportswriter, especially when you are writing about a new sport," I explained to my wife when she asked what happened to my can of beer.

We were at Memorial Park in East Detroit to see my first slo-pitch softball game. The Detroit Caesars were playing the Cincinnati Reds. Ed Hayes bought the beer.

Ed is public relations director for the Caesars. Years ago he was sports columnist for the old Detroit Times and I was his admiring reader.

So it was a kick to find him behind a large beard at the popcorn counter. I immediately began asking him questions concerning this new variety of baseball.

"Don't they sell beer at this counter?" I asked.

They didn't, but Ed found a counter where they did. While he was treating, Ed quoted an incredible statistic from the world of sports. He said he had never once in his life had a drink of alcohol.

I admitted I had never heard of a sports writer who didn't booze at least a little bit. Ed explained that he had been the designate guy in an exceedingly wet

sports department.

It was necessary that someone always remain sober enough to distinguish a lute smash from a blazing fast ball. Ed got the beer because his desk was nearest to the wall thermometer.

I didn't find it easy to take notes on Ed's startling revelations. We were standing and I had a can of beer in one hand and a box of popcorn in the other.

To free my pencil hand, I stuck the popcorn under my left arm. I used the beer can as a desk for my note pad, holding the can with three fingers and the pad with the fourth finger and the thumb.

Considering how many years it has been since I wrote sports on a regular basis, I thought it was a splendid performance.

I could see the admiration in Ed's eyes, especially when I kept writing as we walked.

"You are spilling your popcorn all over the ground," my wife said. "Are we playing some kind of Hansel and Gretel game?"

"The box was closed at both ends when I put it under my arm," I explained. "Obviously I applied a little too

much pressure in the elbow area, causing one end of the box to pop open. You must remember that the last baseball game I covered was in 1959. It will be a while before I completely regain my timing and touch."

A few minutes later, after buying more popcorn, Pat and I were seated high in the bleachers behind home plate. "This will require a switch in tactics," I said.

I put the can of beer and box of popcorn between my legs, above the knees, for between linings.

This freed both hands for taking notes. The Caesars hit three home runs and scored seven runs in the first inning, and I recorded all the action with a dexterous thoroughness reminiscent of a young Joe Falls.

You might wonder why I didn't share the popcorn with Pat, letting her hold the box.

She refuses to share popcorn with me at movies or ball games, because she doesn't like the way I eat it. She insists popcorn should be eaten one or two kernels at a time.

Like most normal people, I grab a fistful of popcorn and then slowly open

the fist as it is pressed against my face. In one minute you get more popcorn in your nose than I get in my mouth in one hour," she explained on our first date. "This is unfair to me. You must promise to always buy me my own box of popcorn, or I will never marry you."

Now you know why our wedding vows were different than most. But back at the slo-pitch game...

At the start of the second inning, Pat had a question for the sports expert. "What happened to your beer?" she said.

Good Lord. It was gone.

I could see the foam foaming far below, on the ground under the bleachers. When I had relaxed my thigh muscles enough to allow my fist inside the popcorn box, I had apparently forgotten to keep the upper muscles tense enough to hold the can of beer secure.

A man cannot return to sports writing after 16 years and expect to immediately be as good as he ever was. Besides, this was a new game.

"I am not used to night baseball," I explained. "I lost my beer in the lights."

Onward and Upward.

Meet Charlevoix

...Perry Smith

Perry Smith is a life-long resident of Charlevoix and a retired rural mail carrier. Here the Courier talks with him about "this and that".

COURIER: How long were you with the Post Office?

SMITH: I went to work for them in 1948 and took Rural Route 1 in 1959. I retired last February. It was the best job I ever had. I really enjoyed it.

COURIER: How long a route was Route 1?

SMITH: When I started, it was 46 miles and 240 families. When I retired, it was 79 miles and over 500 families. Almost every time you drive out that way now, there's a new house.

COURIER: What area does Route 1 cover?

SMITH: Norwood, Marlon, Barnard, and you go in and out of Antrim County twice.

COURIER: Do you miss the people along the route?

SMITH: Oh, yes, but I see some of them often, even go to visit some. I watched the kids grow up from birth to marriage, although I questioned their sanity when they decided to get married. I got the pick of the garden and lots of baked goods from the girls, and spirits. Even though I miss the people, I'm not going to miss the job in the winter months. When the snow is blowing, I'll just look out the window and feel sorry for my replacement, Bill Seese. I miss the group in the Post Office, too. They pester one another and play jokes. They're a good bunch.

COURIER: What's the best golf course in the area?

SMITH: The Belvedere. It's in such beautiful shape right now, it's too bad summer is over.

COURIER: Any other hobbies?

SMITH: I have a boat and do some fishing. I sing in St. Mary's choir.

COURIER: What about gardening?

SMITH: I leave that to my wife and daughter. I like the looks of our garden.

Building dept issues 96 permits during August

The Charlevoix County Department of Building Inspection issued 96 building permits during the month of August. This includes all of Charlevoix County with the exception of the City of Charlevoix.

Boyer City leads the list with 14 permits, followed by Hayes Township, nine; Eveline Township, eight; East Jordan, seven; Charlevoix Township, seven; Marlon Township, seven; Melrose Township, seven; Eveningline Township, six; Bay Township, five; South Arm Township, five; Peaine Township, four; St. James Township, four; Wilson Township, four; Boyne Valley Township, three; Hudson Township, three; Chandler Township, two; and Boyne Falls one.

Building costs of work covered by the permits is \$897,800. Most of the building costs, \$587,766, is for new residences. Other building for which permits were issued trends down as follows:

Residential additions, \$64,995; garages and additions to garages, \$77,698; remodeling, \$7,950; decks and porches, \$3,299; commercial additions, \$120,025; mobile home additions, \$7,400; residential outbuildings, \$16,756; and commercial outbuildings, \$42,910.

So far this year, 482 building permits have been issued by the department for work amounting to \$4,319,176.

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COURIER: You said you just bought some lumber. What are you going to do with it?

SMITH: I'm doing some work on the back of the house. I'm not a carpenter, but if I look painful enough, I can get some good help.

COURIER: Do you belong to any organizations?

SMITH: The VFW and American Legion.

COURIER: Have you ever had a political job?

SMITH: No. I never had any political aspirations. I'd rather battle a grizzly bear with a buggy whip.

COURIER: What did you do before you went to work at the Post Office?

SMITH: I ran the city golf course for two years then went into the Army. I served in New Guinea, the Philippines, and Australia. I got out New Year's Day, 1946. Then I drove a gas truck for W. H. Wallace

before going to the Post Office. I used to do a little moonlighting by tending bar at the Belvedere Club for parties. It helped in raising four kids. The Belvedere Club even let me use the casino when two of my daughters were married.

COURIER: Tell us about your family.

SMITH: I married Billie Meyer. She graduated from high school in 1929, a year after I did. She's a year younger than I am, and I hear about it quite often. We have four kids. Perry, Jr. has been in the Air Force 16 years. He is stationed in Spokane, Washington, and has two children, Colleen lives in Racine, Minnesota, and has three children. Leigh Ann lives in the Air Force. Her husband is in the Air Force. They'll be home in a year with their two children. Connie works at Oleson's and has two

children. I'd like to visit them all. Right now I'm trying to get my wife to go to Belgium to visit Leigh Ann and her family. I would hate to be raising kids these days. A lot of parents wish they hadn't voted to lower the drinking age to 18.

COURIER: Do you think the

Post Office should cut mail deliveries to five days a week?

SMITH: No, especially to those people in the rural sections. They're running their farms and are isolated in the winter. I think the American people deserve six day delivery. It's good we live in a place where we can give this kind of service.

Charlevoix Yesterday

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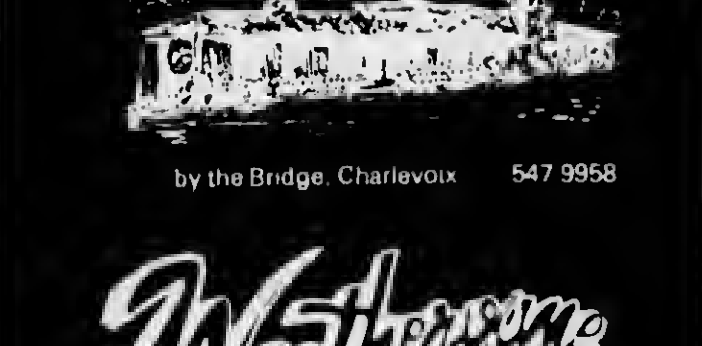
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Student Teachers

FOUR STUDENT TEACHERS will be assisting the staff of the Charlevoix Public Schools this week. The students from Central Michigan University are: (left to right) Mary Norberg, who will work at the Charlevoix Elementary School; Beth Kovach, elementary; David Riley, high school music; and Dale Latva, elementary music.

Miss Himebauch weds Kim Butwell

Linda Himebauch and Kim Butwell were joined in marriage Sept. 2 at Parr Memorial Baptist Church in Petoskey.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. William Himebauch of Harbor Springs and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Butwell of Petoskey. The former Miss Himebauch graduated from Charlevoix High School.

Rev. Alfred Nelson performed the double ring ceremonies before 250 guests in a church decorated with glads, dahlias and cedar bows. Traditional music was provided by Frances Nelson with solos by Wally Hopp of Lansing.

For her wedding the bride chose a dress of polyester chiffon with an empire bodice accented with puff sleeves with crystal pleating trimmed with pearls. Attached to the dress was a chapel train. The bride wore a white finger tip veil and carried a bouquet of white and yellow daisies, pom-pom mums and baby's breath.

Tami Borowak of Charlevoix was the maid of honor. Diane Wojan, sister of the bride from Charlevoix, and Madelyn Hughey of Bay Shore, served as bridesmaids.

They wore a line dresses of yellow polyester and cotton with lace trim at the V neck line. They wore yellow sweet



Mr. and Mrs. Kim Butwell

Engaged

Wolschleger-Beebe

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wolschleger of Charlevoix announce the engagement of their daughter LuAnn to Mike Beebe. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Beebe of Charlevoix.

Miss Wolschleger is a graduate of Charlevoix High School and a graduate of the North Central Michigan College School of Nursing. She currently employed at the Lockwood-MacDonald division of Northern Michigan Hospitals.

Her fiancé is a graduate of Flushing High School and is presently employed by Charlevoix Garbage Service. The couple is planning an Oct. 15 wedding at St. Mary's Catholic Church in Charlevoix.



LuAnn Wolschleger

NORWOOD TOWNSHIP

Due to the resignation of John Lochman, the Norwood Township Board held a special meeting and has appointed Doris Pearl (547-9096) as zoning administrator.

Bertha Parsons
Clerk

Women's club plans active 1977-78 season

By PEG OHLE

Summer is over, and with the coming of fall, the Charlevoix Women's Club is resuming its activities.

The first meeting, a Membership Coffee, will be held Tuesday, September 20, at 10 a.m. at the home of Mrs. George A. Duke on Mt. McCasaba Road.

Members of the Executive Committee will be hostesses at this meeting, and they are extending a special invitation to all prospective new members to attend. The Executive Committee consists of Mrs. J. Leedy Baer, past president; Mrs. Joseph T. Morris, Jr., president; Mrs. Arthur Reibel, first vice-president; Mrs. E. H. Leedy, second vice-president; Mrs. W. Richard Wood, third vice-president; Mrs. Arthur Stiel, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Kenneth Heininger, recording secretary; and Mrs. Louis J. Hollow, treasurer.

Anyone needing a ride to the meeting, or who wants someone to accompany them, is asked to call one of the above women. Membership books containing the year's programs will be distributed at this time.

The October Meeting will be a Fashion Show and Dinner on the 8th at the Weatherline Inn, to which members may invite husbands or gentlemen friends as guests.

The November 15 meeting will also be an evening affair. Mrs. Edward Thurston will speak on quilt design and will have some of her quilts on display. Life members will also be honored at this meeting, to be held at LaCroft. Christmas will be celebrated at the December 8 afternoon meeting, to be held at the home of Mrs. Morris. Mrs. Robert C. Tollas will furnish the music and Mrs. Leedy will speak on "The Aloof Owl".

The 1978 schedule will begin on January 17, at 1:30 p.m. in the Community Room of the First State Bank. Mrs. Elaine Martin will speak on "Your Financial Needs."

In February, on the 21st, at 8 p.m., Johnson K. Wright, M.S., will speak on "Dermatology - the Aesthetics Thereof" at the home of Mrs. Richard Georgi. The Art Group of the Women's Club will present the March program on the 21st at 8 p.m. in the library.

The April meeting, to be held at noon on the 18th at Leutheuser's Restaurant, will be the annual meeting. Mrs. Shirley Lusk of the Charlevoix Floral Company will present the program.

Members of the Women's Club are looking forward to a busy season and hope that all women who can attend even a few of the afternoon or evening meetings will join them.

Pearls celebrate 55th anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pearl celebrated their 55th wedding anniversary in Kolkaska Sept. 2 at a family gathering at the home of their niece Mr. and Mrs. Carl Leach.

The celebration was hosted by the Leaches and their daughter Betty Zipp.

The Pearls were married

Ma Bell to offer free emergency calls on area pay phones

Charlevoix' first pay phones to handle free emergency calls were activated last Monday, Michigan Bell has announced.

The new "Dial Tone First" service allows callers to reach an operator ("00") without depositing coins.

Lei Johnson, local manager for Michigan Bell, said the start-up of Dial Tone First will see team members beginning the on-site visits necessary to activate the 52 pay phones the Charlevoix exchange.

As the Michigan Bell conversion team makes each pay phone ready to handle the new service, an instruction card will be placed on it to inform the caller that all he or she has to do to get a dial tone is to lift the receiver.

A special sticker will also be placed on each outdoor phone booth as an aid in identifying those that have been converted.

Miss Johnson described the final on-site rewiring of the individual telephones as the "tip of the iceberg" when compared with the scope of the over-all conversion job that is expected to run at least \$15 million for Michigan Bell's 51,000 pay phones across the state.

The outside work must be preceded, she said, by extensive central office modification and the addition of new equipment by Western Electric, the manufacturing and supply unit of the Bell System.

By contrast, she said, the conversion of pay phones from 10 up to 20 cents was a relatively simple operation that required modification of the instruments only.

Working under a timetable agreed to by the Michigan Public Service Commission in January, Michigan Bell will convert virtually all of its 51,000 pay phones by the end of 1977.



BERNICE WESTSTAFF, Mary Margaret Geiken and Mrs. Bud Koehler show off the cake used during the celebration of Charlevoix author's Rex Beach centenary by the Charlevoix Historical Society.

Interesting facts discovered about author's family

By Peg Ohle

While making plans for celebrating the 100th anniversary of the birth of local author Rex Beach, Ed Beutner, president of the Charlevoix Historical Society, found some interesting information about Rex's father, H.W. Beach.

Several mentions of the senior Beach are contained in Ross Nettleton's compilation of stories from the Charlevoix Sentinel during the 1870's and 1880's. The compilation can be found in the Michigan room of the Charlevoix Public Library.

Some insight into the type of family from which the author came may be gleaned from the following excerpts:

April 30, 1931 (60 years ago - 1871):

"H. W. Beach of Banks, Antrim Co., made this spring, with 600 buckets, 3,500 pounds of maple sugar."

February 25, 1932 (60 years ago - 1872):

"H. W. Beach, Esq., of Antrim proposes in the coming spring to concentrate the resources of about 700 maple trees in the manufacture of syrup which he will sell in airtight cans and transport west where he is confident he will realize fully \$2.50 per gallon. Mr. Beach has in previous springs made large quantities of maple sugar which has been disposed of in the same way, bringing a high price. This shows that sugar-making when conducted in a business-like manner is the most profitable resource of the farm."

October 17, 1929 (50 years ago - 1879):

"A horse belonging to H. W. Beach of Banks fell through the uncompleted approach to the bridge on Wednesday but was hurt but little." (ED. NOTE: See picture of bridge in this week's issue.)

November 26, 1931 (50 years ago - 1881):

"Elmer F. Beach, son of H. W. Beach of Banks, is a student in the Literary Dept. of the University, where he will take a four year course. (An older brother of Rex Beach.)"

December 31, 1931 (50 years ago - 1881):

"H. W. Beach of Antrim has shipped from Norwood dock 100 tons of pressed hay to Harbor Springs, Petoskey, and St. Ignace, and expects to ship 100 tons more if weather is favorable."

January 14, 1932 (50 years ago - 1882):

"At the family gathering of the Rex Beach Homestead executed in 1977. These consisted of a framed oil painting by Louise Beutner which has been sent to Rollins College to be housed in the new Art Museum there; a watercolor by Toni Beutner; and another oil by Ivor Menzies. The latter two paintings will remain in Charlevoix and be placed in the Charlevoix Historical Museum when it is built.

Following the program the history-minded audience of seventy people enjoyed the Rex Beach birthday cake and punch served by Mary Margaret Geiken, Buena Kohler, and Bernice Weststaff. The Charlevoix Historical Society gratefully acknowledges the fine work of its local historian Mrs. Weststaff who was the guiding spirit in making the Rex Beach Centennial observance a reality.

ED BEUTNER, president of the Charlevoix Historical Society, holds a painting by his wife Louise, of the Rex Beach homestead. The painting was sent to Rollins College to be housed in the art museum. Behind it are paintings by Ivor Menzies and Tom Bounner of the same house.

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IN THE MARKET MALL
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Historical society honors memory of Rex Beach

By Louise Beutner
Charlevoix Historical Society

The September meeting of the Charlevoix Historical Society honored the centenary of the author Rex Beach whose birthplace was a farm near the present community of Atwood.

Should any author of today have his record of published novels and moving pictures made from them we would call it phenomenal, and so it was for him. And all this without the use of four-letter words, though he was extremely gifted in portraying "he-man" action of violent and heroic proportions in primitive scenes, many of them in Alaska where he lived several years as a young man. Apparently all he had to do was visit such scenes, and his pen flowed. His first big novel "The Spoilers" was filmed four times.

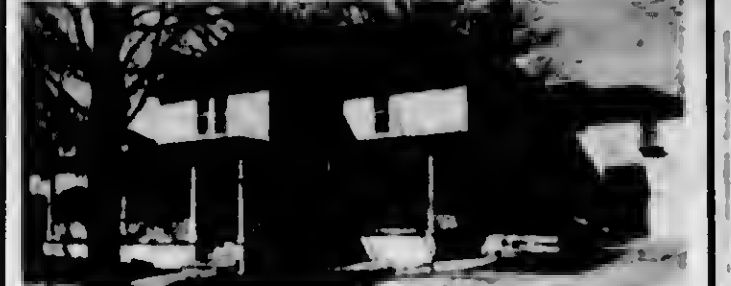
Past youth, he spent much time in Florida, was a supporter of Rollins College, and engaged in agricultural research.

Altogether, his life was larger than life, and was demonstrated by a book review of his memoirs "Personal Exposures" by Mrs. Eleanor Carson, his own humorous and occasionally ironic account of his life.

A display of memorabilia included:

1. Exhibit of novels from the Charlevoix Public Library and private collections.
2. Autographed portrait which was sent to Alfred Brooks by Rex Beach. The Brooks family acquired the beach homestead property in 1928, and Alfred Brooks still lives there.
3. Copies of James Montgomery Flagg drawings of Rex Beach donated by Rollins College.
4. Three conceptual paintings of the Rex Beach Homestead executed in 1977. These consisted of a framed oil painting by Louise Beutner which has been sent to Rollins College to be housed in the new Art Museum there; a watercolor by Toni Beutner; and another oil by Ivor Menzies. The latter two paintings will remain in Charlevoix and be placed in the Charlevoix Historical Museum when it is built.

Following the program the history-minded audience of seventy people enjoyed the Rex Beach birthday cake and punch served by Mary Margaret Geiken, Buena Kohler, and Bernice Weststaff. The Charlevoix Historical Society gratefully acknowledges the fine work of its local historian Mrs. Weststaff who was the guiding spirit in making the Rex Beach Centennial observance a reality.



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PAT KLOOSTER (10) eyes the coming Kalkaska line as he moves the ball down field during a play in Friday night's game. Charlevoix ripped the Kalkaska Blazers 35-0 in their opening game.

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Rayders romp over Kalkaska



GREG KRUEGER (40) charges down the field just out of reach of the Kalkaska players. His teammates jumped from the bench to cheer him on.



COACH DON CAREY talks with Jim Elzinga (22) during the Rayder-Kalkaska game Friday night. Elzinga acted as quarterback in the 30-5 romp over the Blazers.



NEIL DZIEDZIC (88) charges down the field to return a punt 60 yards for a touch down. Pat Klooster (10) runs interference for him.



THE BALL just slips through the hands of Charlevoix's Jim Elzinga (11) during the early part of the Rayder-Kalkaska game. Rayders took the game 35-0.



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Rayders open season with win

By BILL MERCER
The Charlevoix Red Rayders notched their first victory of the 1977 football season on a windswept Kalkaska Blue Razor field Friday night.

The 35-0 defeat of the Kalkaska 11 featured scoring by six Red Rayders including: a 78-yard interception run back, a safety, and a punt return 60 yards to paydirt. After playing to a 0-0 tie in the first quarter, the Rayders' Greg Krueger started the second quarter with a 22-yard run to the Kalkaska 38-yard line. From there, following a line play, Krueger plunged to the 12-yard line, where Kalkaska took over following a holding penalty against Charlevoix.

Aided by two penalties, the Blue Blazers charged up the field to the Charlevoix 45-yard line where they fumbled. The fumble was picked up by Greg Loper on the Kalkaska 31.

With 5 minutes and 12 seconds remaining in the second quarter, Krueger blasted over from the 16-yard line for the first Charlevoix score of 1977. The kick was good by Guy Carter, and Charlevoix had the lead 7-0.

On the first play following the Charlevoix kickoff, the Blue Blazers' quarterback was captured on the 1-yard line by a host of Charlevoix tackles. On the fourth down play of this series, the Rayders' Kip Cinnamon, playing heads-up defense, caused a safety. This made the score Charlevoix 9, Kalkaska 0.

The free kick to Charlevoix resulted in Red Rayder possession of the football on the Kalkaska 40. Charlevoix promptly lost the football on a fumble which was picked up on the Red Rayder 49.

The Blue Blazers drove to the Charlevoix 22-yard line, where Pat Klooster grabbed an errant Kalkaska pass and

returned the ball 78-yards for a Rayder touchdown. The point-after-attempt was a pass from Jim Alger to Neil Dziedzic, good for the 2-point conversion. With 1 minute and 30 seconds left in the first half, Charlevoix had built the lead to 17-0.

Action picked up in the third quarter, when Barney Way intercepted a Kalkaska pass, bringing the ball back to the Charlevoix 30-yard line. To complete the exchange, Charlevoix recovered a fumble on the first play from scrimmage, taking over on their own twenty three.

From here, the Rayders began a drive which resulted in the fourth Charlevoix score of the evening. Featured in this 77-yard scoring drive were runs by Krueger, Bob Tilden, and Kevin Kraft. With 10:59 remaining in the fourth quarter, Alger carried over from the 1-yard line for the tally. The conversion attempt was not good, and the score stood Charlevoix 25, Kalkaska 0.

The fourth quarter saw Coach Don Carey substituting freely, and the Rayder defense stopping the Blue Blazers attack cold.

Charlevoix's Neil Dziedzic offered the frosting on the cake by taking a Kalkaska punt on his own 40 yard line and scampering 60 yards for a score at the 4:58 mark. Again, the point-after failed, and with the game near end, the Red Rayders had their victory evening, 35-0.

This starts the 1977 football season with a convincing victory. This week, the Benzie Central eleven will visit Charlevoix for the Red Rayder's first home game, and the second warmup game before starting into the Michigan-Huron Shores League play. Charlevoix should be a contender for the league crown this year, so come out and support the squad at Kipke field this Friday evening.

CHARLEVOIX-KALKASKA STATISTICAL SUMMARY					
	Charlevoix	Kalkaska			
Offensive Plays	51	35			
First Downs	14	8			
Total Yards	331	101			
Rushing Yards	259	65			
Passing Yards	72	36			
Return Yards	61	10			
Passes	5-10-1	6-11-3			
Fumbles lost	1	4			
Penalties	15-145	2-30			
Score-by-quarter	1	2	3	4	Final
Charlevoix	0	17	6	12	35
Kalkaska	0	0	0	0	0

Flag football season to open next week

Following organizational meetings for flag football leagues sponsored by the Charlevoix Recreation Department, teams will be practicing this week in preparation for the opening of the 1977 schedule next week.

The Junior League will open the schedule with the Dolphins, coached by Jiggs Whitley and Paul Parrish, meeting the Lions, coached by Des Milligan and Sam Supernaw at 6 p.m. and the Steelers, coached by Bob

Holtzman, and the Chargers, coached by Dick Putman and Don Potter, clashing at 7:15 p.m. Tuesday, Sept. 20.

The Senior League will play Thursday with the Rams and the Patriots playing at 6 p.m.; the Cowboys and the Vikings at 7:15 p.m. and the Raiders and the Buccaneers at 8:30 p.m.

The Rams are coached by Doug Hawley; the Patriots by Don Trimmer; the Cowboys by Curt Ayres; the Vikings by Mike Reinhardt; and the

Buccaneers by Denny Youngdyke and the Raiders by Roger Fischer and Dan Gillespie.

The Benzie Central Huskies are looking forward to their game against the Charlevoix Rayders this coming Friday night.

The contest will be the first home game of the season for the Rayders and both teams are coming into it undefeated. Charlevoix romped over the Kalkaska Blazers 35-0 last week and Benzie blitzed Scottville 18-0.

"We've always had a good rivalry with Charlevoix," Benzie Coach Mike MacDonald said. "I think Charlevoix has taken six out of the last seven games, but they've been close games, and I expect the game this Friday will be a close one, too."

Charlevoix defeated the Huskies 14-6 last year in a game that saw the Huskies have a touch down called back due to a penalty. The Huskies remained winless last year, but Coach MacDonald said the team's record wasn't a true slanting of its talent.

"Six of the eight games had scores that were extremely close," MacDonald said. "Our team was better than the record looks."

The coach said 14 members of the 21 member squad were returning lettermen. He said the size of the team was good, too.

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JV squad runs over Kalkaska Blazers

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The young Rayders romped over Kalkaska 54-6.

Scoring by the young Rayders started almost immediately in the first quarter with Scott Morgan running up six points on a two-yard drive. Tom Mielke added another six points when he fell on a blocked punt in the end zone.

Morgan continued his scoring ways in the second quarter when he ran five yards for his second touchdown of the game. Jack Carlson passed to Steve Daylong for a two-point conversion and the score was 20-0.

However, the lone Kalkaska score also came in the second quarter. A pass was intercepted and returned 70 yards for six points. At half time the score was 26-6.

In the third quarter the

Rayders added another 20 points to the score board. Bob Russell went 12 yards for six and Scott Kerridge received the two-point conversion. Dave Elzinga raced seven yards for another six points and Russell followed for his second touch down of the game receiving a 50-yard pass from Carlson.

In the final quarter, Nick Anderson raced 32 yards to the goal line. Kerridge hit Daylong for the two-point conversion bringing the score to 48-6.

Russell finished the scoring blitz with his third touchdown of the game coming off a 42-yard run.

Coach Ilni Evans used his entire squad of 23 players during the game and singled out Russell, Ken Ottumowski and Morgan as some of the top players during the game.

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Golf team takes first match Monday

The Charlevoix High School golf team posted its first victory of the season when the Elks Rapids Elks at the municipal course here Monday.

Next Monday the team will be at Charlevoix with St. Ignace at 4 p.m. in the first Michigan-Huron Conference match of the season.

In Monday's meet Charlevoix had 157 points to 176 for the Elks.

Mike Custer had the best score of the meet, a 37; team scores Pat Paul and Bob Ranger posted scores of 39 each and Steve Schuch had a 42.

Marty Merrill had a 38 score; Church Stephan a 41; John Peterman, a 47 and Steve Shoemaker a 50 for the visitors.

Christine Dillon, 5, wasn't nervous at all when she first crowd drew up in a matter of seconds.

After demonstrating how well they could swing on the bars, Roger Houghton and his friend Mark Wojan, both 5 years old, agreed that they liked their teacher Mrs. Smith and were quite pleased with her teaching ability.

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Obituary

Beatrice Gerten Wagner Word has been received of the death of Beatrice Gerten Wagner, 78, of Ludington. She was the mother of William D. Gerten of Charlevoix.

Mrs. Wagner was born Feb. 18, 1901 in South Bend, Ind. She was married to Howard Gerten on April 30, 1921. He died Sept. 4, 1934. She remarried Franklin S. Wagner, who preceded her in death on Oct. 28, 1976.

She had been a resident of Ludington for 20 years.

Besides her son, survivors include three grandchildren, two brothers, Frank MacDonald of South Bend and Allen MacDonald of Texas, two sisters, Mrs. D.J. Weimer of Mishawaka, Ind., and Mrs. Benjamin Ogborn of South Bend.

Funeral services for Ruben E. Oliver, 62, former resident of Charlevoix, Wis., following a long illness, were held Saturday at the Greensky United Methodist Church. The Rev. Austin Regier officiated. Interment was in the Greensky cemetery.

Born in Charlevoix June 23, 1915, Mr. Oliver had served with the U.S. Marine Corps in Alaska and the South Pacific during World War II. In recent years he had resided in Escanaba where he had been employed as a gardener and caretaker and in Sheboygan and Rhinelander, Wis. At Rhinelander he had taught Indian Art at the Rhinelander branch of the University of Wisconsin. He was a member of the Greensky United Methodist church here.

Surviving are a son, Robert of Chicago; a sister, Mrs. Marion Anderson of Sheboygan, Wis., and two brothers, Leonard and Jay J., both of Charlevoix.

The Winchester Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements here.

Student

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to play football."

Since he doesn't know all the rules of the game, Pedro is content to be a kicker and he attempted to extra points in last Friday's game against Kalkaska.

Since his arrival Aug. 23, Pedro has tried many new things and he especially likes the fishing. He caught a 12 pound trout in Lake Charlevoix not too long ago.

"It was great," he beamed. "At home you have to drive six hours in order to fish so I can't do it much."

He also enjoys American food especially pizza, hamburgers, Coca Cola, which he claims tastes different in Mexico, and ice cream. He also likes to eat fish that he has caught himself.

Pedro will be taking draft- ing, American History and government, English, gym and study hall while he is a student in Charlevoix.

Upon his return home he will complete one more year of schooling and then plans to study to go into management of industry.

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Coaches' Comments

Elk Rapids is looking forward to evening up the score when the girls varsity basketball team meets the Charlevoix Raiders Thursday. The junior varsity game will begin at 6:30 p.m. with the varsity game starting at 8 p.m.

Of the three games Elk Rapids has played against Charlevoix, the challengers have won one and lost two. A win on Thursday by Elk Rapids could even up the score. Coach Tom Witte said, "In preparation for its meet with the Raiders, Elk Rapids is playing arch rivals Glen Arbor. Glen Arbor took the Northwest Conference title last year with Elk Rapids right behind them with a 19-3 record. Elk Rapids won the first game of its season 71-20 against Northport. Witte said, "The coach said he had five of the seven top starters back again this year and he is looking forward to another winning season with his 14-member squad.

The team has some height this year with two girls in the front line standing at 5 feet 10 inches. Witte said the strength of the team was the speed of the guards and the rebounding.

"We've always been a running team and we will be that way again this year," the Elk Rapids coach said.

This is Witte's fourth year as coach of the varsity basketball squad at Elk Rapids.

Future of Little League discussed

The future of the Little League program in Charlevoix will be decided at a meeting of interested persons called for 8 p.m. Monday in the community room at the City Hall.

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Charlevoix student enjoys summer

It was a summer of sun and fun in Acapulco, Mexico, for Jeralyn Goss, Charlevoix High School senior.

It was also a summer of learning.

Jeralyn participated in the Youth for Understanding (YFU) program during July and August and learned a lot about the Mexican culture as well as enjoyed it this summer. She was one of about 50 American students staying in Acapulco on the YFU program.

"I understand Mexico so much better," Jeralyn said reflecting on her trip. "The people are so nice and so warm."

"And my responsibilities have become clearer to me and what my responsibilities are," she added.

"I definitely want to go back."

She stayed with a family in an apartment in the residential section of the

famous resort city. Her adopted family consisted of three sisters, Estela, 20, Maria, 23, and Esther, 26. She also has another sister and five brothers in her adopted family, but they were all married and living away from home.

The high school student said she did all of the things a normal tourist would do on a trip to Acapulco. She also had some experiences that tourists don't get.

She visited the hotels where her sister worked and had a chance to see the resort operations from their point of view. She also went dancing with her sisters in local night spots and even attended a Mexican wedding.

"I spoke Spanish all the time," the student said. "I had to only one sister could speak English and she would only do it when I didn't understand something, or, when we didn't want anyone to know what we

were saying."

Jeralyn said that after the first month she was proficient enough in the language to go out on her own.

"I took Spanish in high school during my freshman and sophomore years," she said. "But you learn so much more when you have to speak it every day."

She said she found herself thinking in Spanish and she had trouble getting back into English when she would speak with her mother in Charlevoix on the phone or to other Americans in the city.

Jeralyn had visited Mexico for a week last February when she was on vacation with her family, but she said there were still many things that surprised her about the country.

"I was surprised that my sisters didn't wear more dresses," she commented. "I had heard that they were more formal."

"I was also surprised that they didn't go to church more often. I had heard the Mexican people were very religious, too. The church did offer five services a day."

The Charlevoix student said she enjoyed the food very much. She said she ate a lot of chicken and that the food was as spicy as the rumors make it.

"I even put the chili sauce on the various dishes. I liked it. I didn't use as much as everyone else, though," she said.

Jeralyn said after breakfast there wouldn't be any meals until 3 p.m. when the family would gather for its big meal of the day. Then they would have a snack at 8 or 9 p.m.

The student came home loaded with gifts and souvenirs from her trip. She brought back a serape, pottery, wooden platters and things made out of bone and silver.



JERALYN GOSS, who recently returned from Mexico, and Pedro Armengol, who is a Mexican exchange student staying with the Goss family, will have plenty to talk about this school year in English and Spanish.

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Mexican exchange student joins Charlevoix schools

Spanish phrases will be ringing in the halls of Charlevoix High School this year.

Pedro Armengol, of San Luis Potosi, San Luis Potosi, (it's like New York, New York) in the central part of

Mexico, will be attending the high school this year as an exchange student with the Youth for Understanding program.

The 18-year-old student is staying at the home of the Gerald Gosses.

Michigan is not new to Pedro and neither is the Goss family. Pedro's brother was an exchange student in Mantion last year. Before he returned home last spring, he made a trip to visit the Gosses here.

And Jeralyn Goss visited Pedro's family for a week while she was in Mexico this summer on an exchange program. She also acts as part time translator for the visit.

Pedro said he decided to be an exchange student because he wanted to learn more about the American people their

customs and their way of life. And he is anxious to try a little of everything while he is here.

"I want to try it all," he said smiling broadly. "I want to play football, I want to play basketball, I want to snowmobile, I want to fish, I want to play tennis. I want to do it all."

And according to his plan, Pedro has gone out for the Rayder football team.

"I had watched the Dallas Cowboys play on TV at home," he explained. "And I said I'd get the chance I want to do it all."

See Student page 11.

Gatellys
FURNITURE

TIM O'BRIEN, store manager of Gatelly's, stands before the new sign at the store's new location on U.S. 31 north of Charlevoix.

Gatellys moves to Charlevoix

A new furniture store has made its home in Charlevoix. Gatelly's, formerly located in Petoskey, is now in business in the former location of Don Brown's House of Furniture.

"We're glad to be in Charlevoix," Tim O'Brien, store manager, said. "We've had lots of customers from Charlevoix in the past and we hope we will be able to serve them as well as possible."

O'Brien said the furniture company decided to move to Charlevoix after losing its lease in Petoskey.

"It was a question of availability," he explained. "This location met our needs."

"We are also planning to open another Petoskey store as soon as possible, but we're planning to stay in Charlevoix, too."

"This is a permanent location for us."

The furniture company is a part of a chain whose main offices are in Saginaw along with two stores. Stores are also located in Alpena and Ishpeming. The company opened its Petoskey store in 1964.

The company is not planning to expand its line but will continue offering such brand names as Kroehler, Simmons, Mt. Clair, Broly Hill.

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At Charlevoix Apartments

Suit filed for tenants in rent hike dispute



A CLASS ACTION suit for tenants of these apartments located on May Street over a rent hike instituted last March has been filed in U.S. District Court in Grand Rapids. Some of the defendants named in the suit are the owners of the apartment complex, Frank Vaydik, Roger Pierce and Betty Frey.

City council nixes land swap proposal

A parcel of land in the Belvedere Club has been ruled out as a possible location for a senior citizen housing complex for the City of Charlevoix.

Charlevoix Common Council turned down a proposed swap of five acres of Belvedere Club property for parts of Belvedere and Ferry-avenues in a resolution adopted Monday night.

"It's not feasible to trade any property for major streets in Charlevoix," Alderman Jeanne Wallace said. "It's not feasible to even consider it."

"I don't feel we have a right to consider closing any street."

Council also ruled out holding a public hearing on the issue saying that according to the facts available to them it would not be feasible to close the two streets in order to complete the swap.

The Charlevoix Housing Commission had approached the Belvedere Club Board of Trustees in the spring about purchasing some land and the trustees offered recently to swap the land in question for the portions of Belvedere and Ferry avenues running through the club.

The trustees felt the swap would solve two problems—it would provide a location for the badly needed senior

citizen housing complex and it would provide additional privacy and security for Belvedere members.

The housing commission is considering several other locations within the city as alternative sites for the housing complex.

In other action, the council approved the expenditure of \$1,144 for the installation of aluminum window frames and windows in the club house at the golf course.

The present windows have wood frames which have rotted out. Council felt the installation of the aluminum windows would eliminate any further problems and would also reduce maintenance of the windows at the club house.

Council members also discussed the proposed new zoning ordinance and the site plan review ordinance currently in existence.

Mrs. Wallace said the Police, Fire and Ordinance Committee had reviewed both ordinances and felt some action should be taken by the council toward establishing a planning commission to assist the council in reviewing site plans and handling other zoning matters.

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Relief may be on the way for tenants of Charlevoix Apartments who have been fighting rent hikes instituted at the complex last winter.

A class action suit on behalf of the tenants of the apartment complex on May Street has been filed in U.S. District Court in Grand Rapids by Gregory Justis of Legal Services of Northern Michigan.

The suit was also filed on behalf of tenants in any of the other rural low and moderate income rental projects within the state constructed with Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) funds.

Defendants named in the suit are Frank W. Vaydik, Roger N. Pierce and Betty Frey, owners of the apartment complex. Also named in the suit are Bob Bergland, secretary of the U. S. Department of Agriculture; Gordon Cavanaugh, acting administrator of FmHA; and Robert Abbott, acting state director of FmHA.

In the suit, Justis claims that tenants of Charlevoix Apartments were denied due process of law as provided under the Fifth and Fourteenth Amendments of the U.S. Constitution when their rents

were increased 25 percent March 1. The legal services attorney explained that before rents can be increased in rural low and moderate income housing complexes funded under the rural housing program, applications must be made to the FmHA office describing why the rent hike is necessary.

"Under the present scheme, it is not necessary to give the tenants any notice of an application to seek rent increases or to give them a chance to participate in the decision on the rent increases," Justis said.

"Our complaint seeks to establish a system that gives the tenants a chance to participate in the approval or disapproval of rent hikes."

If the tenants win their case, a system will have to be set up where tenants will be notified of any application to FmHA for a rent increase.

The tenants of the rural low and moderate income housing units will also be given the opportunity to inspect the application for rent hikes and any supporting documents and a chance to offer written comments and objections.

In addition the tenants must be informed of the decision made in the case

and the reasons surrounding the decision.

Justis said a hearing on a motion for a preliminary injunction rescinding the recent rent increases will be held Sept. 28 in Grand Rapids.

The injunction asks that the rent increases be returned to the tenants of Charlevoix Apartments, and that the FmHA be restrained from granting any further increases in rent to any of the rural housing complexes it has funded.

Shirley Roloff, spokesperson for the senior citizens living in Charlevoix Apartments, said the tenants decided to file suit because they couldn't get help anywhere else.

Mrs. Roloff got involved in the rent dispute through her volunteer work for the Charlevoix County Department of Social Services. Some of her clients were residents of the apartment complex. Many of them were living on social security incomes and could not pay the rent hike.

All of the tenants were under the impression that rents at the apartment would not be increased if they could not afford to pay them.

Following the first notice from Vaydik that the rents would be increased, Mrs. Roloff attempted to seek help for the tenants from the county prosecutor's office, the common council and her state legislators and U.S. congressmen in no avail.

When we started working on this, nobody had any answers," Mrs. Roloff explained. "And then I heard about the new legal services office and I went to them for help."

When contacted about the suit, Vaydik, a defendant and part owner of Charlevoix Apartments, said that he was not aware that it had been filed. He said, however, that if the suit was similar to one filed in U.S. District Court in Saginaw, the tenants wouldn't get very far.

A similar suit has been filed with the U.S. District Court in Saginaw by the Eastern Michigan Legal Services attorneys. The suit names Roger N. Pierce, owner of Parkside Apartments in Coleman, as a defendant. Pierce is also named in the Charlevoix case.

In the Saginaw suit, attorneys claim tenants were hit with a 45 percent hike without due process of law.

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County officials find appeal of property valuation costly

By PEG O'LE

"I am glad the County Commissioners won their case and personally think it's very unfair that the taxpayers had to pay a considerable amount of money for this case when the (Melrose) Township had no just cause to appeal their equalization."

These are the words of County Equalization Director Joan Blanchard upon which ruled in favor of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners in the case of Melrose Township.

The opinion, received by the County Commissioners last week, stated that "there is no credible evidence to support the contention that (Melrose) Township was treated in an arbitrary, unjust or discriminatory fashion, or that as equalized the values of the unit were equalized in excess of 50 percent."

The "considerable" amount of money, to which Mrs. Blanchard refers is at least \$1,690 out-of-pocket expenses incurred by the four County Commissioners and three County

employees who attended the four-day hearing. In addition, many hours of extra work were put in by employees who attended the four-day hearing. In addition, many hours of extra work were put in by employees of the Equalization Department and County Prosecutor's office in preparing for the hearing, and the four County Commissioners had to take time away from their income-producing activities.

The cost to Melrose Township has not yet been determined. It was represented at the hearing by Attorney Stephen B. Graham of Petoskey. An official of the Township has stated that Graham's estimate of his cost was \$1,500 for one-and-a-half days of work. Since the hearing lasted four days, it is possible his fee could be as much as \$4,000.

Melrose Township Supervisor Harry Griffin, who spearheaded the appeal, was the only other representative from the Township to attend.

"The taxpayers of Melrose Township are paying double for this hearing,"

representing Charlevoix County at the four-day hearing were County Commissioners Clyde Cunningham, Delbert Ingalls, Larry D. Matthew, and Richard A. McKinnon, Jr.; Equalization Director Blanchard and Carla Spencer from the department; and county Prosecutor Hayes.

Morehouse Township has 20 days in which to appeal the Tax Tribunal opinion. However, Mrs. Blanchard pointed out that it could not appeal the valuation, that the appeal could only be based on error of law, wrong principles, or fraud in the case. If any of these can be proven, then the case could be remanded and heard again, which would cost the taxpayers that much more money.

Representing Charlevoix County at the four-day hearing were County Commissioners Clyde Cunningham, Delbert Ingalls, Larry D. Matthew, and Richard A. McKinnon, Jr.; Equalization Director Blanchard and Carla Spencer from the department; and county Prosecutor Hayes.



High Kickers

EVEN POURING DOWN RAIN could not dampen the high spirits and the high stepping of the Charlevoix Rayder Marching Band. The band opened its show season at the Charlevoix Benzie Central game last Friday with a new look. In addition to the flag corps, a color guard has been added. The marching band will be performing again this Friday at Kipke Field.

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Community Calendar

Tuesday, Sept. 20
Cross Country: Charlevoix at Grayling 4 p.m.
Girls Basketball: Charlevoix at Central Lake 8:30 p.m.
American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m.
Men's Prayer meeting 7 a.m. Community Church of God.
Charlevoix Women's Club Membership Coffee 10 a.m. until 12 noon Mrs. George J. Duke, Mt. McSaubia Rd. Hostesses: Executive committee.
Forum for Parent-Teacher Conferences scheduled for

Wednesday, Sept. 21
Oct. 19-21 were sent home with each student in the Charlevoix Public Schools. They are to be completed and returned by Friday, Sept. 23.
Freshman Football: Charlevoix Freshmen vs Gaylord Freshmen at Kipke field here 8:30 p.m.
Charlevoix Chapter No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star will meet at the Masonic Temple at 6:30 p.m. for a potluck supper. The regular business meeting will follow.
Thursday, Sept. 22
Women's Guild of the Charlevoix Area Hospital will hold its annual Membership Coffee at the LaCroft Condominium Lounge, 103 W. Dixon-ave. 10 a.m. until 12 noon.
Y.O.M. Kipper... day of Abstinence.
Football: Charlevoix JV's will play at Gaylord 8:30 p.m.
Friday, Sept. 23
Football: Charlevoix Raydors will host Gaylord

Monday, Sept. 20
Blue Devils at Kipke Field 8 p.m.
At Anone Family Group will meet at undercroft of Christ Episcopal Church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.
Saturday, Sept. 24
Band Boosters will open their annual Community Birthday Anniversary Calendar Drive. Call Mrs. William Graves at 547-2200 if you are not contacted by a band member.
Sunday, Sept. 25
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.
Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 26 & 27
Orientation Day for parents only at the Charlevoix Cooperative Nursery School. K-5 School Division-ave.

Tuesday, Sept. 27
Girls' Basketball: Charlevoix at Rogers City 8:30 p.m.
Cross Country: Charlevoix at Boyne City 4 p.m.
Girls' Basketball: Charlevoix at Elk Rapids 3:30 p.m.
St. Mary's Board of Education will meet at the school hall 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Rehoboth Lodge will meet at the American Legion Post Home for its first meeting of the 1977-78 season, 8 p.m.
Men's Prayer meeting 7 a.m. Community Church of God.
Annual meeting of the Charlevoix Area Hospital Association will be held at the Community Room, First State Bank, 8 p.m. for the purpose of presenting reports and electing five directors to the

Wednesday, Sept. 28
Further information call Roy M. Fortin at 547-4491.
Thursday, Sept. 29
First day of school for Charlevoix Cooperative Nursery School for parent and child. Charlevoix Elementary School Bldg.
Friday, Sept. 30
Freshman Football: Charlevoix at Cheboygan 8:30 p.m.
Charlevoix Board of Commissioners will meet at the county building annex 7:30 p.m.
Charlevoix County Humane Society will meet at the Top of Michigan Electric Co-op building, Boyne City 7:30 p.m.
Registration for Senior Citizens Health Screening program will be held from 1 until 3 p.m. at the City Hall in Charlevoix; Northern Michigan Electric Co-op in Boyne City; High School in Boyne Falls and

Medusa plans expansion, pollution control

"We're committed to the road, we're committed to the \$50 million expansion program and we're committed to improving the environment," Scott Rogers, president of the Medusa Corporation and chief executive officer, said following the announcement of the conversion of the existing kiln at the Charlevoix Cement Plant from wet process to dry process during a civic dinner at the Grey Gables Inn last week.

The dinner was hosted by Medusa officials from the home office in Cleveland and the Charlevoix plant and guests included city, township, county and school officials as well as industrial representatives.

The conversion program is expected to begin in April 1978 and to be completed by the spring of 1980. It is estimated that upwards of 800 workers will be needed in the construction phase, Rogers said that Medusa intends to hire as many local firms and workers as is possible. The company will spend approximately \$50 million on the project, or double what it spent to build the plant in 1967.

It is anticipated that after the project is completed between 12 and 20 new workers will be added to the plant force which already employs about 100 people.

Rogers said that the additional employees would also be hired from the Charlevoix area.

In addition to the conversion of the kiln, the company will also be attempting to reduce pollution from the plant. The new process will reduce emission of dust and other particles by about 20 percent. Sulfur oxide emissions, which create the rotten egg odor that residents of the Charlevoix area can smell on certain days, will be cut in half, according to company officials.

New dust collection equipment that will be installed as a part of the expansion and modernization project will cost in excess of \$5 million.

As another means of controlling dust in the plant area, Medusa has agreed to fund the paving of Bells Bay Road.

The plant area will take on a new look as additional structures are built on the grounds. The noise from the area is expected to drop considerably as the various processes become housed in the new buildings.

Also, because of the conversion from wet to dry process, the familiar plume that can be seen pouring from the 220-foot stack at the plant will become a sight of the past.

When the Medusa plant opened in Charlevoix 10 years ago, it was touted as one of the most efficient and pollution free wet process plants in the country. So what made the company decide to convert the plant?

Higher energy costs and pollution, W.G. Irmischer, president of the cement division of Medusa Corporation, explained.

After studying other processes in Germany, Japan and Greece, the company found that wet process plants were not as energy efficient as the dry process ones, he said.

So the company decided to convert to the dry process or flash calciner-preheater process. This will not only save money but will also help the corporation meet the Federal Energy Administration's goal of reducing fuel consumption 18 percent by 1982.

Conversion also allows the Medusa plant to double its production as well as improve the quality of the cement it produces, Irmischer said.

All this will be done at less cost per ton of cement produced and will help Medusa better compete with other U.S. cement plants and with Canadian plants as well, he said.

"This plant will be a feather in Medusa's hat and a credit to the cement industry when we are done," Rogers said.

"With this new process we will be able to have more cement, less odor, and less pollution," he continued. "It comes pretty close to having your cake and eating it, too."

Local officials enthusiastic about plans for conversion

The expansion plans for the Medusa Cement Plant in Charlevoix were greeted by the most part with enthusiasm by local officials.

Township, city, county and school officials all seemed to agree that the \$50 million expansion, which promises to increase production and decrease pollution, will be an asset to the community.

Charlevoix Township Supervisor Oscar Stroud said he was particularly pleased that the company had agreed to pave Bells Bay Road.

"That's something I've been trying to get done for a long time," Stroud said. "I think that paving the road will help cut down on the amount of dust in the air. Health department monitors show that most of the dust out there is road dust, not cement dust. I think this will help a lot."

provement and it will be a boon to the economy," Hansen said. "I have no concerns and no apprehensions about the project."

The mayor said that he didn't think the additional people that the project would bring to the area would be any strain on the city. In fact, the mayor thought the extra

population might work to the city's advantage.

Charlevoix County Commissioner Don Meggison was also pleased with the proposed expansion.

"I have no concerns about the pollution and I never have had," Meggison said. "There might be a little bit out there, but for what they are doing for the area, I think we can stand a little."

Meggison said he also had no concerns about the tax break the company was seeking for the expansion and improvements.

"The tax break was designed to help companies expand and to create jobs," he said. "Companies across the country are asking for getting these tax breaks and I think that's the least we can do."

Charlevoix School District Superintendent Gordon Van Wieren also was impressed with the expansion plans, but he expressed some concerns about the influx of people to the area during the construction phase and the effects that would have on the school district.



Sheriff George Lasater presents the first citizens award to Steven Wittfogel of East Jordan as his wife and son look on.

To East Jordan resident Sheriff gives citizen award

An East Jordan man has received the first certificate of appreciation through the Charlevoix Sheriff's Department Citizen Award program.

Sheriff George Lasater presented the certificate to Steven J. Wittfogel, 24, for his assistance in recovering stolen goods.

Wittfogel, who works at the East Jordan Iron Works, said he came across the stolen goods when he was testing the four-wheel drive on his new pickup truck on Labor Day on Dutchman Bay Road. He came across a blanket which was covering a pile containing skis, ski boots, camera equipment and personal effects.

The East Jordan resident returned to town and called the city police, who contacted the sheriff's department.

Wittfogel said he was sure the items were stolen when he came across them in the woods.

"It was the first thing I



Sheriff George Lasater presents the first citizens award to Steven Wittfogel of East Jordan as his wife and son look on.

Registration still open for adult ed. classes

Registration is still open for adult education classes at the Charlevoix High School.

There are openings in both the high school completion courses and in the adult enrichment courses, Roy Fortin, adult ed. director, said.

Fortin said people who missed the formal registration last week may sign up for classes by calling the high school at 547-4491 or by going to the high school office. Registration will also be accepted the first night of class. Classes will begin the week of Sept. 26.

A broad variety of courses is being offered through the adult education program this semester. U.S. history, sociology, deaf awareness and macramé will be offered on Monday nights, typing, consumer math, G.E.D. prep, basic woodworking, needlepoint and introduction to art will be offered on Tuesday, biology, will be offered on Wednesday and English, dry floral arranging and fabric painting will be offered on Thursday.

Medusa seeks tax break as part of expansion

As a part of its expansion program in Charlevoix, the Medusa Corporation will be seeking a tax break from the Charlevoix Township Board.

Under Public Act 198, governmental units are allowed to create an industrial development district which provides a property tax exemption for manufacturers proposing to expand or rehabilitate their plants.

The law was passed by the State Legislature in 1974 to encourage industry in Michigan to expand and to make it lucrative for the company to do so. The law is a means of combating the competitiveness of other states in attracting business away from Michigan.

Under the state statute, the company exempted the tax break is granted from one-half of the property taxes that would normally be levied on the new addition for 12 years. Medusa is planning a \$50 million expansion, however, \$5 million will be spent on pollution control equipment which is untaxable.

Charlevoix Township Supervisor Oscar Stroud said the township board is still considering Medusa's request for the property tax exemption. He said an informal poll

Medusa seeks tax break as part of expansion

of the board members indicated, however, that the board was in favor of granting the tax break.

Even with the tax break, it is estimated that by 1981, the Charlevoix plant will be paying approximately triple or \$50,000 in property taxes to the township. This year the plant paid \$200,000 in property taxes.

Several other plants in the Charlevoix area have applied for the property tax exemptions on expansions and received them. These plants include Lexallite Corporation of Charlevoix and Courter, Inc., of Boyne City.

School board sets date for public budget hearing

By FRANK MARTIN

Monday, Oct. 17, was set as the date of the hearing on the 1977-78 budget by the Charlevoix Board of Education.

The budget hearing is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. at the high school study hall.

The certification of taxes for the townships and the city was made. For the townships, the levy will be as follows: Voted, 17.25 mills; Allocated, 8.1 mills; public library, 4 mill; 1958 debt retirement, .7 mill

and 1968 debt retirement for 1.4 mills for a total of 2.85 mills. In the city of Charlevoix, the residents pay summer taxes or 30 percent of the winter taxes levied in December. This levy will be as follows: Voted, 9.125 mills; allocated, 4.55 mills; public library, 4 mill; 1958 retirement debt, .35 mills; and 1968 debt retirement, .7 mills for a total of 15.125.

Supt. Gordon W. Van Wieren reported to the board that the transfer of property located on

Conference forms should be returned as soon as possible

Parents of children attending the Charlevoix Public Schools are urged to return forms for parent-teacher conferences to the schools by Friday.

The forms for the conferences, which will be held from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. Oct. 19-20 and from 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Oct. 21, were sent home with each student in grades kindergarten through twelfth on Monday.

The forms should be filled out and returned with the students to the respective schools as soon as possible so that conference schedules can be made up.

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Editorials/Opinions

School officials should keep voters informed of expenditures

Charlevoix School District officials are breathing sighs of relief this week following the approval of an additional one mill for operations by school district voters Sept. 12.

It could have been a long winter for the school district without the additional mill and the extra \$86,000 it will add to the 1977-78 school year budget.

Because of the high property valuation in the area, the Charlevoix School District will not be getting any state aid for operational purposes this year and the school district officials were looking at a deficit budget to start the school year because of unanticipated cuts in state aid funding last year.

The newly approved mill will ease the strain that had been placed on this year's budget.

The administration and board of education have already begun to plan for the use of the additional mill in three areas: for eliminating the budget deficit, for starting much needed maintenance programs at the three schools, and for ordering materials needed for a special reading program at the middle school.

School Superintendent Gordon Van Wieren and various school board members have expressed their appreciation to the voters for the support of the school system they showed at the polls. The superintendent has also pledged he will keep the voters informed of what that

mill is used for as it is split among various projects throughout the school year. Superintendent Van Wieren should be applauded for his pledge and encouraged to not only keep the voters informed about how the one additional mill is being spent but also to show how the entire 27.45 mills the school district is operating on are spent.

For far too long the financial operations of school districts have been a mystery to many of the people who vote to support it. School financial operations have not been secret because school officials have tried to make them that way, but due to the complexity of the funding formula and the lack of interest by citizens.

But as people continue to tighten their belts in light of every increasing utility and gasoline costs and with spiraling inflation, citizens should become more familiar with the budgets of schools and city government, just as they are familiar with their own household budgets.

After all, voters know how tough it is to make ends meet and they may have suggestions to aid the various governmental bodies in being as efficient as possible.

Keeping close track of the budgets will also help voters become familiar with the reason why increases are needed.

Letters to the editor

Berrien prosecutor thanks county for hospitality

To the Editor,
Recently, my Chief Assistant, Jeffrey Long, and I tried a change of venue Murder case in the Charlevoix Circuit Court. The defendant, David Purcell Murder and was last week sentenced to life imprisonment for the second time. My purpose in writing this is to thank the people of Charlevoix County for the exceptional hospitality and courtesy with which my staff and I were treated during our stay. Special thanks from the people of our county go to these jurors and prospective jurors who gave of their time to assist Berrien County in

the administration of our Criminal Justice System.

Other than a most interesting afternoon at the Polish festival and rodeo at Boyne Falls, we did not get a chance to see much of your beautiful County, but all of us have resolved to go back sometime in the near future to do just that.

You see, I find it hard to believe that the legislators of at least three of the remaining states won't approve an amendment that will help end discrimination against over 50 percent

Very truly yours,
John A. Smeltanka,
Prosecuting Attorney

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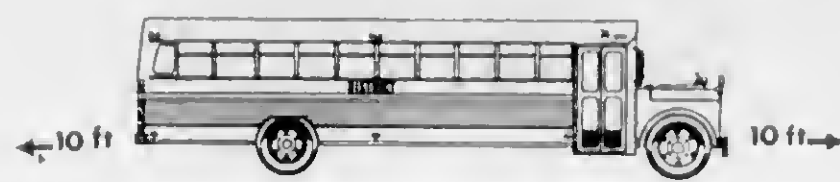
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Paula Holmes...

...Speaking Her Mind

This is a column about a \$10 bet and women's rights. Now it may be hard to see what the two things have in common, but the connection between the two is the Equal Rights Amendment, which is commonly referred to as the ERA.

The Equal Rights Amendment resolution was passed by both houses of the U.S. Congress in 1972 and sent to the states for ratification. Two-thirds or 38 states must approve the amendment before March 22, 1979 in order for it to become a part of the U.S. Constitution. The amendment represents an attempt to remove the last bastions of discrimination against women from the constitution and from the daily lives of Americans.

Back in 1972, the amendment must have seemed like a good idea because 22 states, Michigan among them, ratified the amendment during the first year after Congress had approved the resolution.

And now only three more states are needed to make the ratification complete. But unlike the votes of the first 22 states, the last three votes are not cast easily. In fact, many women think the amendment is doomed.

That's where the \$10 bet comes in. I have a cousin who is very active in women's rights activities. She's not a bra burner, but she does believe in myth buring. The more myths about what women can and can't do that she can burn out of people's minds, the happier she is.

She believes, needless to say, in the ERA. She feels that it will help both women and men. But she's not happy about way people are looking at the ERA. In fact, she bet me \$10 that the amendment wouldn't be ratified by the deadline. I bet her it would be.

You see, I find it hard to believe that the legislators of at least three of the remaining states won't approve an amendment that will help end discrimination against over 50 percent



If it Fitz

by Jim Fitzgerald

There is bad news, unless you are a duck.

Waterfowl hunters have been ordered to get the lead out, and substitute steel shot. But steel shot is expensive and hard to find. As a result, when the shooting season opens in October, there is the terrifying possibility that many ducks will not be shot and will escape the marshes and invade the cities to attack a defenseless population.

If such a disaster occurs, it will be the fault of the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service which has ruled it OK to shoot the heads off ducks and geese, but it is not nice to poison them.

In the past, hunters have killed ducks by shooting clusters of lead pellets at them. Shotgun is remarkable efficient weapons, requiring minimal skill to operate successfully. This is because the shooter's aim need not be straight in a wide pattern, thus guaranteeing a Michigan hunter a hit if he shoots at the sky at the same time there is a bird flying in Michigan.

The trouble is, millions of the lead pellets don't hit birds but simply fall to the ground, not harmlessly. Wildfowl

of the population in this country. I find it hard to believe that even though most of these legislators are men, that they can't see the advantages of raising such an amendment. I can't believe that they haven't already seen some wonderful things happen as a result of other changes in rules and regulations to end the discrimination against women.

One small example, which I find quite exciting, is in the world of women's sports. Women's sports have grown because of a law requiring that they be funded equally with boys sports. At first it looked like a dismal prospect and like the death of boys sports in most people's eyes.

But instead everyone got a pleasant surprise as they found that girls not only enjoyed sports but that many of them were excellent athletes. They also found that slowly but surely the spectators would come to watch girls games and now they believe eventually the women's sports events will pay for themselves.

This is just a small example out of the many that exist in the country. Many other examples can be found in the work world where women are making significant contributions in every phase of business and industry.

The legislators should remember that ending discrimination against women will help everybody. Women are becoming an important part of the system and have important things to offer. As the barriers that have prevented women to participate on a meaningful level in the past dissolve, the pressures that these barriers have put on men will also dissolve making the world a better place for everyone.

So don't disappoint me, you legislators out there that have yet to vote on the amendment. It is a vote for a better world.

And it will save me \$10.



Clockwise

by Bob Clock

"If you can't beat 'em, join 'em!" That seems to be the battle cry of Michigan Republicans who convened this weekend on Mackinac Island to chart a new course into the 1978 elections.

In the past, the Republican party has been largely associated with business interests and the well-to-do, so far as Joe Factoryworker is concerned.

The image has not been preserved entirely, but enough stuffed-shirts have embraced the Republican philosophy to make it plausible.

Of course, over the years the party has had a comfortable cushion of blue-collar support, folks who believe in a fair day's work for a fair day's pay. They also believe able-bodied men and women should work rather than receive welfare. They believe free enterprise and laissez-faire are important adjuncts of American democracy, regardless of their own rung on the economic ladder.

I suppose many of them hope one day to be numbered among the coupon clippers of America.

Others, undoubtedly, have been spurred to support the GOP through altruistic motives. Spare, lean, Spartan Republican policies have a powerful appeal to the rugged individuals among us. Such policies smack of pioneer days and hearty independence.

But the days of conservative Republicanism apparently are over. At their off-year pep rally, Michigan Republicans practically gave the boot to Ronald Reagan and his ilk, while at the same time opening the door to minorities, blue collar workers, the poor and women. It was a matter of survival.

Illinois Rep. John Anderson told his fellow Republicans that over the years "the GOP has witnessed the growth of a



Erma Bombeck

People in my age bracket (commonly listed as over 40 on surveys and job applications) grew up with the following timetable:

College: 18-22
Marriage: 22-Infantry
Babies: 23-35
Retirement from scouting, car pools, plastic seat covers, live-in plumber: 39
Retirement from PTA, ironing, high school reunions, and taking a number to use the bathroom: 51

Over the past 10 years, the timetable has undergone some alterations and frankly, I wonder how all of it is going to work out.

Surveys now show the norm to be: College: 22-34
Marriage: 36 to later than evening
Babies: Later... much later.
None of it necessarily in that order. There's nothing wrong with this timetable except the concern that bodily changes are not necessarily keeping pace.

The way it stands now, a woman says goodbye to her teenager drivers one day and hello to hot flashes the next. The other way around - even one day -

faction which seeks to impose its will on the party as a whole, a faction bent on driving out of the party anyone who does not ascribe to its philosophy."

"I'm speaking of those who call themselves Republicans, but whose real allegiance appears to be with organizations outside the party, whose apparent goal is to rob the party rather than revivify it, whose devotion to doctrine outstrips their dedication to party."

Farwell, Ronald Reagan.

Gov. Milliken put the new stance this way: "Any political party to win across the country has to be a so-called moderate party," he said. "That is not to say the Republicans should not have the whole range-conservative, moderate and liberal-but its strength comes from the middle."

And so it went throughout the convention, as speaker after speaker opened doors and windows to the winds of change.

My only question is what is going to become of the Old Guard Republicans? Will they form a new party? Will they conceal their conservatism under false colors? Will they make an attempt to outmaneuver their moderate brothers when it comes to hammering out party policy?

What the Mackinac Island Republicans have done, in effect, is organize a new party-slightly right of center but a giant step left of their conservative colleagues.

Perhaps in fairness to their colleagues, it is the new Republicans, not the Old Guard, who should assume a new name.

How about "Repuberats"?

Meet Charlevoix

...Jennifer Brindel

Jennifer Brindel is Director of Probation for the 90th District Court, which covers Charlevoix and Emmet Counties. This week the Courier talks with her about her job.

COURIER: What are your duties as Director of Probation?

BRINDEL: Supervision of probationers, pre-sentencing investigations, coordinating alternative sentencing programs, and making referrals to service agencies.

COURIER: Let's take these one by one. What about probationers?

BRINDEL: We supervise their activities. They report to us once a month or more often. If they have been referred to an agency, they bring us proof that they have been in contact with the agency for counseling. We make sure they keep up payments to the court if they owe money. We are generally concerned with their welfare and employment. We work closely with the Corrections

Employment Agency. We are concerned that they stay out of trouble with the law.

COURIER: And pre-sentencing investigations?

BRINDEL: We interview the defendant and the plaintiff and other parties involved. We take the defendant's social and medical history, employment history, and check his past criminal history. We attach the police report to all this information, review the facts, and make a recommendation to the judge for sentencing.

COURIER: What types of cases are sent to you for pre-sentencing investigation?

BRINDEL: The more serious crimes - substance abuse. If special circumstances are involved, if restitution is involved.

COURIER: What are alternative sentencing programs?

BRINDEL: The biggest one is the county work program, where the defendant is sentenced to work for a specified number of days in lieu of going

to jail. This saves the taxpayers money by eliminating the cost of jail lodging and provides a service to many non-profit organizations.

Examples would be jail maintenance, where he works under the supervision of the Sheriff; Grandview Medical Care Facility, where he works under the supervision of the Director; and this summer, the soft ball diamonds in Charlevoix.

COURIER: What do you mean by referrals?

BRINDEL: We refer people accused of alcohol-related crimes to the Counseling, Place of the District Health Department, to the Native American Recovery Center, and sometimes to the Chip Counseling Center. The same is true of those involved with drugs. Those accused of impaired driving, we refer to the structured classes at the counseling clinics, where they meet once a week for four weeks.

COURIER: What happens to people who violate

probation or fail to appear for counseling?

BRINDEL: They usually receive jail sentences.

COURIER: What ages do you deal with mostly?

BRINDEL: Mostly 17 to 25, then it seems there's a jump to an older group.

COURIER: How many of them are women?

BRINDEL: Perhaps one in 10, though that may be a little high. The greatest number of women are picked up for larceny.

COURIER: Over all, what are most of your defendants charged with?

BRINDEL: Crimes in which alcohol is involved - driving while under the influence of alcohol, being drunk and disorderly, assault and battery, malicious destruction of property, etc.

COURIER: For how long are people put on probation?

BRINDEL: Six months, one year, two years. We become well acquainted with, and sometimes fond of, our probationers. We put people

on probation, whom we feel need direct supervision. They are trying to prove to us that they are trying.

COURIER: How many people does your department handle in Charlevoix County in a year?

BRINDEL: Last year we had 196 people under our supervision.

COURIER: Who works with you?

BRINDEL: Debbie Dye works here in Charlevoix and Marcia Farley works in Emmet County.

COURIER: Do you have any new programs planned?

BRINDEL: Several. We are starting alcohol awareness classes for alcohol related offenses, personal insight classes for persons charged with larceny (shop lifting), and self awareness classes for violators of the Substance Control Act. Self awareness and insight deal with such

laught by the Counseling Place. It is a psychological approach to the problem. We are also making a slide presentation on delayed sentencing for driving while under the influence of alcohol. This will be shown to organizations.

COURIER: How long have you been Director of Probation?

BRINDEL: Since the first of the year.

COURIER: What did you do before that?

BRINDEL: I worked part time in the Char-Em Intermediate School District as a teacher in the alternative education program for pregnant teenagers, as a substitute teacher in the Charlevoix School District,

things as self-defeating behavior - anger, for instance, and stress values clarification. The classes are



Jennifer Brindel

and as a counselor at the Friendship Center in Petoskey.

COURIER: What is your training for this type of work?

BRINDEL: I have a bachelor of science degree in secondary education with a major in psychology from

Central Michigan University.

COURIER: Do you have a family?

BRINDEL: Yes, my husband, Gerry, is a school social worker in the Char-Em Intermediate District, and our son, Jason, is in the fourth grade.

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Charlevoix Yesterday

Hubert Humphrey expresses concerns about rural areas

Senator Hubert Humphrey of Minnesota recently expressed to the United States Congress what everyone in Northern Michigan knows.

Speaking before the Joint Subcommittee on Economic Growth and Stabilization, Humphrey said: "By almost any measure of economic, well-being -

housing, transportation, energy, jobs, incomes - rural Americans are worse off than their urban counterparts.

"Part of the problem is that rural areas do not receive an equitable share of Federal assistance. They do not have highly paid lobbyists, the well-known mayors, or the media

"Congress and the administration do not hear about rural problems, because rural areas are not as well organized.

John Offerdahl on West Arctic summer cruise

Coast Guard Substistence Specialist Third Class John W. Offerdahl, whose wife Sue is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Donaldson of 5 Thistle Downs, Charlevoix, Mich., is currently on an Arctic West summer cruise. He is serving as a crewmember aboard the Coast Guard cutter Burton Island, homeported in San Francisco.

He and his shipmates are participating in a variety of scientific and marine geophysical research projects, in addition to maintaining aids to navigation along the northern coast of Alaska. Port visits are scheduled in the Alaskan cities of Juneau, Nome and Point Barrow.

The Burton Island is a 260-foot icebreaker and carries a crew of 135 officers and enlisted men. Her crew is normally augmented with a detachment of scientists for oceanographic research projects. She also has a detachment of aviation personnel and is outfitted to carry two helicopters.



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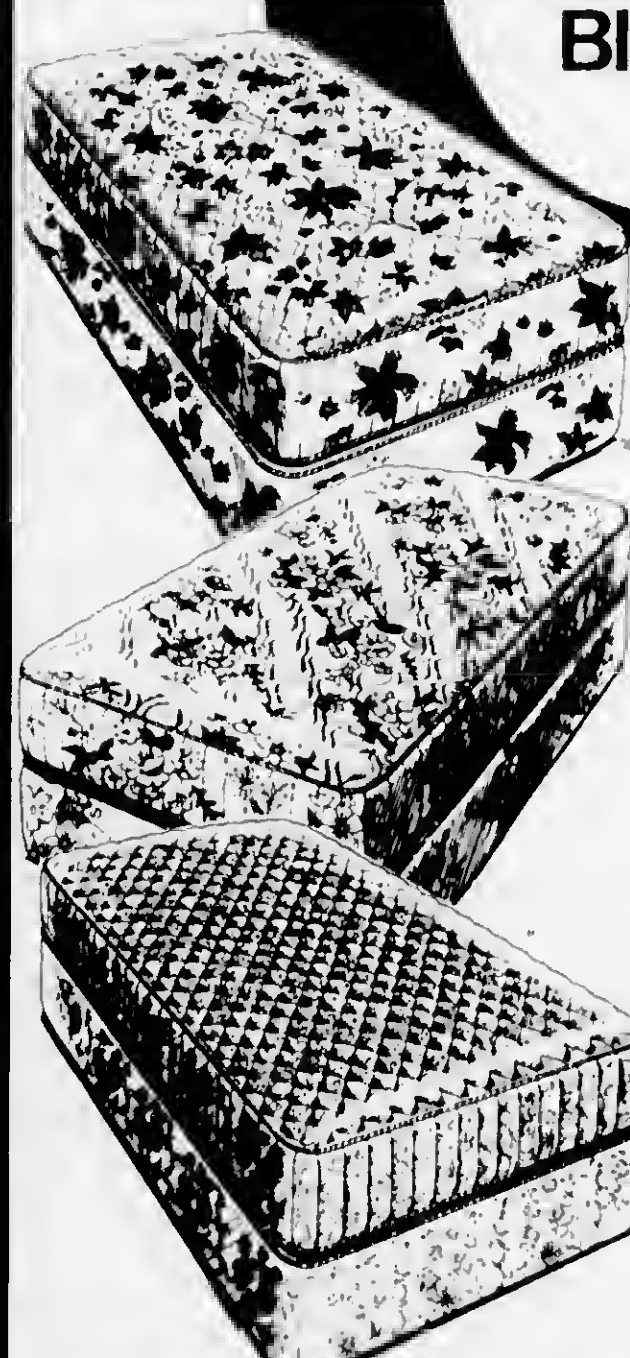
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PICKETERS REPRESENTING the MEA services staff picketed the Weatheravane Inn last week during a Northern Michigan Education Association meeting.

MEA picketers march at Weatheravane Inn

A group of six picketers from the Michigan Education Association (MEA) services staff union amass outside the Weatheravane Inn for about four hours last week.

The picketers came from as far away as Dimondale, a small community outside the state capital of Lansing, to make their protest known to teachers and professional staff members attending a Northern Michigan Education Association meeting at the restaurant.

The services staff members, who work for the MEA in secretarial and maintenance positions, have been on strike since Aug. 31, when their contract expired.

The union and MEA negotiators are currently deadlocked over contract negotiations, Marty Smith of Traverse City, explained.

This is the first time that the services staff has struck in the nine year history of union organization. The professional staff struck three years ago

and also this year for approximately two hours.

Ms. Smith said the basic disagreement between the services staff and the MEA negotiators is over seniority rights. She said the MEA has set up an affirmative action program and they are trying to get rid of the seniority system so that minority staff members can be promoted over employees with more seniority.

Chuck Barris, a picketer from Dimondale, said he was

concerned about what giving up his seniority would do to his salary and the salary schedules for all employees. Barris has worked for the MEA for nine years.

Ms. Smith said there were five other major issues that the two sides could not reach agreement on. She said that if the two sides could reach agreement on the seniority issue the other five issues would probably fall into place and a contract agreement would be reached.

Charlevoix school district joins protest against unemployment benefits

The Charlevoix School District has joined with other school districts from across Northern Michigan in opposing Senate Bill 714, which deals with extending unemployment benefits for non-certified school personnel.

Superintendent Gordon Van Wieren joined superintendents of public schools and intermediate school districts from 52 communities in Gaylord recently to sign petitions addressed to state representatives and senators advising them about the problems that would be created if S.B. 714 is passed.

S.B. 714 was introduced into the Senate to meet federal unemployment requirements. The federal law gives state governments the option of making noncertified school employees eligible for unemployment benefits between school terms and during Christmas and Easter breaks or denying them these benefits.

The federal unemployment requirements specifically exclude teachers and administrators from being eligible for unemployment benefits during

vacations and between school terms.

The state senate bill, as it is currently written, would provide unemployment benefits for noncertified personnel during vacations and in between terms.

Superintendent Van Wieren said that if the bill is passed as it currently stands, the Charlevoix School District will be required to pay up to \$114,188 in annual unemployment benefits to its present noncertified employees. It would take approximately 1.5 mills to cover the additional benefits.

The superintendents are also urging citizens to write to their legislators about the problems and asking them to support the amendments proposed to S.B. 714.

"We need to have input on this from citizens as well as schools," Vince Olach, Charlevoix school's business manager, stressed.

Sen. Bob Davis, D-Gaylord, who represents about 60 school districts, said that he is opposed to the bill and is working to amend it to deny unemployment benefits during school year breaks.

Swedish exchange student likes area



Maria Aronson

Ruppe rep to visit county on Sept. 21

Jerry Newhouse, lower peninsula district representative for Congressman Philip E. Ruppe, will hold office hours in Charlevoix September 21 from 12 noon to 1 p.m.

He will be in the County Building to discuss any matters regarding the Federal government that citizens wish to learn about. No prior appointment is necessary.

By LAURA GLASS

Katrineholm, pronounced like it looks, is the home of Maria Aronson, a Swedish Exchange student who is staying here in Charlevoix.

Maria, 18 and a senior, is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bean. This is the first time Maria has ever been to the United States and she said it was quite different from her home.

The school she goes to in Sweden is a lot different from Charlevoix High School, where she will be attending classes this year—for one thing it's much larger.

"There are about 800 students and 150 teachers," she explained.

And instead of going to public school for 12 years like Americans do, in Sweden, students go to school for nine years. Then the students have the option of either getting a job, which is difficult with such little training, or going on to what Swedes call Gymnasium—we call it college.

Gymnasium offers up to 15 different subjects and a student goes for two to four years, Maria said.

Maria has one year left to complete in Gymnasium, then she is going into business and banking.

At Charlevoix High School,

played in her first game last week against Elk Rapids and did well, Coach Toni Felter said.

Maria said she became interested in being an exchange student after she talked to a girl who had just returned from the United States. Maria said our country is very interesting and she likes it very much.

Maria is taking U.S. government, typing, gym, Spanish II, behavioral science and accounting.

Sports also differ in Sweden, Maria said. What Americans call soccer is Swedish football. They also play ice hockey and a similar game called Bandy.

Maria is interested in sports and is a member of the Charlevoix High School Girls Varsity Basketball Team. She

High School student joins Courier staff

Laura Glass, a Charlevoix High School senior, will be covering school activities for the 1977-78 school year.

The 17-year-old student said she has always been fascinated with media

operations and communications and she hopes to make a career out of the communications business.

Laura is assistant editor for the "Flash," the high school newspaper, and a member of the yearbook staff. She is also a student council representative and is active in forensics at the high school.

Following graduation she hopes to attend Central Michigan University and major in communications.

She is the daughter of Dale and Janis Glass.

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The Michigan State Housing Development Authority (MSHDA) is seeking the participation of owners of quality rental housing units for a new Rent Allowance Program.

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To participate, a landlord must execute a MSHDA approved lease with a participating tenant, and enter into a one year contract with MSHDA. Under the contract:

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EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY

Cindy Ager weds Edward Whitley

Cynthia Ager became the bride of Edward Whitley September 10 at St. Francis Church in Petoskey.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Ager of Charlevoix, and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. James Whitley, also of Charlevoix.

The double-ring afternoon ceremony was performed before some 300 guests. Professor August Haybrecht provided the organ music, and vocal numbers were sung by friends of the bride.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a long white empire style gown of polyester crepe fashioned with scalloped lace.

Sherry Withers served the bride as maid of honor, and the bridesmaids were Debbie Ager, Sue Cross, and Linda Foster. Their gowns were of peach nylon with scoop necks. Their bouquets were of peach, white and brown dried flowers.

Mrs. Ager wore a long navy blue gown for her daughter's wedding, and Mrs. Whitley wore a long turquoise gown. Following the wedding, a reception was given by the bride's parents at the Argonne Supper Club. The rehearsal dinner was hosted by the bridegroom's parents at Jullieret's of Petoskey.

Following a wedding trip through the west, the newlyweds will be at home in Charlevoix, where both are employed. The bride is a computer operator at a Fredman Artcraft, and her husband is an electrician for the City of Charlevoix.



Mr. and Mrs. Edward Whitley

Audubon group, Kiwanis club present movie

"West Side Story: Wildlife from Mexico to Alaska," a full-length movie sponsored by the Petoskey Regional Audubon Society and the Kiwanis Club of Little Traverse Bay, will be shown September 26 at 7 p.m. at the Petoskey Middle School.

The movie was filmed on an adventurous eight-month trip following the sun north from the Mexico tropics along the length of the west coast, showing much unusual wildlife on the way. It ends in the northern Pribilof Islands in Alaska, where fur seals are raising their pups.

This is the first in a series of four movies to be shown under

Heart association presents course on coronary care

The Michigan Heart Association will present an intensive two-week course on the theory, practice, and background of coronary care unit October 24 to November 4 at Little Traverse Hospital.

In-service educators or supervisors of operating or planned coronary care units, or nurses who plan a career in the specialized field of coronary care nursing are invited to attend.

The sessions will cover the philosophy of coronary care, anatomy and physiology, drugs, basic elements of electrocardiography, and the nurse's role in coronary care units. A fee of \$175 will include all books and printed materials.

The faculty presenting the course will be medical and nursing school faculty members and hospital coronary care unit directors and personnel.

Since the class is limited to 30 persons, early registration is advised. Further information may be obtained from Mrs. Eleanor D. Peterson, R.N., Michigan Heart Association, P.O. Box 115, 180 West 12 Mile Road, Southfield, phone (313) 557-9600.

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Ma Bell lowering pay phone height

Michigan Bell is now in the process of lowering the height of its pay telephones to make them more accessible to handicapped persons, children, and others who have difficulty using standard-height pay phones.

She noted there are about 60 pay phones in the Charlevoix area.

Michigan Bell is also phasing out enclosed telephone booths, which can be a hindrance to some handicapped people, by mounting more pay phones on walls or metal poles, Miss Johnson says.

At present, she added, the company has about 3,000 enclosed telephone booths in the state, mostly outdoor booths along the highways.

"Even though those state guidelines affected only a portion of our coin phones,"

Terry Left graduates from foods school

Terry Left, a 1975 graduate of the Charlevoix High School, was graduated recently from the Culinary Institute of America at Hyde Park, N.Y.

After completing the two year course, he plans to continue his education in the field of Hotel and Motel Management.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Left. Mrs. Left was in the East to attend his graduation ceremony.

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A GROUNDBREAKING for the new Charlevoix Assembly of God Church was held Sept. 18. Participating in the ceremony were: (from left to right) Ron Rieff, general contractor of Peninsula Construction; Dawson Way, building committee chairman; Rev. C. L. Strom, Valdez, Ala.; Pastor Don Schorsch; Jerry Drost, vice chairman of the church board; Mark Byard, representing the church youth; Marilyn Boss, Sunday School superintendent; and Steve Seabolt, youth pastor.

Assembly of God members hold groundbreaking

Preparation for the construction of the new Charlevoix Assembly of God Church got underway last week at the church's property on N-46.

Groundbreaking ceremonies for the new building were held Sept. 18 and excavation began last week.

The new building, which is expected to cost \$300,000, will feature a sanctuary with seating for 500 people, plus classrooms and offices. A multipurpose room will also be included in the church and will be able to double for a fellowship and social area as well as a gymnasium.

Daniel Blechel promoted

Coast Guard Yeoman First Class Daniel L. Blechel, who wife Kathleen is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Miles of 110 E. Upright St., Charlevoix, Mich., has been promoted to his present rank while serving at the Coast Guard Air Station, Cape Cod, Mass.

He joined the Coast Guard in August 1971.

Nursery school fun for parents

When 68 three, four and five year olds head for their first school experience at the Charlevoix Co-operative Nursery School next week, it will be a new experience for some other people, too—their parents.

As a part of the organization philosophy of the co-op nursery school, parents work right in the classroom along with the nursery school teacher.

The idea behind a co-op nursery school is to keep the cost of sending your child to nursery school down by having the parents assist the teacher in the classroom and with preparation work.

In addition to working in the classroom, parents may serve on a host of committees including a maintenance

committee, a preparation committee or a scrum committee, Mrs. Puhl said. "The nursery school program is only as good as the parents that get behind it," Mrs. Puhl said. "Parents do all the day-to-day things and the teachers co-ordinate what's going on."

The president said that most parents find the days they spend assisting in the classroom very rewarding. "It's kind of funny, but the day I worked at nursery school I just loved it," she said, recalling her first days in school last year. "The day you work in just a ball, but you are so tired by the end of it that you can hardly stand up—and the class is only two and one-half hours long."

Mrs. Puhl said state laws require that two parents must assist the teacher each day in order to have the proper adult-child ratio. The parents just generally assist the teacher, but they also have their own small groups and activities that they center on during the day.

"Children adore the fathers when they come in," she said. "They really like to have the dads come in and work. In fact, if you are working on the day that a father comes in, you can count on having an easy day because most of the work is just a ball, but you are so tired by the end of it that you can hardly stand up—and the class is only two and one-half hours long."

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Co-op nursery school opens doors Monday

The Charlevoix Co-operative Nursery School will open next week with Monday and Tuesday designated as orientation day for parents.

Children, accompanied by a parent, will attend the opening day of school on Wednesday or Thursday, Sept. 28 or 29.

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and participating in many community activities, Mrs. Roloff works with 12 senior citizens as an advisor. She has helped senior citizens with shopping and budgeting and even with moving. This last year she has

been active in fighting rent hikes at the Southside Apartments on May Street which caused many senior citizens to move from the apartment complex due to lack of funds.

Floyd Jones has volunteered his time to the social services department transporting youth to and from Charlevoix. And as he has taken youth from Charlevoix to other areas he has found ways to counsel the youth and help them with their problems, too.

Janet Walter worked as a social services volunteer doing anything she could while she completed her high school studies and held down a full time job.

Richard Tilden, director of the Charlevoix social services department, said that throughout the year the 67 volunteers in this county had helped 600 clients and put in

See Volunteers page 13

Band members taking orders for community calendars

It's fall and that means football, color tours and marching band calendars. Members of the Charlevoix High School Marching Band will have their annual Community Birthday Calendar Drive on Saturday. Band members will be marching

to door taking orders for the calendar which feature a color picture of the entire band and the birth dates and anniversary dates of Charlevoix area residents.

It's the biggest money raising project of the year for the band and the proceeds will be used to pay for the instruments used by band members and for the future purchase of uniforms, Joan Graves, chairman of the drive, explained.

If band members do not reach area residents or if people are not at home when

the band members come, people may order calendars by filling out the following coupon and mailing it to Joan Graves, 206 Petoskey Ave., Charlevoix 49720, by Sept. 27.

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Gospel businessmen to meet in Boyne City

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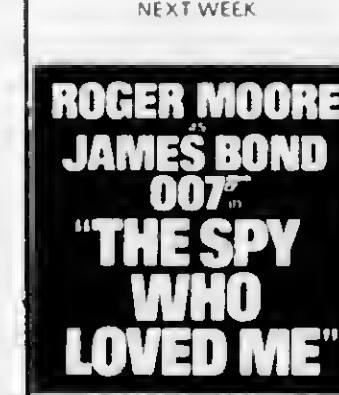
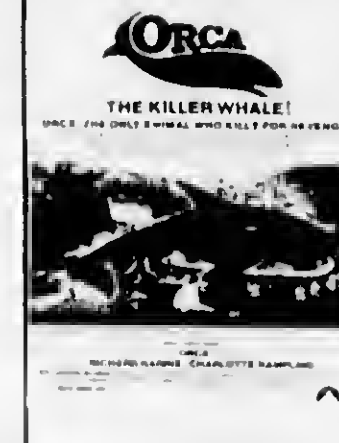
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BENZIE CENTRAL'S Mike Gray (82) reaches out for the pass but it appears that a Charlevoix Rayder defender isn't going to let him get far.

Rayders do it again, 35-6!



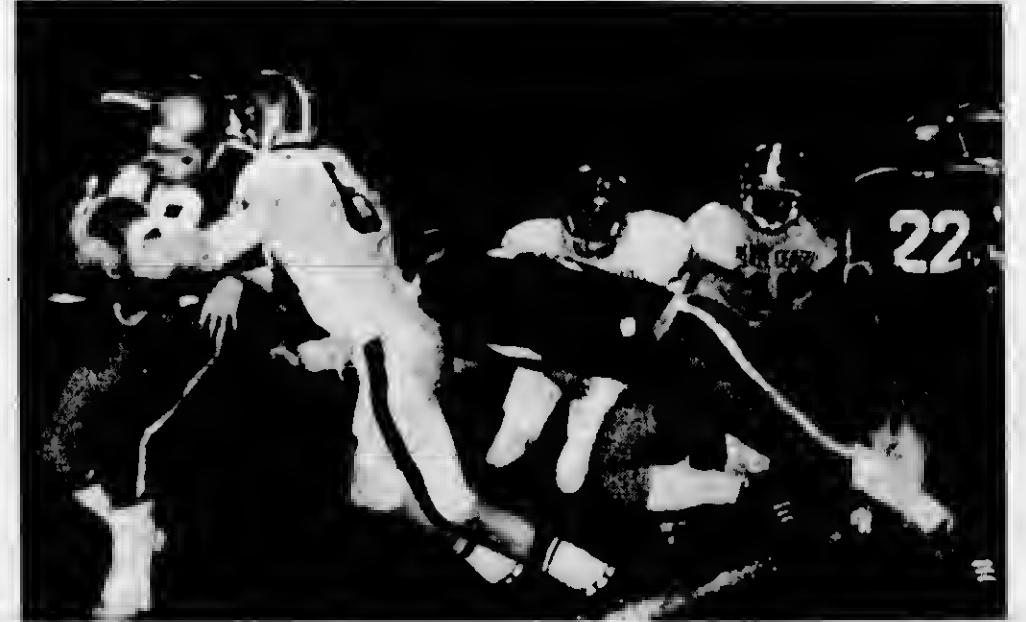
BENZIE'S TONY DUTT (22) just barely gets the pigskin in his grasp when a Charlevoix defender reaches out to grab him. The Rayders took their second game of the season 35-6.



IT WAS AN interception for the Rayders as this player picked the ball out of the air in front of waiting Randy Wright (16). Rayders won the game 35-6.



CHARLEVOIX'S Darrin VanLoo (62) gets five from his teammate Erik Lundteigen (49) following a fine play by Lundteigen.



BALL CARRIER Neil Dziedzie (88) doesn't get too far on this play as the Benzie linemen are right there to stop the interception.



BENZIE'S RANDY WRIGHT (16) runs dejectedly away as Charlevoix's Kevin Kratt runs into the end zone for his second touch down of the game.



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Strong defense takes Rayders to Victory

By BILL MERCER

Charlevoix swept to their second victory of the young season last Friday by defeating the Benzie-Benzie Central Huskies 35-6 on a rain soaked home field.

A strong defense anchored the victory.

A fumble recovery by Jim Alger at 10:30 in the first quarter opened the door for the initial Rayder tally. Strong defensive work by senior Joe Left caused the Huskies to misplay the pigskin.

Taking advantage of the miscue, quarterback Alger led the Charlevoix 11 to the Benzie three yard line, where he connected on a flare pass to Neil Dziedzie for a score. The point after attempt failed and barely five minutes into the game Charlevoix was on top, 6-0.

It didn't take long for the Rayder defense to once again show its superiority, as seniors Tom Jones and Kip Cinnamon twice caught Huskie runners in the backfield, forcing a punting situation.

Dziedzie then did his stuff, returning the punt to the visitor's 14-yard line.

Charlevoix penetrated to the Benzie three-yard line, when a home team fumble stopped the drive.

Again the defense came roaring in and with 2:06 remaining in the first quarter, Left caused the opposing quarterback to run out of the end zone. The 2 point safety made the score Charlevoix 8, Benzie 0.

Still in the first quarter, following the free kick to Charlevoix, Greg Krueger skirted the right side for 23 yards and the third Rayder tally. Guy Carter's kick conversion was good and with only seven seconds remaining it was Charlevoix ahead, 15-0.

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Later in the fourth quarter, Dziedzie picked off a Benzie pass, giving Charlevoix the ball. The Rayders got to within seven yards of paydirt; but coughed up the ball on a missed hand off.

Benzie moved to their own 21 and returned the ball to the Rayders with a fumble. Charlevoix capitalized this time, as senior Bob Tilen carried three times to the four and Kratt handed the final two dives for the score. The

through and downed the Huskie runner in the end zone for the second Charlevoix safety of the evening. Score: Charlevoix 23-Benzie Central 6.

Coach Don Carey's squad took the free kick and mounted another Rayder scoring drive. With the help of a Benzie penalty, the pigskin was carried to the four-yard line. From there Kratt busted out of the right side of the line for the touchdown. The defense tallied only four points this week, but they continually put the ball in good field position for the offense with timely fumble recoveries and pass interceptions.

Playing with a fervor reserved for victors, the defensive squad made the play extra exciting.

This week begins the Michigan-Huron Shores League play, as Charlevoix hosts Gaylord. The Blue Devils from the middle of the north appear to be top contenders for the league championship, so the game should provide a good look at how the home 11 will do against league competition.

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Girls basketball team off to slow season start

It was a slow beginning for the Charlevoix High School Girls Varsity Basketball Team during their first home game of the season last week. The Rayders dropped their opener to the Elk Rapids Elks 40-20 in a nonconference play.

Coach Toni Felter said her team was cold almost the entire first half of the game.

"They only put up three shots the entire first quarter," Coach Felter said.

The Rayders were scoreless in the first quarter and only had 8 points in the second quarter. The Elks, on the other hand, were hot from the beginning putting in 12 points the first quarter and 14 points the second for a total of 26 points in the first half.

"They really pressured us," the coach explained. "And their turnovers were almost always turned into fast breaks. When they stole the ball they capitalized on it."

"They had one player, Barb Lundy, who scored 14 points the first half and about 10 of those points were scored in layups."

Miss Lundy was the game high scorer with 16 points total.

For the second half of the game, the tide changed however, as the Rayders came out of the locker room fighting.

"They really started playing ball the second half," Mrs. Felter said. "We matched them point for point in the third quarter and we were only behind by two points in the fourth quarter."

The coach credited Kris Fiedler with sparking the team and really opening the game up. Miss Fiedler was the high scorer for the Rayders with 12 points, most of them coming in the second half.

"I was really proud of the team the second half," Coach Felter said. "They really hustled and began getting the rebounds and working for the steals."

"They were really fun to watch. If they hadn't been so far behind, I think they would have done real well."

"If this is the type of team I'm going to have all year, the way they played the second half, I'm really going to enjoy coaching them."

The Rayders play at Central Lake Sept. 20 and then have their first conference opener Oct. 6 at Grayling.

JV girls take game 49-20

The Charlevoix High School Girls Junior Varsity Basketball Team opened their season on a bright note taking the Elk Rapids Elks 49-20.

"The JVs looked super," Varsity Coach Toni Felter said. "They ran fast breaks and played aggressive ball."

"They also played good team ball."

Everyone was off the bench and had a hand in the victory, she said.

Teresa Nolrot was the top scorer with 18 points and she was followed by Melinda Klooster with 14 points and Melanie Kertridge with 11 points.

The Junior Rayders led the entire way scoring 10 points in the first quarter, 15 points the second quarter, 12 points the third quarter and 12 points the fourth quarter.

Elk Rapids players scored 4, 4, 10 and 2 points in respective quarters.

The Junior Rayders are coached by Henry Wagner.



JIM WILLIS, commander of the Leslie T. Shapton Post 226 of the American Legion and Harold Thorne, Charlevoix Township recreation director, hoist a new flag at the township softball field. The American Legion donated the flag to the township. The legion donates flags to the sheriff's department, public schools, and other groups in the area as part of its community service. The flag pole was donated to the township by Impact Tool and Haggards Plumbing and Heating.

Against East Jordan

JVs take second game

The Charlevoix High School Junior Varsity Football Team continued in its winning ways last week with a 12-0 victory over the East Jordan team.

It was a battle of the defenses during the first quarter, but Bobby Russell opened the game up during the second quarter with a 55-yard run off tackle to make the score 12-0.

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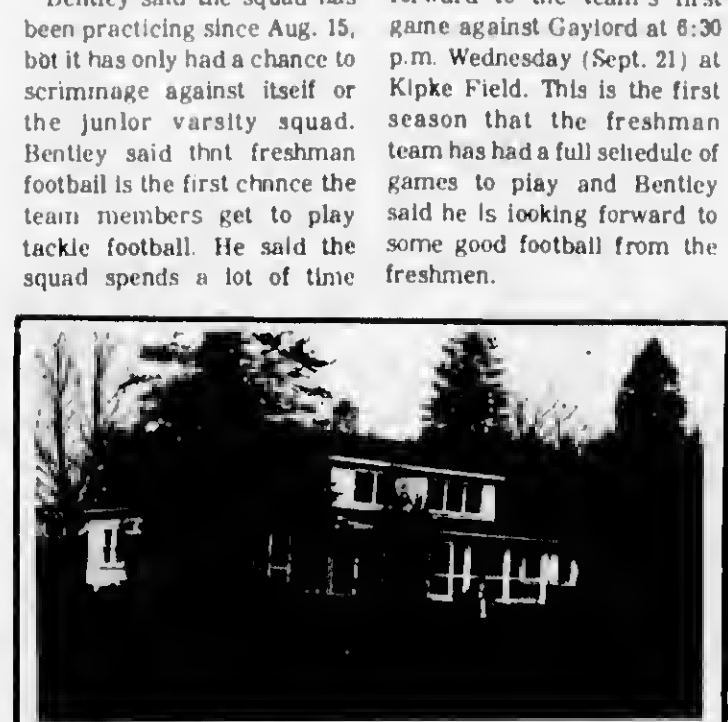
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learning about blocking and tackling and the basics of the game.

"We're not so concerned with winning and losing but with how the players are coming along," Bentley said. "And the squad did most things right during the scrimmage."

Bentley said in general overall play and spirit that Ben Shores, Pete Dunkelberg and Denny Morgridge impressed him the most during scrimmage play.

The coach said he is looking forward to the team's first game against Gaylord at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday (Sept. 21) at Kipke Field. This is the first season that the freshman team has had a full schedule of games to play and Bentley said he is looking forward to some good football from the freshmen.

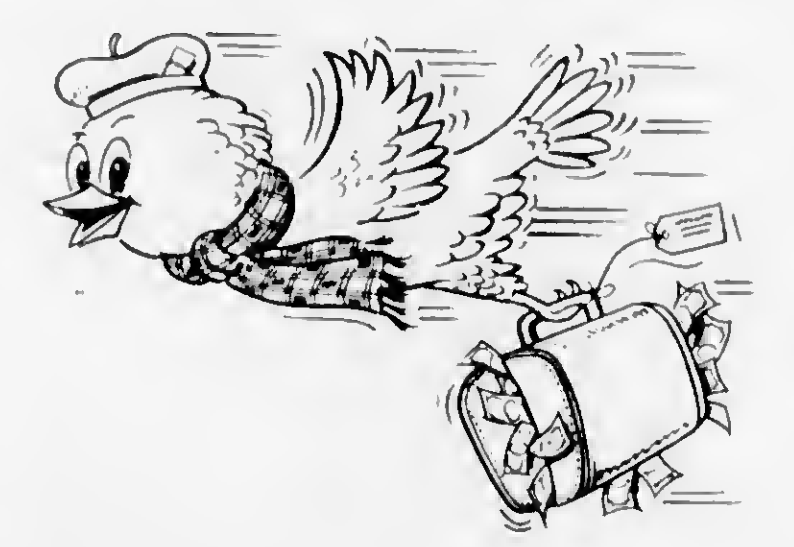


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Coaches' Comments

Small, but quick is how the Gaylor Blue Devils coach described his team.

Coach Dutcher said his 35-member squad was small, but he felt maybe that gave the team some advantage.

"We're small but that is our strength because it gives us a little more quickness," Dutcher said.

The coach said he had done a little comparing of the Blue Devils and Rayder lines in preparation for this Friday's contest and he found that the Rayders had quite a bit of weight on their side.

"Man for man, Charlevoix outweighs our line by about 35 pounds," Dutcher pointed out. "You've got got those big guys like (Kip) Cline and (Tony) Jones weighing in at 230. That's quite a bit more than our line."

The Blue Devils are coming off a 1-6 league record and 2-7 overall season this year under their new coach, however, their record so far this season indicates great improvement.

The Blue Devils are 2-0 with wins against Ogemaw Heights and Onaway. So far the Blue Devils have not been scored against this season.

He felt the team's weakness was that it wasn't a fast, running team.

"But we do play fine defense," he added.

So far this season the Trojans have a 2-1 season and they also captured the Central Lake Invitational Tourney crown.

Last year the team finished with a 15-7 record.

George Washegic, 35, who died Saturday at the Charlevoix Area Hospital where he had been a patient for three weeks, were held at Brookside Cemetery Tuesday morning.

The Rev. Robert Behan, O.P.M. of St. Francis Xavier Church in Petoskey officiated. The rosary was recited in the Winchester Funeral Home Monday evening.

Mr. Washegic was born at St. James, Beaver Island, Dec. 2, 1882. He was a commercial fisherman and had lived at various ports along Lake Michigan. In recent years he had lived in Charlevoix.

He was married to the former Sarah Peters, who preceded him in death in 1929. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. William (Mary) Moore, of Benzonia, two sons, Alex and David of Charlevoix, 30 grandchildren, 44 great-grandchildren, 13 great-great-grandchildren and a brother, James Washegic of Charlevoix.

Volunteers

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4,000 hours of volunteer time. The volunteers had also transported clients more than 22,000 miles.

In terms of dollars, at the minimum wage, volunteers donated \$45,500 in free services last year through their volunteered time and material contributions.

At a statewide level more than \$50 million has been donated by volunteers to the Department of Social Services.

John Dempsey, head of the State Department of Social Services, addressed the volunteers at the special luncheon and thanked them for their efforts.

"Volunteerism is more than 'do goodism'. It is an important part of the operation of the social services department," Dempsey said. "It is a means through which the state can better help the individual."

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix and Boyne City during the week ending September 16, by Judge David W. Farber.

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Obituary

Lillian Bartholomew
Funeral services for Mrs. Floyd Bartholomew, 96, who died Sept. 15 at Beverly Manor Convalescent Home in Petoskey where she had been a patient for 3 1/2 years, were held Saturday at the Winchester Funeral Home. The Rev. Austin Regier officiated. Interment was in Brookside cemetery.

Mrs. Bartholomew, the former Lillian Smith, was born in Hayes township May 18, 1881. On Dec. 5, 1900 she was married to Mr. Bartholomew. They made their home in Hayes township until Mr. Bartholomew died in 1928. Mrs. Bartholomew preceded her husband in death in September 1962. She was a member of the United Methodist Church and the Thoburn-Nagler circle.

She is survived by a son, Clair J. of Horton Bay; three grandsons and 14 great-grandchildren.

George Washegic
Graduate services for George Washegic, 35, who died Saturday at the Charlevoix Area Hospital where he had been a patient for three weeks, were held at Brookside Cemetery Tuesday morning.

The Rev. Robert Behan, O.P.M. of St. Francis Xavier Church in Petoskey officiated. The rosary was recited in the Winchester Funeral Home Monday evening.

Mr. Washegic was born at St. James, Beaver Island, Dec. 2, 1882. He was a commercial fisherman and had lived at various ports along Lake Michigan. In recent years he had lived in Charlevoix.

He was married to the former Sarah Peters, who preceded him in death in 1929. He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. William (Mary) Moore, of Benzonia, two sons, Alex and David of Charlevoix, 30 grandchildren, 44 great-grandchildren, 13 great-great-grandchildren and a brother, James Washegic of Charlevoix.

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Court News

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Steffes plans athletic club

Tennis and swim buffs take heart.

Once again plans are being considered for the construction of indoor tennis courts and a swimming pool in the Charlevoix area.

Ron Steffes, developer of the Dunes Condominiums on Michigan Avenue, is considering constructing an athletic club on property on M-66. The property, which Steffes owns, is currently being used as the site of a driving range and miniature golf course. He has operated it for two years.

Steffes, who has been coming to the area since 1949, said that over the years his thoughts have been that Charlevoix could use indoor tennis courts and an indoor swimming pool.

"Part of the reason people choose to live in and visit Charlevoix is because of the water and the outdoors," Steffes pointed out. "But because of the short summer season, they don't get a chance to enjoy it for too long."

"An athletic club would give people the opportunity to do the things they enjoy doing in Charlevoix all year long," Steffes said he is tentatively planning a facility that will include four indoor tennis courts, four indoor handball and racquet ball courts, an Olympic size swimming pool, locker rooms, a small dining room and meeting rooms.

Steffes said the property on M-66, which is a 81-acre parcel, would be an ideal location because it was easily accessible and had city water and electricity.

"I do think the idea of an athletic club will become a reality eventually," Steffes said. "But I don't know when I would like to begin construction next year."

"However, it is a rather extensive project and it may be two early in history for this type of thing."

Steffes said the whole project hinges on public response to the idea of the construction of an athletic club.

"If it is constructed or not depends on the popularity of the idea, the number of members we could attract and whether or not the meeting rooms would be used," he said.

The contractor said he may just build tennis and racquet ball courts without the swimming pool and other rooms. If he can't get the support he needs.

Steffes did approach the Charlevoix Board of Education recently about having the schools use the

athletic club for gym classes during the days.

"I felt something could be worked out where the school would use the swimming pool and courts for gym classes for a rental fee," the contractor explained.

He said this would also insure him of enough usage to keep the facility operating.

"I see it as an opportunity for the Charlevoix school system to provide facilities without having to pass millage to acquire them," he said. "If I had the cooperation of the schools, together we could provide a service and a facility for the community."

Superintendent Gordon Van

Wieren said this board could not commit future school boards to the use of the facility.



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City council may adopt new zoning ordinance

When Charlevoix Common Council meets next Monday night, the proposed new zoning ordinance is expected to again appear on the agenda.

The proposed ordinance has appeared on the council's agenda for at least two public hearings and numerous work sessions over the last two years, but next week it finally may be adopted as the new zoning law for the city.

One of the main reasons for the council's revived interest in the proposed ordinance is the section that sets up a planning commission for the city, according to Ivan Whitley, chairman of the Ecology, Development and Land Use Committee.

"We're getting more and more of these site plans to review and it's taking up too much time," Whitley said. "We can't get anything else done."

"If we had a planning commission, they could listen to the problems and work them out and all we would have to do is approve or disapprove the plan."

Under the proposed ordinance, the planning commission would work as an advisory body to the common council handling the site plan reviews and any rezoning requests. The planning commission would study the various proposals, do the leg work and then make recommendations to the common council. Council would then vote to accept or reject the commission's suggestions.

Council would still have the power as the zoning board of appeals and would hear all variance requests.

"I think most members of the council agree that we need a planning commission in this city," Alderman Jeannine Wallace said concurring with Whitley. "It's something I've been after for four years."

"The council can't always be out on the site checking out things and making sure the proposed development will fit into the area. We have too many other things we're supposed to be doing," Mrs. Wallace said explaining her stand.

"If you have a planning commission, that's all they have to do. That's all they have to think about and they have the time to really consider what ramifications a proposed development will have on the city."

The proposed ordinance is a refinement of many ordinances that have been discussed in the past several years. It combines suggestions made by the Regional Planning Commission,

which was composed of members from the city as well as Charlevoix Township; Bill Mercer, former county planner, and current common council members. The proposed ordinance, if adopted, would replace zoning law written in 1943 for the city.

The ordinance has several new sections including one on Planned Unit Development (PUD). The PUD zoning recognizes there are unique parcels of property within the city where mixtures of uses such as commercial, residential and recreational could be placed side by side in such a way so as not to be harmful to each other.

However, due to objections at public hearings most of the land classified as PUD has been removed from the zoning map.

The ordinance also establishes a single commercial zone and a special central business district.

"It tightens up a lot of loopholes we have in our current ordinance," Mrs. Wallace said.

"And it takes care of a lot of dead trap areas in the city that need attention as far as proper zoning is concerned," Alderman Joe Morris added.



Special Effects

THE SPECIAL UNITS add style and color to the band and they spark spirit and enthusiasm in the audience. To find out more about the Rayder Marching Band and its plans for the 1977 season turn to page 3.

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Tuesday, Sept. 20	
6:00 p.m. Dolphins vs. Lions	Senior League
7:15 p.m. Steelers vs. Chargers	Thursday, Sept. 22
Tuesday, Sept. 27	6:00 p.m. Raiders vs. Vikings
6:00 p.m. Chargers vs. Lions	8:30 p.m. Raiders vs. Buccaneers



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More on Sales Tax

The sales tax overcharge reported by a writer last week is not an isolated case. I have noted for many years that numerous merchants make an overcharge. Usually it is only a penny and most people are not aware of it. The sales tax on the first \$1.50 is more than 4 percent.

1 to 12 cents	0 cents
13 to 31 cents	1 cent
32 to 54 cents	2 cents
55 to 81 cents	3 cents
82 to 1.08 cents	4 cents
1.09 to 1.35	5 cents
1.36 to 1.62	6 cents

Over \$1.50 the tax is a straight 4 percent, a penny being added at each 13 cents over 25, 50, 75 and \$1. Some merchants read the tax from two different figures, from the dollar amounts and then go back to the cents sales for the balance of the tax amount. This is wrong. The tax is on one sales figure. Last week the writer stated the purchase was \$3.55. The tax is 14 cents.

When the tax law was originally passed there were many sales of 5 cents and 10 cents and this variance was put in to compensate the merchants. Now there are few items sold under 13 cents. I think the legislature should renovate this part of the sales tax act.

Road Mess

What was the bright idea behind the spending of all that good money to chop up U.S. 31 (in town and out) and fill it with bumps?

Assessors Can Help

The Courier pointed out this week that because we are in an area of high property assessment, our schools don't get any state aid. This is one reason why we are constantly being taxed more and more for school support. If our assessed valuation could be lowered to a reasonable level, our taxes would go down, and our schools would get state aid. It seems to me that the assessors could do a valuable unwinning of this vicious circle. Thank you.

Question Sign Placement

Sometimes I question the intelligence of Charlevoix officials. At the end of Mason Street they placed a brand new dead end sign. If anyone can't see that the lake is at the end of the street then they deserve the bath they get. I think the sign is a useless expense of money.

P.S.

WEATHER

Through September 23, there were 2.13 inches of rainfall, which fell on 18 of the 23 days of the month.

Rain puts damper on shopping center plans

Rainy weather for the last 18 out of 23 days has done more than put a damper on the spirits of Charlevoix residents. It's dampened the efforts of construction crews at the site of the proposed new shopping center, too. The watery down pour has turned the construction site for the new shopping center on M-66 into the largest mud puddle in the city.

"We're two to three weeks behind schedule because of the lousy weather," Rick Walker, of Weatherford / Walker Developments, developers of the shopping center, explained.

"The type of construction work we've had to complete is mostly underground and this type of weather really affects it."

Walker said the steel for the construction of the buildings was moved to the site via bulldozer Monday. The trucks hauling the steel to the construction site were ready to roll a week ago but were held up due to soft ground conditions at the site.

Walker said no new leases had been signed by businesses interested in becoming a part of the shopping center. However, representatives of Family Federal Savings, which now has offices on Bridge Street, did approach the Charlevoix Common Council Monday night at its committee of the whole meeting with a tentative site plan and a request for a building permit.

The bank is considering constructing a free standing buildings at the shopping center site.

Walker said he expected to meet with a druggist Tuesday to discuss leasing space at the shopping center and that leases had also been sent people considering opening a family restaurant and a children's clothing store.

In the past, the developers have also talked with people interested in opening a card shop, a sporting goods store, men's clothing store, women's clothing store and a music store in the shopping center. However, none of the deals were ever finalized.

Glens Markets and Ben Franklin were the first two businesses to sign leases with the developers.

Weatherford / Walker had originally planned to open the shopping center Nov. 15, but the developers are not sure how much the bad weather will delay the opening.



LOUSY WEATHER has put a damper on construction plans at Captain's Corners, the proposed new shopping center on M-66. However, steel trucks and bulldozers did move steel beams onto the site Monday so that construction of the building can begin.

Many Charlevoix residents self-employed

How strong an urge does the average Charlevoix County resident have to become self-employed, with a business of his own?

How many men and women, locally, have taken that step and are now their own bosses, for better or for worse?

According to the Labor Department, embarking on such a course can be risky, rewarding or disastrous, depending upon a number of factors. The mortality rate among new business is very high.

However, the hazards involved do not seem to faze would-be entrepreneurs. Each year an additional number of them take the plunge.

They put whatever savings they have and whatever money they can borrow in to making the big move. Some succeed, some don't.

Many of those who have set out on their own in the last few years had been out of work for a long time and had become tired of waiting for jobs to materialize.

In Charlevoix County, the latest figures indicate, the proportion of the working population that is self-employed has been on the rise since 1970.

Approximately 780 men and women in the area now derive their chief income from their own business, profession, farm or trade.

They are the storekeepers, the doctors, the farmers, the barbers, electricians, gas station operators and the like.

What this means, in terms of the total number of employed people in Charlevoix County, is that close to 11.6 percent of them are self-employed.

The proportion is somewhat greater, it is found, than in many parts of the country. In the United States a total of 8.8 percent are self-employed and, in the East North Central States, 7.6 percent.

Throughout the nation as a whole, in

line with the overall increase in the population, there has been a growth in recent years in the number of non-farm businesses. Off-setting this rise, however, has been the decline in the number of farm operators.

The Bureau of Labor Statistics reports that there are now more than 7.8 million people in the United States who are self-employed, compared with 8.8 million in 1970. It is an increase of 14 percent.

Clark station hit by armed robber

An apparent armed robbery occurred at the Clark Gas Station at 943 State St. in Charlevoix early Tuesday morning.

The robbery took place at approximately 4:40 a.m. when a male dressed in a red ski mask and armed with a handgun entered the station, according to Police Chief Jack Mol.

Eric Erickson, 19, was on duty at the station which is open 24 hours a day.

Erickson was not hurt during the robbery.

The thief, who was described as tall and slim, took between \$10 and \$50. His means of escape is not known.

Charlevoix City Police are continuing their investigation with the assistance of the Michigan State Police and the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department.

Community Calendar

Tuesday, Sept. 27
Girls' Basketball: Charlevoix at Rogers City 8:30 p.m.
Cross Country: Charlevoix at Boyne City 4 p.m.
Golf: Charlevoix at Elk Rapids 3:30 p.m.
St. Mary's Board of Education will meet at the school hall 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Rebekah Lodge will meet at the American Legion Post Home for its first meeting of the 1977-78 season.
Men's Prayer meeting: 7 a.m. Community Church of God.
Annual meeting of Charlevoix Area Hospital Association at the community room, First State Bank, 8 p.m.

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Charlevoix Board of Commissioners will meet at the county building annex 7:30 p.m.
Charlevoix County Humane Society will meet at the Top O' Michigan Electric Co-op building, Boyne City 7:30 p.m.
Registration for Senior Citizens Health Screening program will be held from 1 until 3 p.m. at the City Hall in Charlevoix; Northern Michigan Electric Co-operative in Boyne City; High School in Boyne Falls and Senior Center in East Jordan. Persons unable to come to registration sites may arrange for home registration.

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Potoskey Whirl-Aways Western Square Dance Group will meet at the Lincoln School, Potoskey, 8-10:30 p.m.
Members are asked to bring sandwiches for refreshments.
Annual Harvest Dinner at Greensky United Methodist Church 5 until 7 p.m. Church located off US 31 N at top of Greensky Hill. (See story).
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.

Char-Em Bee Keepers will meet at Boyne City High School 7:30 p.m. Guest speaker will be Dr. Roger Hopingamer, chief of the Entomology Department at Michigan State University, who will speak on "Fall and Winter Management of Bees and Queen Rearing". All interested persons are encouraged to attend.
Thursday, Sept. 28
JV Football: Charlevoix here 6:30 p.m.
Friday, Sept. 29
Football: Charlevoix

Moody, Oct. 3
Organizational meeting for women's, men's and mixed Volleyball Leagues at the Community Room, City Hall 7 p.m.
Golf: Boyne City here with Charlevoix at municipal golf course, 4 p.m.
Hayes township board will meet at township hall 8 p.m.
Guild of Lutheran Women will meet at the home of Mrs. Ronald Rybicki, Black Rd., 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Board of Education will meet at the high school study hall 7:30 p.m.
St. Mary's Rosary Altar Society will meet with Mrs. Parry Smith, 216 W. Huribut Ave., 8 p.m.
Kappa Sigma chapter of Beta Sigma Phi sorority rush party at Community Room, First State Bank, 8 p.m.
Xi Epsilon Gamma chapter will join with the Kappa Sigma chapter for the rush party at the Community Room, First State Bank, 8 p.m.
Tuesday, Oct. 4
Cross Country: Charlevoix

luncheon at the community's Friendship Hall 11:30 a.m. until 2 p.m.
Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational Church will meet at the church Fellowship Hall at 1:30 p.m. A missionary who has been in Africa will be the guest speaker.
Little Flower Guild will meet at St. Mary's school hall 8 p.m.
Round Lake Lodge No. 293, I.O.O.F., will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Soaring Club will meet at Airport hangar 8 p.m.
Coast Guard Wives Club will meet with Mrs. Marvin Kunkiewicz at 7:30 p.m. at La No. 9, Lake Terrace Mobile Court, US 31-North.
Fri. & Sat., Sept. 30-Oct. 1
Rummage Sale at First Congregational Church 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.

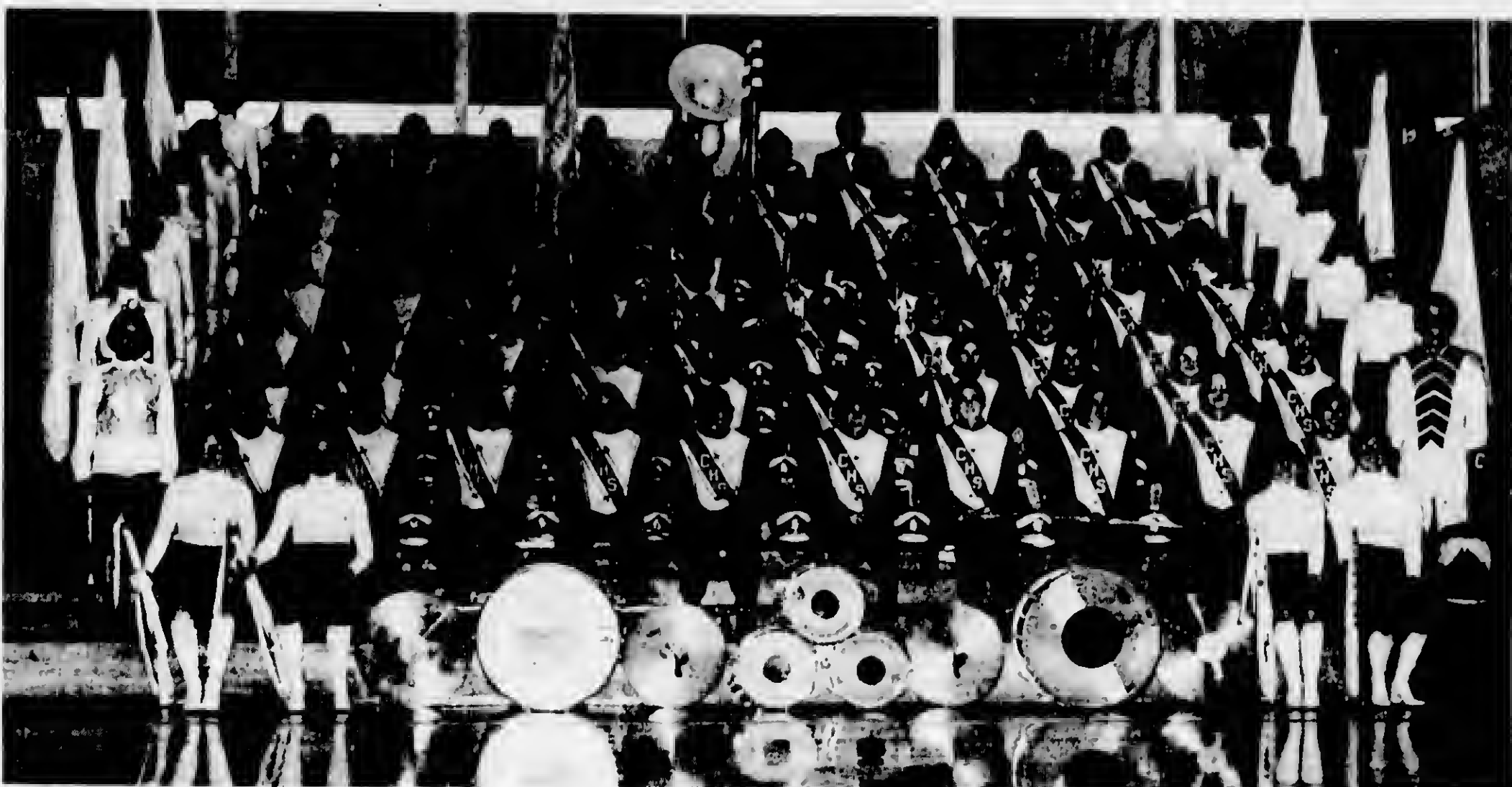
Rayder band marching into great season

They're proud, they're talented and when they march out on the football field on Friday nights, they're spirit personified.
 They're the Charlevoix High School Rayder Marching Band, a group of 98 dedicated kids who want to make half time and before and after the football game every bit as exciting as the game itself.
 And this is the band that can do it, according to Gary Stutzman, director of bands.
 "We've got an exceptional group of kids in the band this year," Stutzman said. "Musically they're super and as far as marching is concerned they're at mid-season form now."
 "When I assessed the band at the beginning of the year, you know, like a coach assesses his team, I was

depressed. I just didn't think we'd have much this year. But the kids have already far and away exceeded what I expected. I'm prejudiced I'm sure, but I feel I could put this band up against a lot of college bands and they would hold their own."
 Stutzman attributes the success of the marching band this year to the effort, the 80 musicians and 18 special corps members have put into the performances.
 "Everybody is working hard and giving 100 percent," the band director said. "They have come to 7 a.m. practices and just about everybody shows. They're really working hard."

For instance, during Friday's show the marching band used a drill during one of the songs from the drum and bugle corps style of marching. The band learned the corps style from its student teacher Dave Riley, who is from Central Michigan University.
 "The corps style has a very fluid motion," Stutzman explained. "More time is spent with the sound and a majestic flow of the music." In the past the band has followed a military style of marching which is precise marching with methodically counted out drills. Stutzman plans to incorporate the two styles of marching to make the Charlevoix band a show band.
 "A show band does a lot of dancing and the flag corps and other special corps do a lot of dancing," Stutzman explained. "Basically the band is there to entertain the people. And that's what I think the band should do."

To provide more color for the band this year, Stutzman has added a color guard consisting of four rifle bearers. The flag corps, Golden Girl and drum major are also back for this season.
 "The special units add more color, more movement and more excitement to the band," Stutzman explained. "They're out there for visual effects and they help the band provide something for everybody."
 The band director said he likes to keep an element of surprise in the show that the band gives and the special units can help provide that. It keeps the audience on their toes and gives them something they didn't expect, he explained.
 Stutzman said the band will not be performing the same show every week, but will repeat some numbers from week to week. One number that band supporters can look forward to is a show that will be done to the music from the science fiction movie, "Star Wars."
 He said the best way to enjoy the band's shows is to watch that part of the band the viewer likes best and take in a little of what the rest of the band is doing, too.
 Stutzman said the band is also working to create more unity within the student body as well as to be top performers.
 "The music department and the athletic department can work together to pull the school together," Stutzman said. "We can get the students to pull together and aiming in one direction."



1977 Charlevoix Rayder Marching Band



DAVE RILEY, student teacher, talks with a member of the flag corps at practice about the position she is supposed to hold during a half time show.



DURING LAST FRIDAY'S half time show, the Rayder Marching Band tried some drum and bugle corps style marching. The drill was written by student teacher Dave Riley.

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Parents enjoy attending classes

The Charlevoix Public Schools were filled with oversized students for three nights last week as parents attended the same classes their children are taking during the day.

The parents participated in mini-sessions where they learned about the content of each class, how the students will be graded and what type of homework assignments their children will be receiving during the year.

The parents followed the same class schedule as their children, only classes were abbreviated to fit the entire school day into one hour.



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Following the class visitation, parents were invited to talk informally with administrators over refreshments.

"I've heard nothing but positive things about the mini-sessions," Superintendent Gordon Van Wieren said. "We're pleased with the way the sessions turned out."

Roy Fortin, assistant principal at the high school, said the turn out of parents in his building wasn't as large as the staff would have liked, but the evening went very well. "Parents were enthusiastic about the program and they appreciated having it early in the year so that they could learn about the classes now," Fortin said.

Approximately 175 parents visited the middle school during the mini-sessions, Vice-Chair, middle school principal, said.

"I heard a lot of good comments about the sessions and we got a lot of good suggestions from parents," Chew said.

Superintendent Van Wieren said the staff and administrators would be evaluating the mini-session program before they determined if it would be held again. VanWieren invited parents who attended the sessions to call him with any suggestions or comments they had about the program.



ROXIE LODGING, Charlevoix Middle School art teacher, discusses her class with Joan Smith, the mother of a middle school student. Parents were invited to attend mini-sessions at all three schools last week.

Middle school windows replaced and recycled

Workmen began installing new window panels at Charlevoix Middle School last week.

The new windows are part of an overall maintenance and renovation program funded at the school through a special mill approved by voters last spring for five years.

Elementary school plans Grandparents Day Oct. 7

The Charlevoix Elementary School will hold its fourth annual Grandparents Day Oct. 7.

Grandparents are invited to visit the K-5 school located on Division Street between 9:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. and to attend classes with their grandchildren.

The visitors are also invited

out to school district residents. If there are any windows left over they will be divided between interested people.

Van Wieren said no windows would be handed out for resale purposes. Interested people should contact the superintendent's office at 547-6573.

to have lunch with the students in the school cafeteria. The lunch menu will consist of spaghetti, rolls, buttered corn and chilled pears. Lunch will cost 60 cents for visiting grandparents.

Students to have Oct. 5 off for area wide inservice day

Charlevoix School District students will have a day off from school Oct. 5.

All teachers from the school district will be participating in an area wide inservice training program with teachers from throughout the

Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District on that day.

The inservice program is a general one based on recommendations from the teachers in the intermediate district. The keynote speaker will be Cliff Telling of Minnesota who will discuss humanizing education.

Mini-session topics that teachers will discuss range from career education and education for the gifted to Title IX and sex discrimination to math, art and music.

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Marching band festival set Saturday in Harbor

Oct. 1 will be a special day for area marching band lovers.
 The third annual Northern Michigan Marching Band Festival will be held that day at the Harbor Springs Ottawa Stadium.

The Charlevoix High School Marching band will be participating in the festival along with 12 other marching bands from throughout the area.

Starting at 8:30 a.m. the bands will perform a show for three clinicians. Their performance will be taped and the clinicians will give band members and their directors some tips on how they can improve their performances.

Historical society plans informal meet

The next meeting of the Charlevoix Historical Society will feature an informal program with members and friends recalling events of childhood.

The meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, October 4, at 8 p.m. in the Community Room of the First State Bank of

Charlevoix. Remembrances may relate to the Charlevoix scene or elsewhere. "Many present residents of the Charlevoix area were born in other parts of Michigan or outstate," comments Ed. Reuter, Society president. "As in the early years of settlement,

high schools and the kids learn a lot, too."

Clinicians participating in the festival this year are Ken Smeek from Bridgeport High School, who will work with the bands in general; Tom Bennett from Central Michigan University, who will work with the percussion sections; and Pam Worlth from Ohio, who will work with the color guards.

Bands participating in the festival besides Charlevoix are: Harbor Springs, Potoskey, Elk Rapids, Manistowish, Kalkaska, Forrest Area, Boyne City, Glenn Lake, Benzie Central, Frankfort, Grayling and East Jordan.

Three paintings of early Charlevoix scenes by Captain Ray Knight will be exhibited at the meeting. They were acquired for display in the proposed historical museum.

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Editorials/Opinions

Congratulations Medusa on open approach to plans for area

Medusa Corporation should be congratulated on its proposed new expansion program at the Charlevoix plant. The company has certainly gone to great lengths to improve things for the community as well as for itself. In its announced plans, the company stressed that the expansion and conversion from wet process to dry process will help it double its production and improve the quality of the cement coming from the plant—all with less energy use and at less expense. This puts the company in a more competitive position in the cement industry, which after all is good business.

And let's face it, Medusa is in the cement business to make money. Any expansion or change that can help the company do that is a good move for it to make. But, in addition to improving its position in the cement market, the company is trying to improve its position in Charlevoix. A cement plant will never make a good neighbor. The nature of the business—quarrying, dust, odor—just doesn't allow it.

The company has pledged to cut down on the dust, the odor and the noise. Various officials in the county seem satisfied that the corporation will keep its pledge. Township officials have been working with Medusa on the expansion and conversion plans as have other officials in the county.

Medusa officials have also met with a group of private citizens called the Charlevoix Citizens Committee to explain the company's plans and to listen to the citizens' concerns.

and comments about the expansion. As Scott Rogers, president of Medusa Corporation, said: "We have plants in 61 communities across the country and they are all the size of Charlevoix or smaller. When you have that you get to know how to live decently."

"We hope to bring all of that expertise to bear on any problems that you might experience here."

So far, Medusa has done a good job of trying to get along in the community. If the company continues to be as cooperative and open to suggestions and criticisms as it has in the past, Charlevoix and the cement plant will remain good neighbors.

But citizens should not hesitate to take Rogers up on his pledge. If they feel the company is not living up to its end of the bargain they shouldn't hesitate to complain. But they should also take time to listen to the reasons for the problems and what the company is trying to do about them.

Other industries in the area would do well to model themselves after Medusa. The time to be concerned about the environment is now and the time to start becoming good neighbors is now, too.

Charlevoix cannot survive without its industries, but it cannot survive without its super environment, either. Both the residents and the industries can work together toward that goal.

Medusa has taken a step in that direction and should be applauded for its concern.

Letters to the editor

Shrine group looking for children to help

Dear Editor,
First, let me state that I represent the Northwest Shrine Club and that our membership is drawn from Emmet, Charlevoix, Antrim and Kalkaska Counties.

Next, this same letter is being sent to editors in each of these counties because the response and the needs are the same in all. Please do not regard this as just another form letter.

For several years our Shrine Club has promoted a Fall Concert, involving the talent of the Million Dollar Shrine Band from Saladin Temple, Grand Rapids. Our success has been gratifying and we are proud of the people of our communities for the support and cooperation they give.

Now, to the main purpose of this

letter—would your readers help our Shrine find a lost child anywhere in their county area? The lost child is under fifteen years of age, may be crippled, disfigured, scarred or burned; and may possibly need orthodontic care. Would any of your readers take a moment to tell any Shrine about such a child? Everything possible will then be done to bring comfort and relief to the child who truly needs and can benefit from our help.

If I have failed to complain or be critical of anything I am not one bit sorry. I do want to thank you and your readers.

Sincerely,
Keith R. Annear, P. Pres.
Northwest Shrine Club

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"Look, it really is an oil line—I was just kiddin' when I said it was a pipeline to Eastern water!"



Clockwise

by Bob Clock

Perhaps it was a mistake to go to Canada this summer. I had grown so accustomed to the taste and texture of factory-baked bread laced with preservatives that I was fairly content with my lot in life.

It didn't matter that the chemical arena would fairly knock me over when I opened a loaf of bread fresh from the grocery store. That is the way bread is supposed to smell, isn't it? Like a drug store?

And it didn't matter that the texture was so soft that it rejected kindly applications of peanut butter or braunschweiger. Apply any pressure at all and the bread flattened out like a pot-holder. But isn't bread supposed to be soft and spongy, with a whipped texture? I think that's what the ads say.

Then came our week-long vacation in Canada in mid-August—seven solid days of golden, down-home loaves that convinced me Americans are being short-changed in the bread department.

Now mind you, I'm not talking about the end-products of small, neighborhood bakeries which are uniformly fine if expensive on both sides of the border. I am referring instead to the stock-in-trade of large commercial bakeries which supply giant supermarkets with thousands of loaves of bread a day. Loaves which, in Canada, are every bit as good as the home-baked variety and in some instances better.

The major difference I noticed is that Canadian bread comes in paper bags upon one end, rather than in plastic wrap, sealed tight. Of course, you have to slice it depending on how hungry you're going to use it. Fat slices for hungry kids' lunches; thin slices for breakfast toast; medium slices for sandwiches.

Unfortunately, the bread we brought home with us from the Canadian Soo was soon gone and I looked forward to a dismal winter of factory-baked bread redolent with the aroma of calcium

propionate, which, the label tells us, is added to "retard spoilage."

Then suddenly, about three weeks ago I decided to boycott calcium propionate, which I can hardly pronounce and certainly don't want to eat.

I got out the cookbook, assembled my tools and ingredients and set to work. I would become a baker in my spare time.

Since then I have turned out a half-dozen batches of bread each one better than the one before. I have been largely self-taught, although Judy has been able to offer me a little advice on the fine points of the business, like turning the loaves upside down and thumping the bottom for a "hollow" sound to see if they are done.

My first bread took most of one Saturday morning to complete. But now I have the process fairly fine-tuned to about three hours. Of course, you have plenty of time on your hands while the dough is variously "resting" or "rising."

I also have found that our trusted cookbook can't be trusted in the bread department. For example, two hours is recommended for the first rising. If my dough rose two hours it would force us all into the attic.

I also have found that spare evenings are a better time to bake bread than weekends, since I'd only fritter away the time anyway. Furthermore, there is less confusion around the house on weekdays and it's easier to time the various phases of bread-making more precisely. Besides, when the dough is rising, you get a chance to sit down and read with a clear conscience. After all, aren't you busy baking bread?

Incidentally, Egyptians baked bread 20 centuries before Christ, and the earliest Europeans, the Lake Dwellers, practiced the art in Switzerland before that. It's no big deal; but it sure tastes good.

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If it Fitz

by Jim Fitzgerald

Remember that judge who said the United States is being destroyed by selfish citizens who would rather go to the bathroom than build a courthouse? He really started something.

It was 2 months ago that I wrote about District Judge John Spies of Lapeer County. He was outraged by the results of a local newspaper poll which showed that, by a 3-to-1 margin, taxpayers wanted a public rest room downtown more than they wanted a new courthouse. The judge made his outrage public in a letter to the editor which said many incredible things, including this:

"...Human beings are, for the most part, incapable of seeing beyond their own little egotistic world. They cannot take the broad view, looking to the best interests of their community and the nation. They sit on the throne of their water closets and see only the contents of the bathroom, with no conception of things beyond these 4 walls. And it is this shortcoming of human nature which will ultimately lead to the destruction of our democracy."

There is no intention here to mount a prolonged crusade against Judge Spies. I have known him for many

years and he is a nice man. He used to sing in the church choir with my wife.

He is devoutly sincere when he warns that this nation will crumble under the weight of too many johns and too few courthouses. And he is correct when he says Lapeer County's ancient courthouse is woefully inadequate, and a new one is needed.

I wouldn't be taking a second run at the controversy except for the strong reader reaction to my first column on the subject. It isn't only Lapeer County shoppers who are unhappy because they have no place to go. The Detroit area is full of people who are angry at merchants who offer their customers no relief.

According to my mail, supermarkets and banks are the worst sinners. There isn't the space here to relate all the horror stories, and I'm not sure you would want to read them anyway.

Suffice it to say that apparently the only way to get a store manager to show a little compassion is to threaten to instruct your child to make a mess on his floor.

On the positive side, it can be noted that many elderly people and mothers with children speak warmly of downtown Hudson's for providing large,

clean rest rooms. A Grosse Pointe Park woman wrote it this way:

"I am an elderly senior citizen and no longer drive, but the SEMTA bus stops just 3 doors from my home, and I'd go downtown often if I didn't have to worry about you know what. After I shop Hudson's I'd like to explore downtown—I'm not afraid; I like downtown Detroit—but I can't go any distance from Hudson's for fear I can't make it back in time."

It was my suggestion to Judge Spies that, in a democracy, the people are supposed to decide what is most important to the people.

He shouldn't be surprised—let alone outraged—at the result of that newspaper poll. Taxpayers without a public john will always vote to build the john instead of an office for a judge who already has an office.

The trouble is that taxpayers usually don't decide these things. No election is held, and government officials scoff at public opinion polls. The officials know what's good for the public, even if the public is too dumb to know for itself.

The government big shots say public rest rooms are impractical because people are pigs, and vandals are rampant. Bureaucrats always have a

problem for every solution. They don't want to hear how those problems have been solved in other towns.

It is always a matter of priorities, and the boys at City Hall want to establish their own. A top priority is getting the names of city councilmen engraved on the cornerstone of a \$6 million courthouse. A low priority is getting those named pointed on the side of a \$30,000 public toilet.

So it is no surprise that Lapeer County commissioners recently agreed to construct a court building. It will cost \$2.5 million. As of this writing, no one is planning to build a public toilet. Do not cross your legs until it happens.

County commissioners recently allotted space in the planned building. They balked at plans for Judge Spies and the other district judge.

The commissioners think the 2 judges could share one john. But the blueprints give each judge his own private bathroom. Spies said two is the architect's idea, not his. Darn architect.

When it comes to judging selfishness in the water closet, a lot depends on who has to go.

Paula Holmes...

...Speaking Her Mind

The number of movies and television programs about the journalism profession that has cropped up since the Watergate scandal never ceases to amaze me.

Last week I saw the tail end of yet another television show about life on a big city newspaper. That brings the count, I believe, to at least one movie and three television shows that have reporters or editors or photographers or all three as the main characters.

I can't even begin to count the number of shows where reporters, editors, television newspaper, etc., etc., are important supporting characters. We're just in vogue I guess.

I've been pretty impressed with the accuracy of the portrayal of the reporters and editors. In the movie, "All the President's Men," those two wonder reporters Woodward and Bernstein, who broke open the Watergate case were shown up at all hours and working hard to get the facts so they could write stories that were as accurate as they could possibly be.

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The Lou Grant Show accurately describes the crusty old city editor in his quest for truth and superbly written stories. He is firm in his convictions and doesn't take any guff from young upstart reporters.

In my limited experience, I would say that these shows are really giving the public a good look at what newspaper people are like and at what the journalism profession is all about. But these shows are still a little sugar coated. They don't

really let the people see the frustrating little things that journalists have to deal with during their day-to-day operations.

I would like to dispel a few myths. For one thing, in the movies and television shows, they never deal with the problems reporters have with their typewriters. They never show a typewriter breaking down 45 minutes before deadline, but believe me I've seen it happen.

And they never show reporters changing the ribbons on their typewriters. I have seen grown reporters cry when they have to change the ribbon on their typewriter. Have you ever seen a reporter up to his or her elbows in typewriter ribbon on television? No, but that doesn't mean it doesn't happen.

Or how about the reporter who is sipping a friendly cup of coffee during an interview when he suddenly discovers that the fly he had been swatting in the air is now floating in his cup. An hour television show could be spent on just telling the reporter out of that sticky situation.

And of course a TV or movie reporter's only pen never runs out of ink and the pencil lead never breaks right in the middle of the most important quote that was ever uttered, but it happens. Why I've heard of reporters resorting to writing in blood when they are faced with that situation.

So take that Lou Grant.



Erma Bombeck

About ten years ago, a couple of boys were looking for a "snap course." They infiltrated a home ec. class.

It became so popular throughout the country special classes were formed and named "Bachelor Survival." In the past three years, the male enrollment has not only doubled, but in some high schools the males outnumber the females at the stoves.

What impact has this new breed had on our life styles?

I'll tell you what impact it's had. This country is producing (at an astronomical rate) what women who live in the kitchen refer to as "Domestic Jocks."

They're the Super Stars of the souffles... the dazzlers of the micro waves... the weekend headlines at the outdoor grills.

But they're stars. They don't do pans, spots, stains or ovens. They don't touch charcoal, dripping beaters, dirty blenders or skillets that have to be soaked. When they cook, it's first class all the way—fresh garlic, fresh lemons, fresh parsley and fresh mushrooms.

My husband never cooks out that I don't feel like I am assisting a surgeon at a double valve by-pass.

"Tongs! Quick! The tongs!" he commands. (I slap them professionally in his hands.)

"Good Lord, woman. I'm not

plucking a baby bottle out of the water. I need tongs for steaks."

Next, "The pepper mill. Wipe. I press a dishcloth to his forehead. "Not the perspiration, you turkey—the sauce from my cute apron."

After hours of intense concentration, the Domestic Jock speaks. "Are the plates and forks for the salad chilled? Good. The potatoes done? The vegetables cooked just to the peak of flavor? Good. You sprayed for bugs? Fine. Because we are ready to eat....NOW!"

No warning. No time to socialize. No second drink. Just like that. When he says the steaks are done, we are expected to have our forks poised for the first bite.

The other night he wandered into the kitchen, peeled off his asbestos mittens and threw them into the clothes hamper. "Well, I pulled another one through," he said. I looked at the kitchen sink, piled high with dirty pots, pans and dishes, the countertop with melted butter, dirty utensils, leftover rolls and wilted salad. The grill was corroded with barbecue sauce.

"Next weekend I think I'll do my kabob number of the grill," I gave him a fetal oval.

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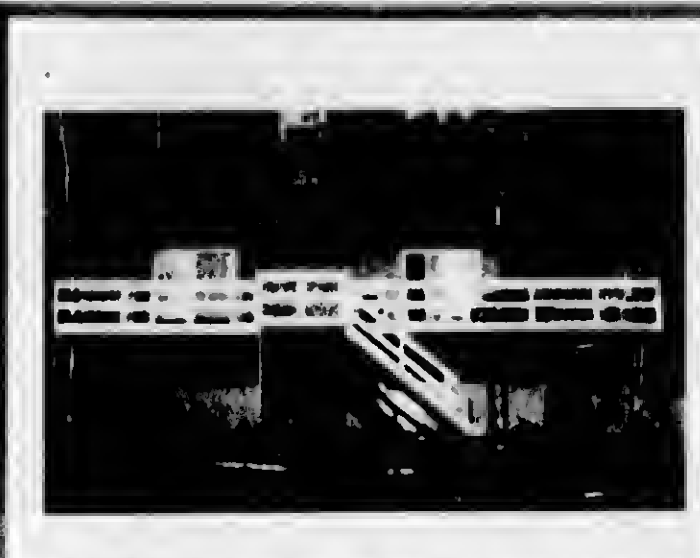
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Meet Charlevoix

...Jean and Stan Fiodorek

Jean and Stan Fiodorek are owners and operators of the Paul Buayan Lanes, the only bowling facility in Charlevoix. This week the Courier reporter learns something about bowling from them.

COURIER: How long have you been operating the lanes?

FIODOREK: Seventeen years. We moved up here from Kalamazoo and built them.

COURIER: Are you both bowlers?

FIODOREK: Stan bowls in two men's leagues and one mixed league. Jean bowls in mixed, but that's all, because of her arthritis.

COURIER: How did you happen to open a bowling alley?

FIODOREK: Stan was tired of his job in Kalamazoo and

wanted to do something he liked. It was either a bowling alley or a golf course, and we couldn't afford a golf course.

COURIER: What kind of work did you do that you wanted to get away from?

FIODOREK: Worked in a machine shop and a paper mill, and spent some time in the service.

COURIER: How does a person learn to bowl?

FIODOREK: We give lessons and we also have a kid's league. Many of our adult bowlers have come up through the kid's league.

COURIER: When is the best time for kids to start bowling?

FIODOREK: About the sixth grade, when they are big enough to handle the ball.

COURIER: How much do bowling balls weigh?

FIODOREK: The lightest is eight pounds and the heaviest 16 pounds. It used to be that the lightest ball was 12 pounds. Some are made of plastic and others of hard rubber. The manufacture is regulated by the American Bowling Congress. They regulate about everything having to do with bowling. They check our lanes every year. The pins are made under strict specifications, too.

COURIER: Do your pin setters work out?

FIODOREK: We've gone through one set of pin setters. The set we have now we bought in Japan. Bowling has not been successful in Japan because they did not organize leagues, just had open bowling. Many of the lanes closed up, so we were able to use equipment that we would not otherwise have been able to afford.

COURIER: What are your hours for bowling?

FIODOREK: Our winter hours, which will go into effect soon, are: Open bowling, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. In the afternoon and after 9 on Friday evening; 1 p.m. to 12 on Saturday; and 1 p.m. to 6 p.m. on Sunday. League bowling is every day from 6:45 to 11 p.m.

COURIER: How many leagues do you have?

FIODOREK: Four each of men's, women's, and mixed, and two kids' leagues.

COURIER: How many teams in a league?

FIODOREK: Some leagues have eight teams and some 16. There are four or five persons on a team. We have about 500 bowlers a week, including those who bowl more than once.

COURIER: What is the best way for a person to get into a league?

FIODOREK: Contact the league secretary, or leave their name at the alley. We just furnish the facilities. Leagues are organized and run by league officers.

COURIER: Do you take reservations for open bowling?

FIODOREK: No, it's all on a first come, first serve basis.



Stan Fiodorek

COURIER: How are team sponsors found?

FIODOREK: Each team finds its own, and has its own sponsor fee, usually about \$20. Sponsors can also buy shirts for the team if they want to. Some do and some don't. The sponsor fee goes into the league prize fund. Prizes are cash and trophies, but they're getting away from trophies a little now because so many bowlers have them.

COURIER: Do you have a bar in connection with the lanes?

FIODOREK: No, we just sell pop, candy, cigarettes, things like that. We also sell balls, shirts, and shoes, mostly through the catalog.

COURIER: Do you have baby-sitting facilities?

FIODOREK: No, and most leagues have rules against children being in the alley during their games.

COURIER: Can people bowl until they're well up in years?

FIODOREK: Some have bowled until they're 100. We have a man here now who is well up in his 70's, and we had a woman who bowled until she was 73.

COURIER: What's so good about bowling?

FIODOREK: It's good exercise, social, a way to meet new people, competitive, and a way to take out frustrations.

COURIER: Has bowling changed much since you started?

FIODOREK: It's harder to score now because of better lanes and pins.

COURIER: Do you have any hobbies other than bowling?

FIODOREK: We enjoy golf and fishing. We've belonged to a league at the Charlevoix Golf Course for about 16 years.

COURIER: Do you have a family?

FIODOREK: We have two sons and two daughters. Paul works for Consumers Power and lives in Charlevoix. Lynn is a registered nurse, and lives in Sacramento, California. Kay teaches math in the Charlevoix Middle School. John is in the 10th grade.

Ambulance attendants begin EMT course

Volunteer ambulance attendants from Charlevoix, Torch Lake, Boyne City and Belle Isle began a high school level course Thursday evening, toward becoming certified Emergency Medical Technicians (EMT).

The course, a joint effort of the Michigan State Department of Health, Charlevoix Area Hospital, and the ambulance crews, has been organized by Anita Kane, office manager for Dr. Harry Custer, advisory physician for the class.

The course text is approved by the American College of Orthopedic Surgeons and is recognized by the United States Department of Transportation. The instruction of

Wayne McKenna, Division Chief for Emergency Services, Michigan State Department of Health, explained that the course is designed to meet standards set by recent legislation requiring that at least one EMT be present on all ambulance runs, by January 1, 1979.

Among the subjects to be studied are: fracture care, cardiac care, auto accidents, hunting and snowmobile accidents, bleeding, cardio-



AMBULANCE CREWS from throughout the area gathered in Charlevoix for the first session of a special emergency training course they are taking to get state certification.

pulmonary resuscitation (CPR), delivery of babies and how to handle complications, head and eye injuries, ambulance driving techniques, medical record keeping, proper radio communication, and extrication from autos.

Clinical observation at the Charlevoix Area Hospital will consist of up to ten hours.

"The old concept of picking up a victim and rushing him to the hospital is gone," McKenna explained. "Physicians demand greater health care at the scene."

"We teach Emergency Medical Technicians how to stabilize a patient and then to take time and care getting to the hospital."

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Joy Mudge dispels myths about librarians

By LAURA GLASS

When you hear the word "librarian" what is your first reaction?

Do you think of the quiet, demure "Marian the Librarian" type?

If so, then you have never met Joy Mudge, head librarian for the Charlevoix Public Schools.

Mrs. Mudge, who has been named in the "Who's Who in American Women" and "Who's Who in the Midwest," who has had her children's stories published in leading children's magazines and who is now working on a historical novel, is about as opposite from the usual stereotype of a librarian as possible.

Mrs. Mudge has been library director for the Charlevoix Public Schools for eight years and says she likes to keep busy and on top of things.

She is, of course, an avid reader, but she also has the entire high school library catalog memorized. Just ask her for any book at the almost certainly all you want number it is, and she'll find it for you.

"I love to read. I'll almost a disease with me. If I'm home and run out of books, I'll pick up the phone book or the Sears catalogue," she said laughing.

"But really, I feel it's my job to know what books are about so I can help both students and teachers," she added.

Many a student can tell you that whenever you need help writing a research paper or need help finding debate evidence, Mrs. Mudge is always there.

"The reason I can help kids is because I was an English and history teacher and when I was in school I was in the debate team," the librarian explained.

Mrs. Mudge has written several children's stories including "Indian Brother" and "City for Help." Her stories have been published in many children's magazines including the popular "Junior

Scholastic."

She is now working on the 11th chapter of a historical novel.

All this work combined with her work with the Girl Scouts of America, did not go unnoticed. It was through these works that Mrs. Mudge was named in the "Who's Who" books.

The librarian also enjoys gardening and farming. In her spare time, she loves to hook rugs. She says in the summer she reads a lot to keep up on the new books and it helps her write.

Before she came to Charlevoix, Mrs. Mudge worked in Oak Park and at Wayne State University. She has been an advisor for yearbooks, and school newspapers and worked on herself when she was a student.

Nowadays complaints are often heard that students don't respect their teachers like they used to, but in Mrs. Mudge's case, that's not true. Whatever Mrs. Mudge says is law and she has everyone's respect.

Interested people are invited to attend.

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Reporter publishes book about area

"Up North A Contemporary View of the West," a collection of reminiscences about Northern Michigan, is now on sale at the Literary News Center and The Weathervane Inn.

The author, Lucille deVew, is a staff writer at the Detroit News, and while living in Northern Michigan she was a stringer for several newspapers and did advertising and promoting for many businesses.

"The handsomely-printed 48-page booklet is illustrated with several nature sketches by Mrs. Mota Taylor Birmingham."

Moved by Alderman Wallace and supported by Alderman Wood that the Site Plan presented by Charlevoix County State Bank for a 32'42' addition to the south side of their branch office at the corner of M-66 and Stover Road be approved. Motion was adopted by the following: Yes: Alderman Plumm, Wood, Whitley, Wallace, and Morris. Absent: Alderman Erber.

Moved by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Morris that the City accept the proposal of Wayne Aluminum to install all metal windows in the west end of the Municipal Golf Club House at a cost of \$11,144.00. Motion was adopted by the following: Yes: Alderman Plumm, Wood, Whitley, Wallace, and Morris. Absent: Alderman Erber.

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The annual Harvest Dinner at the Greensky Hill United Methodist Church will be held Saturday evening, October 1. Service will begin at 5 p.m. and continue through 7 p.m.

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The dinner is one of the most popular events of the fall season. Last year, more than 300 persons were served, according to Oliver.

Prices for the dinner are \$4 for adults and \$2 for children. The women's group of the church, which plans and prepares the dinner, turns over all proceeds to a fund to provide college scholarships for Indian children.

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STARTING FROM Charlevoix an enjoyable color tour route to follow takes the viewer south to East Jordan and around Lake Charlevoix through Boyne City and Walloon Lake north to Petoskey and circling through Emmet County.

Color season expected to peak this week

By PEG OHLE

Northern Michigan is about to burst into full color! The peak of the season will arrive within the next few days, a week or ten days earlier than usual, according to Mike Edson, local Forestry Technician.

In spite of the summer dryness and more recent rains, the color is expected to be good, although the reds may be somewhat subdued. Mel Keelling of Michigan State University explains the turning of leaves as follows:

"As long as trees get sufficient moisture, warm temperatures and sunlight, leaves manufacture the green pigment chlorophyll. This green color masks the yellow and orange pigments that are also present in the leaf all summer. When the leaves stop producing chlorophyll, the other pigments show through."

In some areas of the state, drought has already caused many trees to turn color, because lack of moisture interfered with chlorophyll production. Severely affected trees are suffering leaf browning around the edges.

When fall weather is wet and cloudy, as it has been, the fall color displays will lack the brilliant reds. Without lots of sunlight, the sugar in the tree leaves is not converted into the red pigment, and only the yellows, oranges, and browns are visible.

Because of the dry weather this summer, the leaves are probably not rich in sugar, so the red leaf colors will probably not be prominent. Other leaf colors, such as purple, represent combinations of the ever-present yellow and orange pigments and the manufactured green and red ones. They do not reflect the presence of a purple pigment.

The color of leaves affects at least one industry. Sugar maple growers use the redness of maple leaves in the fall as a rough index of the probable sugar content of the sap next spring. High sugar content means it takes fewer gallons of sap to make a gallon of syrup. That means fewer trees have to be tapped and less time spent boiling down.

Color tours on ferry begin Saturday

The annual Color Cruises around Lake Charlevoix aboard the Beaver Islander are scheduled for October 1, 2, 8, 9, and 15.

Sponsored by the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce and the Beaver Island Boat Company, the cruises feature a "party atmosphere," with snacks and beverages served on board.

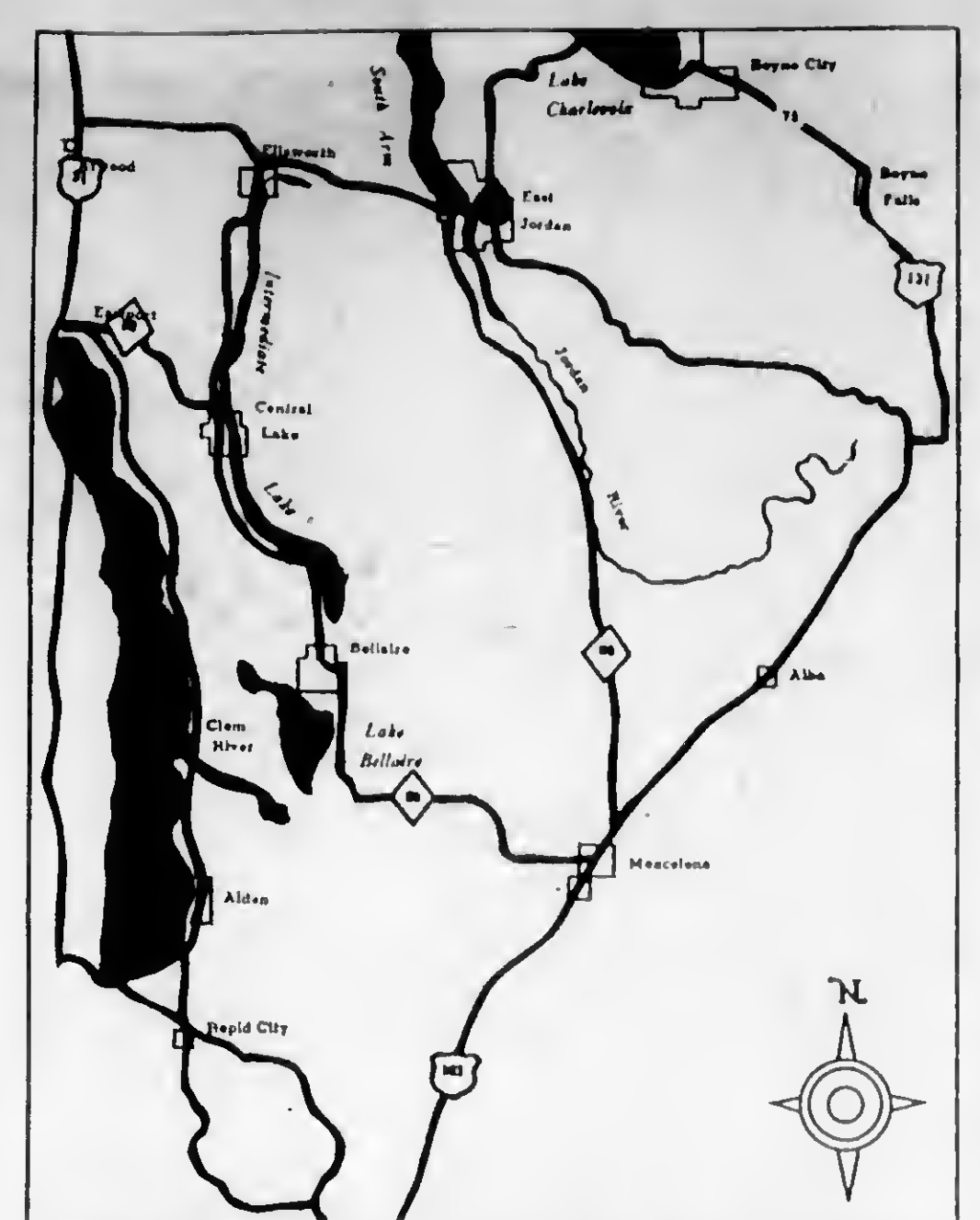
The boat leaves the Charlevoix dock at 1 p.m. Since it has a protected cover, it will sail rain or shine.

Tickets are limited to 200 per cruise and are on sale at \$6 for adults and \$3 for children at the Chamber of Commerce office.

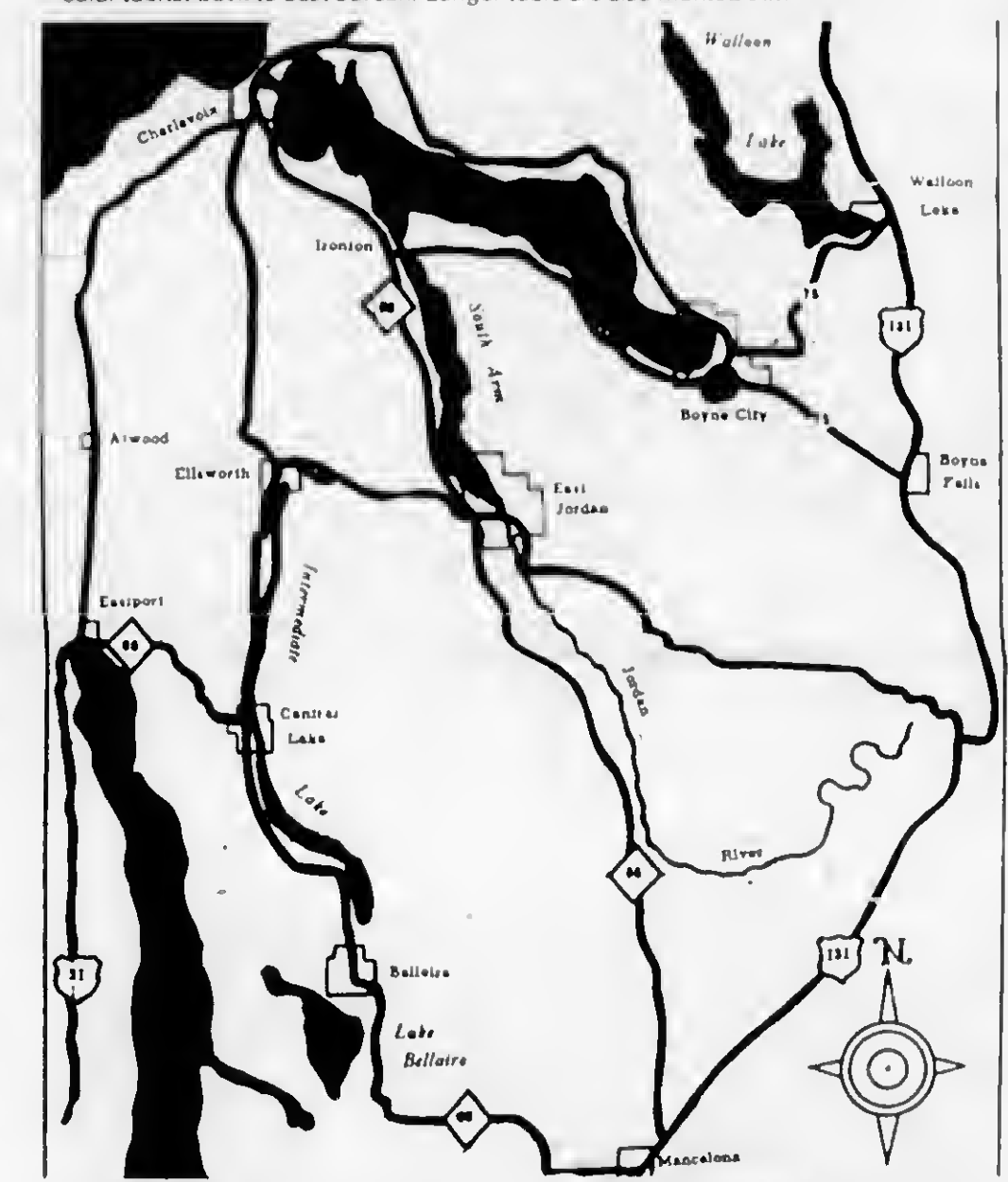
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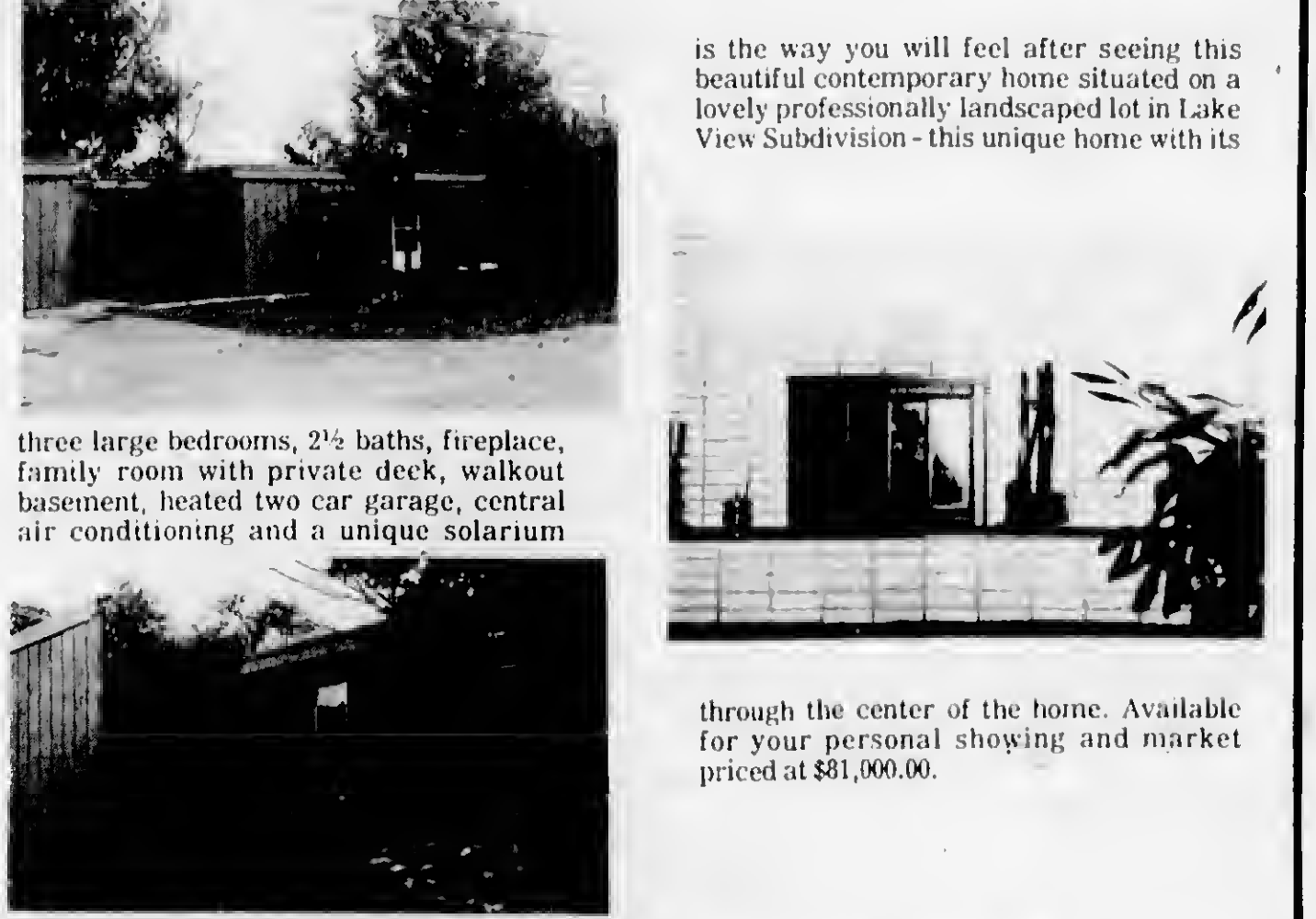
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Cub Scout sign up slated for Thursday

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Boys who are eight years old or who have completed the second grade are invited to register for Cub Scouts. Registration costs \$2 and a subscription to "Boys Life" Magazine costs an additional \$3.50. Children must be accompanied by a parent or guardian at registration.

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Court News

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix District Court during the week ending September 23 by Judge David W. Fether:

Martin Cousineau, 25, Charlevoix, larceny over \$100. Examination held, bound over to Circuit Court.
Owen T. Blanchard, 20, Charlevoix, 111 unlawfully driving away an automobile, (2) breaking and entering with intent to commit larceny. Examination held, bound over to Circuit Court.
Daniel W. Burger, 22, Boyne City, no insurance on motor vehicle, \$155.
Richard A. Uitz, 32, Mt. Clemens, speeding, \$35.
Richard J. Gienka, 40, Boyne City, speeding, \$27.
Doreen S. Borden, 18, Boyne City, (1) defective equipment, \$25 (2) careless driving, \$85.
James E. Magill, 22, Boyne City, speeding, \$25.
Burton A. Parliament, 51, Flint, speeding, \$25.
Virginia E. Hoffmann, 59, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
Gregory L. Trainor, 20, Northville, (1) no cycle endorsement, \$25 (2) no insurance on vehicle, \$155.
Michael D. Ulberg, 18, Jensen, speeding, \$25.
Robert K. Armstrong, 23, Flint, speeding, \$30.
Gregory L. Trainor, 20, Flint, speeding, \$25.
Wayne H. Spivey, 32, East Jordan, speeding, \$30.
Frank E. Kuzma, 18, Boyne City, excessive noise, \$25.
Reginald J. Hargreaves, 22, East Jordan, speeding, \$25.
Daniel C. Antava, 17, East Jordan, minor in possession of alcoholic beverage, \$85.
Calle A. Cooper, 17, Charlevoix, speeding, \$40.
George J. Kilmeister, 55, Midland, speeding, \$25.
James R. Champoux, 26, Muskegon, speeding, \$25.
Steven R. Laune, 18, Boyne City, excessive noise, \$25.
Cynthia L. Wilson, 17, East Jordan, speeding, \$25.
Peter G. Hammond, 20, East Jordan, open container of alcohol in motor vehicle, \$65.
Raymond F. Narmack, 25, East Jordan, open container of alcohol in motor vehicle, \$65.
Mark A. Dvoracek, 22, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
Craig E. Culbertson, 19, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
Peter P. Lewis, 21, East Jordan, no proof of insurance within vehicle, \$25.
Max E. Bailey, 22, Dikema, open container of alcohol in motor vehicle, \$65.
Michael A. Schmidt, 87, East Jordan, driving left of center, \$25.
Raymond T. Sell, 19, Charlevoix, speeding, \$34.
Dorothy L. Leonard, 17, Charlevoix, failing to yield, \$25.
James P. Hampton, 25, Rochester, obstructing traffic, \$25.
Michael J. Bergmann, 24, Charlevoix, speeding, \$25.
John F. Elze, 23, Warren, speeding, \$25.
Michael A. Denziny, 19, East Jordan, defective equipment, \$25.
Robert D. Barlow, 18, Central Lake, excessive noise, \$25.
Irene Van Wieren, East Jordan, speeding, \$25.
Edward R. Spink, 49, Bellaire, speeding, \$25.
Thomas L. Sweet, 18, East Jordan, speeding, \$25.
San Diego, Calif., speeding, \$34.
Terrence J. Toomay, 29, Boyne City, speeding, \$30.
Michael A. Schenk, 23, Boyne City, transporting open intoxicants in motor vehicle, \$65.
Gail W. Smith, 20, Boyne City, speeding, \$25.

Freshmen lose opening game to Gaylord 37-12

The Charlevoix High School freshman football team had a tough opening game last week against the Gaylord Blue Devils. The Raiders lost to Gaylord 37-12.

The Raiders made the first and last touchdowns of the game, but they couldn't get it together for the score in the middle. Coach Chuck Bentley said, "I think we'll be a different team when we play at Charlevoix next week."

Bentley said a good crowd showed up for the freshman's first game.

"That game will start at 8:30 p.m. at the Charlevoix field."

Bentley said his top offensive players this year were Jeff Daylong and Merrigide and Drury. Top defensive players were Ben Shores and David Herboldshamer.

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Denny Merrigide scored the first touchdown on a four-yard run. The second TD was scored halfway through the fourth quarter on an 80-yard pass play from Joe Sladok to Jeff Drury.

Obituary

ARNOLD COPELAND
Funeral services for Arnold Copeland, 81, who died Monday at the Charlevoix Area Hospital where he had been a patient for ten days, will be held at the Winchester Funeral Home at 2 p.m. Wednesday. The Rev. Raymond Giffin of the First Congregational Church will officiate. Interment will be in Brookside Cemetery.

Born at Ironton July 22, 1886, Mr. Copeland had lived in this area for many years. He had made maintenance work at Mackinac Island and more recently was employed by the Charlevoix County Road Commission. He had retired in 1934. He was married to the former Ellen Yennans. He attended the First Congregational Church. He is survived by his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Richard (Arletta) Foster of Greenfield, Wis.; a son, Gregory of Charlevoix; five grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

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Volleyball teams to be organized at meet Oct. 3

Teams will be organized and plans made for the forthcoming volleyball season at a meeting scheduled for 7 p.m. Monday, Oct. 3, Dwight Ross, city recreation director, has announced.

Anyone interested in sponsoring a team or playing on a team must attend this meeting. Deadline for entry is Oct. 22 for the season which will begin Oct. 23.

The leagues will be limited to eight men's teams, eight women's teams and 16 mixed league teams.

If you are unable to attend Monday's meeting, Ross has asked that you call him at 547-9098.

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Parent, parish support keeps St. Mary's running

Parent support is important to any school. At St. Mary's Catholic School in Charlevoix it's vital.

During times when private schools have been consolidated or closed because of ever increasing costs and dwindling enrollments, St. Mary's continues to operate, offering an education alternative for Catholics in Charlevoix.

St. Mary's has been faced with the same problems as other private schools. Although the student enrollment increased by one child this year, overall in the last five years enrollment has dropped. Sister M. Josine, school principal, said.

The school which used to offer classes through the eighth grade level, dropped its top grades and concentrates on the elementary classes of first through sixth grades. Currently the building, with a capacity for 130 students houses 81 in its five classrooms.

Has there been talk of closing the school due to small enrollment. No, not really, Sister Josine said.

"The families that are here and that have children in the school would like to see it go on as long as the church is financially able to do it," she explained.

And so far, there haven't been any problems. The school, operating on an annual budget of about \$45,000, is completely funded by the parish.

And St. Mary's is one of two Catholic schools in the state that doesn't charge its students any tuition. The other school is Holy Childhood in Harbor Springs.

"The only charge the

students have to pay is a \$25 book bill," Louis McKenzie, school board president, explained. "The school is strictly funded through contributions of the church."

"And as long as the parish collection can take care of the school as well as the church, nuns' and priest's house, we won't charge tuition."

McKenzie, a graduate of the school and the father of four other St. Mary's graduates, said tuition was never charged so that no family would be discouraged from sending its children to the school.

In addition to the money the school receives from the church, the Little Flower Guild has many fundraising projects with the proceeds going for equipment needed at the school. And parent support helps, too.

Parent volunteers supervise the lunchroom, the library and they also help with some gym classes. In addition, parents also serve as volunteers in the Bucket Brigade helping to tutor students who need extra help.

Sister Josine said the school's goal was to reach every child on his or her own level and to meet the needs of each child. The school also strives to lead its students to be good Christians in their future lives.

"We want to develop good Christian citizens not only for our church but for the community as well," Sister said.

McKenzie said the school board, composed of himself, Connie Pischner, Mary Lou Spiegel, Fritz Allard and Gene Dziadko, is proud of the fact that it has a complete curriculum following state guidelines. The school board president said the board has

100 percent cooperation from the public schools.

St. Mary's students are allowed to use the middle school gym and also participate in many special programs at the Charlevoix Elementary School.

The school is also offered the use of the Charlevoix-Emmet Intermediate School District staff and resources.

McKenzie said the school board would begin working on attracting more students to the school this year.

"We feel increasing the enrollment is like missionary work," McKenzie said. "We feel it is important to get the kids started in basic Christian education during their first four years and that's what we offer here."



SIXTH GRADE STUDENTS Neill Wimmer, Mike Pischner and Kay Scharenroch observe a hermit crab changing shells in their classroom.

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Proposed zoning to get further study



FALL IS HARVEST TIME. The frantic season of summer growth comes slowly to an end as the frost settles on the pumpkin and farmers begin to bring the remains of their crops in for the long winter ahead.

The Charlevoix Common Council has tabled action on a proposed new zoning ordinance for further study and discussion.

The council was expected to approve the new ordinance Monday night, however, following a lengthy discussion with several concerned citizens, the council members delayed their decision until several property owners could be contacted and asked their opinion of the proposed changes in the new ordinance.

The main objection expressed by the citizens attending council meeting was to the changes in the zoning map. James Hiller and Paul Osterberg both opposed changes that had been made in the commercial zones on the map.

Osterberg owns property along Park Avenue which falls into a Planned Unit Development zone under the new ordinance. He would like the property to remain in the commercial zoning designation.

Hiller's property, the site of the former Charlevoix Lumber Co., also falls in PUD zoning. Both men contended that other property owners in the area proposed for PUD zoning would also like to have their property remain under the commercial

designation which it currently has. Council members agreed to poll the other property owners and get their opinions before making a final decision on the zoning map and the proposed new ordinance.

Some objections were also raised to the establishment of a planning commission as provided for under the proposed new ordinance. Oscar Ward cautioned the common council against giving up some of its responsibility to an appointed body.

One of the main reasons council has been interested in approving the new ordinance was so that a planning commission could be appointed, Ivan Whitley, chairman of the Ecology, Development and Land Use Committee, explained. Whitley said site plan reviews and zoning considerations were eating away at the council's time and preventing it from getting other things done.

In other action, common council approved two site plans for new development in the city. A site plan for Family Federal Savings was approved for a new building at Captain's Corners shopping center on M-66. The savings and loan association would like to move out of its

Bridge Street offices into a separate building at the shopping center so that it can expand its services to area people.

Council also approved a site plan for the expansion of the Weatherhane Terrace by the Charlevoix Development Company.

Dick Georgi, a representative of the development company, explained that 38 new units would be built on the site which would be expanded to Dixon Avenue. The expansion would bring the total number of units to 75 on the site. Under the expansion, Georgi proposed to add 42 new parking places for the units, which would be used as motel units and not condominiums.

Many of the new parking spaces will be located along Dixon Avenue. However, Georgi has agreed to install a new type of brick in the parking area which would allow grass to grow in the area and would prevent it from looking like one expansive piece of asphalt.

The council also ordered \$2,333 worth of fertilizer for the Charlevoix Municipal Golf Course and discussed a beer and wine take out license for the new Glen's Market which will be located at Captain's Corners. Council decided not to object to the new license.

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TV special scheduled on PBB

The controversial television program, "The Poisoning of Michigan," will be aired over Public Broadcasting Station Channel 6, Alpena, and Channel 14, Mt. Pleasant, at 9:30 p.m. Tuesday (Oct. 4).

The program will also appear on the two PBS stations at noon Thursday and 8 p.m. Saturday.

The documentary chronicles the events leading up to the discovery that the fire retardant chemical PBB, also known as Firemaster, had been mysteriously mixed up with an animal food additive called Nutraminer.

Following the hour-long presentation at 10:30 p.m. will be the program, "Local Follow-up: The Poisoning of Michigan." The follow-up program was produced as a result of the controversy surrounding the national telecast of the PBB documentary film.

The PBB program, produced by John Fielding and the Thames Television "This Week" team was aired on British television last March and has been the subject of much discussion since then.

Members of Gov. William Milliken's staff have called the program distorted and inaccurate. Milliken's staff members also attempted to block the showing of the film in this state.

Participating in the follow-up program will be Gov. Milliken, B. Dale Bull, director of Michigan Department of Agriculture, Dr. Maurice Reisen, health department director, Elton Smith, president of the Michigan Farm Bureau, Dr. Lee Shull, MSU dairy scientist, and Dr. Steve Aust, MSU biochemist.

The program will follow a format of a brief statement from each guest followed by a question and answer session.

Dan Bliss of TV 6 and 14, estimated that approximately 14 million viewers will see the PBB documentary. However, only Michigan residents will be able to see the follow-up program, which was produced in East Lansing at WKAR-TV.

Ms. Bliss said she thought the PBB documentary was one sided and that the follow-up gave the viewer a more rounded look at the PBB situation in the state.

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Commission seeks election

It's on to round two for the Charlevoix Charter Commission.

The charter commissioners have decided to seek a second vote on the proposed charter in a special election on Dec. 12.

According to law, the charter commission can bring the proposed charter to a vote of the people up to three times before it must dissolve. Dick Fochtman, charter commission chairman, explained.

Fochtman said because the vote was so close during the first election and because there were relatively few objections raised against the charter during the public meetings about the document, the charter commission has decided to put a revised charter on the ballot for the voters' consideration.

The first proposed new charter was defeated by 40 votes in an election held last July.

Fochtman said the charter commission had selected a December vote on the issue so that it could catch all the people who would be leaving for the winter following the holidays.

He said the charter commission also wanted to have the December vote so that the charter could be put on the spring primary ballot for the third and last time just before the charter commission expires in April.

The charter commission chairman said some revisions had been made in the proposed charter to meet the main objections raised against the document.

In the revised document, the mayor will be elected at large by all voters in the city. In the first document, the council members elected a mayor from among themselves.

Under the new document, the mayor will be nominated for the position through petition instead of during a ward convention.

The city clerk position will also be filled by nominating petition instead of through nominations made at ward and city conventions.

The charter commission chairman said the rest of the document had remained relatively unchanged.

The charter commission sought approval from Charlevoix Common Council Monday to hold another election on the document, but council tabled action on the request until they received copies of the revised new charter and copies of the wording for the ballot.

Judge considering claims in tenant rent hike dispute

Tenants of the Charlevoix Apartments on May Street should know within 30 days if their battle to reduce rents at the complex has a legal leg to stand on.

Greg Justis, an attorney with Legal Services of Northern Michigan, said Judge Wendell Miles of the U.S. District Court in Grand Rapids had taken the tenants' case under advisement and would issue an opinion within the next 30 days.

Justis appeared before the U.S. district judge last Thursday asking that the rent increases be returned to the tenants and that no further rent increases be allowed at the complex until the suit filed by the tenants is settled.

Earlier this month, Justis filed a suit on behalf of tenants living in the apartment complex claiming that the tenants were denied due process of law when their rents were raised 28 percent

March 1. Justis claims that the tenants' rights as provided under the Fifth and Fourteenth Amendments of the U.S. Constitution were violated because they were not given a chance to comment on an application for a rent hike at the complex which was constructed with FMHA funds under the rural low and moderate income rental project program.

Currently applications must be made to the FMHA office by landlords of the rural rental projects describing why a rent hike is necessary before a rent hike can be put in effect.

However, the tenants do not have to be notified of the application for a rent hike and they do not have a voice in the actual granting or denial of the application. Justis believes the tenants should have the right to comment on the applications for the rent increases.

Justis said that during the 30-day

waiting period, Judge Miles will be deciding on a point of law as to whether or not the tenants have a right to any input on rent hike applications.

"In effect, Judge Miles will be presenting us with a quick final judgment when he issues an opinion on the point of law," Justis said.

If the judge decides the tenants do have a right to some input, then further hearings will be held to determine what sort of input the tenants are entitled to.

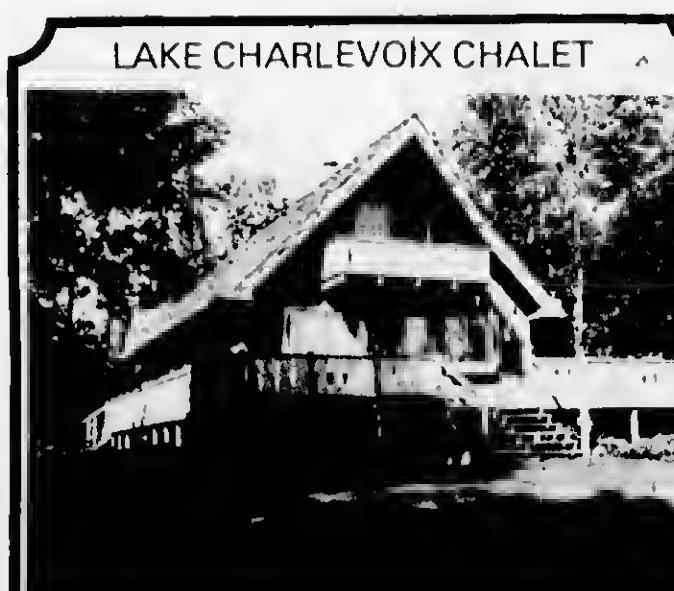
If, on the other hand, the judge decides against the tenants the rent hikes will not be ruled unlawful and the tenants won't be allowed any input during the rent hike application process.

Justis said that if the judge ruled against the tenants, he would take the case to the Sixth District Appeals Court for another hearing.

The next step after the appeals court is the Supreme Court.



SISTER M. JOSINE works with second grade student Roger Smith on a paper weaving project at St. Mary's School.



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 Cross Country: Charlevoix at St. Ignace with Petoskey and Gaylord 4 p.m.
 Charlevoix Historical Society will meet at the In-Service day for teachers, Community Room, First State Bank, 8 p.m. An informal Charlevoix at Grayling 8:30 program with members and p.m.
 Friends reminding about their childhood whether in town or elsewhere will meet at the community's Friendship Hall 11:30 a.m.
 American Legion will meet until 2 p.m. at post home 8 p.m.
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Thursday, Oct. 6
 JV Football: Grayling here 8:30 p.m.
 Charlevoix at Grayling 8:30 p.m.
 Round Lake Lodge No. 230, I.O.O.F., will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.
 Charlevoix Soaring Club will meet at Airport hanger 8 p.m.
 TOPS undercroft of Christ Church for weigh-in at 8 p.m.; business meeting 8:30 p.m.
 Coast Guard Wives Club will meet with Mrs. Marvin Kurkiewicz at 7:30 p.m. at Lot No. 8, Lake Terrace Mobile Club, US 31-North.
Thursday, Oct. 6
 JV Football: Grayling here 8:30 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 7
 Variety Football: Charlevoix at Grayling 4 p.m. Note change in time.
 Maple Grove Grange will meet at Grange Hall 8 p.m.
 Al-Anon Family Group will meet at undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. For Family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.
 Grandparents Day will be observed at the Charlevoix Elementary School between 9:30 a.m. and 2 p.m. when grandparents are invited to walk through the school and join their grandchildren for lunch.
Saturday and Sunday, Oct. 8 & 9
 Annual Color Cruise on Lake

Monday, Oct. 9
 Christian Brotherhood Hour, 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.
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 Colubus Day ... a legal holiday ... for federal, state, and county offices and banks.
Tuesday, Oct. 10
 Annual October meeting of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will be held at the county building annex 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday, Oct. 11
 Annual October meeting of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will be held at the county building annex 9:30 a.m.

Thursday, Oct. 12
 Annual October meeting of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will be held at the county building annex 9:30 a.m.
Friday, Oct. 13
 Annual October meeting of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will be held at the county building annex 9:30 a.m.

Saturday, Oct. 14
 Annual October meeting of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will be held at the county building annex 9:30 a.m.

Oh, those magnificent flying machines



JOHN KINTZ of Bay Shore explains his Cessna 310 one quarter model to Karrie Renaud, Julie Brewster and Kevin Mori, all members of Charlevoix Area Buys, a model airplane club.

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School board ratifies contract with personnel

By FRANK MARTIN
 The Charlevoix Board of Education, ratified a two-year contract with the MEOA representing custodial, maintenance and culinary personnel, approved a bid for the high school. With the approval of the 10 mill in a special election last month, the board found it possible to do the work and asked for the same price. The contractor, however, advised that steel prices made it necessary to increase his bid to \$21,500. The bid will now include heavy duty locking devices and other special equipment. The doors will be of steel construction with a single long glass and special locks. All doors will be replaced with exception of those at the exterior and lobby doors in the gymnasium.
 He also reported that the new windows in the middle school building were being installed and should be completed by the end of the week. The company is installing them after school hours and working into the night.
 Roy M. Fortin, assistant principal in charge of Adult Education, reported that 28 students are enrolled in four different high school com-

Oh, those magnificent flying machines. There's something about flight and those flying contraptions, also known as airplanes, that has always intrigued man. Being able to soar like a bird across the sky in a sleek jet or a stodgy bi-plane is a dream held by many. But only a few actually become pilots. Others, however, have an interest in aircraft and flying may soon find themselves a part of one of the fastest growing hobbies in the country—model aviation.
 Groups of people interested in remote control or U-control operated aircraft are banding together throughout the nation to share their ideas, their skills and their love of flying and aircraft.
 And Charlevoix is no exception. A group of about 35 people, ranging in age from 8 to 88 and covering every profession from upholsterer to police officer to plumber, meets once a month to discuss the high points and pitfalls of the model aviation.
 "Anyone who gets bitten by the model aviation bug really begins to put a lot of time into it," Vince Brewster, one of the organizers of the model aviation group called, Charlevoix Area Buys (Bunch of Ugly Flying Foals), explained.
 "For me, that's how I unwind," Brewster continued. "I either work on my plane or I take it out and fly it."
 Brewster said that getting into model aviation is like getting into any other hobby, the initial investment is expensive, but it even out in the end.
 "Once you consider the time it takes to build the plane and the entertainment that you are getting out of that, the cost isn't so high," he explained.
 And Brewster said that model aviation enthusiasts can pick and choose how involved they want to be with their aircraft.
 "You can put less than \$50 in a plane or you can go up to \$200-\$300 depending on the scale you use," he said.
 Brewster said some kits can get very detailed such as a kit for a military plane which even has scale size rivets patterned after the type used in an actual military aircraft.
 "Everything is the kits is identical to the real craft except the size," he said.
 "And when you fly it, it's just like being in a real plane only you're on the ground."
 Most people get hooked on the model aviation bug early in life. They start out small and then move on to bigger, better and more detailed planes, John Kintz of Bay Shore, who is also a member of the Buys, explained.
 "I started out with a small free flight plane," he explained. "And I liked it and thought I would try something bigger."
 Kintz' latest project was a one-quarter scale Cessna 310. The model plane has a wing span of 10 feet and is constructed out of wood. It is operated by a set of twin engines.
 "The kit caught my eye," Kintz said grinning sheepishly. "I wanted to try it for I could do it."
 For Mel Renaud of Charlevoix, a 1933 Jere Sport bi-plane is his scale size joy. Renaud's plane has an eight-foot wing span and 3,000 square inches of wing surface. "I just really like bi-planes," Renaud explained shrugging his shoulders. "I saw this kit at a show in Cadillac and decided to make it."

Renaud has about 90 hours into the construction of the model airplane and is about one-third the way through the project.
 The Charlevoix resident got his start in model aviation with the rubber band powered planes and the U-control planes. His daughter Karrie is following right in his footsteps with a small plane of her own.
 For Jack Giga, model aviation was also an outgrowth of his love of other types of plane models.
 "I've built models all my life," Giga explained. "My first plane cost 10 cents. This is my first remote control plane, though I've only had it a few weeks."
 A U-control plane is flown with a hand-held control attached to a wire attached to the plane. With remote control or radio control models, the operator controls the action of the plane through radio signals. The more channels on the radio, the more things you can make the plane do.
 "You even have to have an FCC (Federal Communications Commission) license to operate the planes," Brewster explained. "It's the same application you would fill out for a CB radio."
 Brewster said occasionally a remote-control operator will experience some radio interference and lose control of the aircraft, but he said it doesn't happen very often. A U.S. Air Force helicopter was damaged at the Charlevoix Municipal Airport during the team's Club Fly-In when a remote-control plane got out of control and flew into the helicopter's tail.
 Brewster said model aviation is a hobby for all seasons. Although most people spend the winters constructing their models, many put skins on their planes and fly them in the winter, too.
 "It's actually easier on the plane," he said.
 The Buys fly their planes at their own airport located on Sequoia Road. The field is 250 feet long and 50 feet wide. It has been graded and seeded in much the same manner as a grass runway at any airport would be.
 Brewster said the land for the field was donated by Bill Marne and Bob Mousseau and try Barry helped the club members clean the field up. "With all the help we've had we're really expanded," Brewster said. "We're just a bunch of people having a good time."



MEL RENAUD keeps busy working on the construction of his 1933 Jere Sport bi-plane. The plane, which has an eight foot wing span, will be sported with the motor of a chain saw.

Expansion program, finances discussed Directors elected to board

Five directors were elected to the Charlevoix Area Hospital Board of Directors during the recent annual meeting.
 Elbert Kaiser was elected to fill out the remaining one year left in the term of Bernard Hammond, who had resigned. Kaiser had been appointed to fill out the term earlier this year, but the hospital association members were allowed to vote on his appointment at the annual meeting.
 Also elected to the board for three year terms were: Pat Hawley, June Cross, Lou Hollow and Jack Grubaugh. Hawley and Mrs. Cross were re-elected to their positions and Hollow and Grubaugh are new members.
 During the annual meeting, Tom Carey, board president, reported that the board had committed itself to the expansion of the hospital. He said there was a need for more space for out patient services, laboratory, X-ray, medical records and storage space.
 Carey said the hospital would not be needing any additional patient beds at this time, however.
 Richard Krueger, hospital administrator, explained that the board had been working with an architectural firm for the hospital but it has not settled on how and where the hospital should expand.
 "No definite time table has been established yet for the expansion program," Carey told the members of the hospital association and interested public attending the annual meeting. "But progress is being made in an effort to establish one."
 The financial condition of the hospital was also discussed during the meeting. Revenues were \$29,191 under the total expenses for the year. The hospital had expenses of \$1.98 million and collected revenues of \$1.95 million during the fiscal year which ended June 30.
 For 1976, the hospital had revenues of \$1.8 million and expenditures of \$1.7 million.
 Krueger said the 7 percent drop in the number of patient admissions and the 5 percent drop in the number of days of care given to patients last year were the contributing factors in the decrease in revenues.
 There were 1,812 patient admissions to the hospital during 1977 for 9,261 days of care while there were 1,731 in 1976 for 8,870 days of care.
 Krueger said the decrease in the number of patients also reflected a change in the type of medical care patients are receiving. More and more diagnostic tests are being conducted on an out patient basis and that was reflected at the hospital in a 7 percent

Preparation can remove fears

When your child goes to the hospital, it can be pretty frightening for both you and your youngster. The homework that you do before the actual hospital stay can make the whole thing a lot more comfortable for both of you.
 A new booklet from the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare talks about what you can do to prepare, from choosing a hospital to answering your child's questions to preparing for the child's return home. For your copy of When Your Child Goes to the Hospital, send 65 cents to the Consumer

Information Center, Dept. 127E, Pueblo, Colorado 81009.
 It's important to know the right questions to ask about hospital policies. That way you can make plans and prepare your child. Here are some good ones:
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Editorials/Opinions

Charter deserves study by residents before second vote

The Charlevoix Charter Commission is once again seeking a vote on the proposed new charter.

Following last summer's narrow defeat of the proposed charter, the commissioners sat down to analyze what it was that the voters wanted in a new charter.

The charter commissioners knew the voters wanted a new charter because the people had voted to have one written and they had elected commissioners to participate in the writing of a new charter.

But very few residents of Charlevoix attended any of the charter commission meetings during the 20 months that the commission met and worked on the proposed charter even though all the meetings were open to the public.

So after months of reading, listening, observing and studying, the charter commissioners using their best judgment came up with a document they thought would please the citizens of Charlevoix.

But as it turned out the citizens did not like the charter, although less than half of the registered voters participated in the election and the document was rejected by a very narrow margin.

So it was back to the drawing board for the commissioners. And it has been rough going. The commissioners know people want the charter because of what they voted on earlier, but no one would tell the commissioners how they could improve the proposed document.

The commissioners have

made some changes based on the few comments they received at public hearings on the proposed charter. They have made the office of mayor and clerk elected at large and they have set up a process where the mayor and clerk are nominated by petition.

But the commissioners have retained the business approach the new charter takes to operating the city and they have retained the ward conventions because they believe in these two things and the improvements they can bring to city government.

The charter commissioners have more than done their part in writing the document that Charlevoix residents seemed so interested in having. Now it is time for Charlevoix residents to do their part.

Residents should take time to study the charter and find out what's in it and what it can do for Charlevoix.

If residents have a question about the charter they should call one of the charter commissioners and ask them about it. That's why the charter commissioners were elected to their positions.

Voting against something because a resident doesn't understand it is not good. Finding out about the charter so that intelligent votes can be cast in the upcoming election is good.

And it's the least the citizens can do for the charter commissioners who have donated a lot of their time, their energy and their thoughts to the preparation of the new proposed charter.

Letters to the editor

Charlevoix House resident enjoyed slo-pitch games

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following letter is from a resident of Charlevoix House on Belvedere Avenue. Many of the residents at the home enjoyed attending the slo-pitch games throughout the summer. The letter expresses the feelings of most spectators at the games.

Dear Citizens: I would like to say that I enjoyed the Charlevoix Slo-pitch League, both the men and women's division.

Because of a lot of good action by Kit Carson, Beebe G Men, and Erbers mens team and on the other side Kentucky Fried Chicken, D.Q. and VIP

the games provided a lot of fun and excitement.

Also a big thanks to our great recreation director Mr. Boss who somehow kept the field in super fantastic shape despite all the rain we had.

I would also like to thank the umpires like Jim Willis, Charlie and Terry Blissett and Bill Joy for a lot of good calls at a lot of the games. I hope we have a way to have inter league play soon like between the Charlevoix City league and the Charlevoix township league during the regular season.

Thanks again for a great summer. Sincerely yours, David Lee Vaughan

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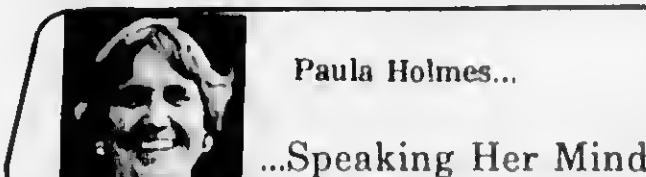
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Paula Holmes...
...Speaking Her Mind

I was glad to see the sunshine for a few days last week. People were really beginning to go bananas because of all the rain, gray skies and just generally dreary weather.

And when you consider that for 25 out of the last 30 days it has rained, that's pretty dreary weather except for ducks and other wild birds.

I first noticed that many people in town were going a little nuts when I was downtown shopping. Several people seemed to be a little gun shy as they were preparing to go outdoors.

They would cautiously approach the store door, peer out and then clutching their coats up about their throats and taking a deep breath they would dash wildly out on to the street.

That was the only burst of energy I had seen from anyone, myself included, during the entire week. I bet new track records were set nearly every day as people ran from one place to the next trying to avoid getting wet.

The next thing that made me begin to take note of what this lousy weather was doing to people was a little comment from a middle school teacher I met on the sidewalk in front of the school early one morning.

"You know, I think we will all get vitamin D deficiency if the sun doesn't

come out soon," she said a faint smile crossing her face.

She's probably right, I found myself muttering as I looked forward to another day of grayness.

And when I got to the office, sure enough, I was greeted with even bleaker faces and rain beaten brows. It was indeed the sign of a truly dreary day.

But as we stood looking out the window at the gray Lake Michigan waters, the gray Northern Michigan skies and at the in general rain drenched gloom, a little spark of hope cut through the gloom.

"Look, what's that I see in the grass," one person asked.

"Peering through the window for the raccoon, bird or rabbit that we generally see in the lawn, I was disappointed to find nothing but water drops on blades of grass.

"No look," the person insisted. "I think it's a ray of sunshine sitting in the grass."

Everyone sat up straight and began examining the grass and then there was a rush for the door to check out the rest of the sky.

But by the time we got there the sun was gone and so were our hopes for a break in the weather.

Want to Write to Your Men in Lansing or DC?

Want to write your man in Washington or Lansing? Here are the addresses of the two U.S. Senators and the U.S. Congressman from Michigan, the State Senator and the two State Representatives from the Charlevoix Courier's circulation area:

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We suggest you clip and save this for future references.



If it Fitz
by Jim Fitzgerald

The Lapeer County Bank & Trust Co. recently installed an escalator. In light of Bert Lance's troubles, it is only natural to wonder if the president of the Lapeer bank is allowed to use the escalator for non-business purposes, such as going to football games.

While president of a Georgia bank, Lance used the bank's airplane frequently. In testimony before a U.S. Senate committee, he conceded that many of the trips were to such pleasurable destinations as college football games.

Lance said he saw no reason why the bank shouldn't pay for these trips because he felt he always was on bank business while traveling, no matter where he went.

Rod Parsch is president of the Lapeer County Bank & Trust Co. The Lapeer bank does not own an airplane, which would be a little much. Townspeople were awed enough by the escalator, the only one in the county.

Nevertheless, several parallels can be drawn between the 2 banks and the 2 bank presidents. I will now draw those parallels, and if I should overdraw, wouldn't that be ironic?

Calhoun, Ga., and Lapeer, Mich., are

both small towns. Lance started at the Calhoun bank as a messenger. Parsch started at the Lapeer bank as a janitor. Both men rose to become presidents of their banks, and more.

Lance became Jimmy Carter's buddy and was appointed director of the Office of Management and Budget. Parsch played poker with me and was elected president of the Independent Bankers Association of America.

This is no joke about Parsch, a point I stress so you will realize that as Lance is no ordinary country banker, neither is Parsch.

More than 7,000 banks belong to the IBAA, and Parsch was their national leader in 1971-72. He has served on countless IBAA panels and several times has testified before congressional committees, although never in such a hot seat as that recently occupied by Lance.

For more than 20 years Parsch and I played in the same poker club. He whistled when he was winning, and he was a heartless banker when I was light in the pot.

To this day, Parsch must admit that the fact I never stop him for behaving in such an annoying manner made it possible for him to become president of

the IBAA. Anyway, in view of all these parallels, it is not surprising that I thought of Parsch when I heard Lance's defense against charges that he was a less-than-ethical, perhaps even dishonest, banker.

Lance's critics seem most dismayed by the bum checks he and his family cashed at his bank. They totaled around \$700,000. Lance explained with an aw-shucks. That's the way business is done in friendly country banks, he said, and you city fellows just don't understand.

This didn't square with my experience at Parsch's country bank. For 25 years I worked in a newspaper office next door to that bank.

This made it hard for the tellers when I wrote a bad check. They simply brought it to my desk and stood there until I made it good.

I always figured that check overdrafts were nothing except non-interest loans and therefore a criminal waste of the bank stockholders' assets. But here was a big shot, Lance saying I was foolish to cover guiltily before those damning tellers. I should have reminded them that they worked at a country bank where rubber checks

were friendly fun. As Lance seemed to be winning his argument with the Senate, I phoned Parsch and demanded an explanation. "Lance is full of malarky," said the past president of the nation's largest association of country banks. "And if I caught one of my bank officers writing overdrafts the way Lance did, I would castrate him."

OK, but what about the escalator? In Parsch's allowed to use it when leaving the bank for non-business destinations? To get an objective answer, I skipped Parsch and put this question to a director of his bank.

"Our escalator is for the use of a general public," the director answered. "They don't even have to be customers."

If Parsch uses it on his way to a football game, he is doing it as a member of the general public, not as president of the bank. If Bert Lance had allowed everyone to use his bank's plane free, there would have been no fuss, although there would have been an awful crowd lined up at the airport.

Case closed. I declare Lance the loser and Parsch the winner. My office is now 60 miles from Parsch's bank, but I think I hear him whistling.



Erma Bombeck

Isn't it funny, I can remember the exact day I first heard the word "portable." It was Aug. 16, 1966, at 3:35 p.m. when my husband presented me with a "portable" sewing machine. (It's probably a coincidence but that's the exact day he got his first slipped disk by lifting the "portable" sewing machine to the table.)

I didn't think much about it again until we bought a "portable" air conditioner for the den. That was—let's see—Thursday evening, the 20th of March, 1967.

(I remember saying how great it was that the warranty covered the damages to the unit when my husband dropped it on my foot.)

Frankly, I don't know what we did before American ingenuity discovered that if you put a handle on something or a set of wheels it became "portable." It has opened up a whole new world for those of us "on the move."

We thought a swimming pool was out of range until we found a "portable" pool we could put out ourselves. That was...I got it. Memorial Day, 1971, to November of that same year. (I remember saying to my husband

he couldn't have swum in it anyway until they took the stitches out of his hands that he cut on the fence.)

And who could forget our portable boat that made a dent in the roof of the car, the portable microwave oven that we took apart to transport, the portable stereo that took five boys to carry, and the portable picnic table that we carried in the portable trailer.

Neither of us will ever forget the excitement of owning my first portable typewriter. At first, I worried because it hurt my arm to lift it off the floor. Within a matter of days, however, my arm stretched out about five inches and the typewriter slid comfortably across the floor while my hand steered it.

A lot of people bad-mouth "portables." However, when our neighbors had their house ripped off and the portable TV was missing, they found the thief and the set within a couple of hours.

The guy was checking into a local hospital for emergency hernia repair just as the police were checking the cars in the emergency lot. Isn't that a coincidence? (Copyright 1977 Field Enterprises, Inc.)



Clockwise
by Bob Clock

Whom are we to believe?

On one side stands the mighty American Medical Association thundering that the drug Laetrile is ineffective as a weapon in the war on cancer because it has never proven itself in laboratory tests.

On the other side stand a growing army of cancer patients and members of their families who claim that Laetrile does indeed stop cancer in its tracks, letting many former patients lead productive, happy, pain-free lives.

In the middle stands the American public, listening first to one side and then the other with equal discomfort. We would like to believe our learned doctors who have their offices papered with medical degrees from impressive universities. After all, it's their business to know what works and what doesn't work against the myriad ills that plague mankind.

But we also lend a hopeful ear to the Laetrile people because their stories are almost too good to be true: A drug taken orally or by injection that shrinks the tumor without any noticeable side-effects other than increasing vigor and good health.

Because it ranks no higher than any other "quack" medicine, Laetrile has been banned by the Food and Drug Administration, although it is readily available at a handful of Laetrile clinics just across the U.S. border at Tijuana, Mexico.

Several states, however, recently have approved the use of Laetrile despite opposition from the medical profession and the FDA. In theory, the drug shouldn't be crossing state lines because of FDA involvement, but these things are pretty hard to monitor. I imagine Uncle Sam's boys in blue transport as much Laetrile as they do marijuana in their postal trucks.

The Michigan Legislature is holding hearings on the question of legalizing Laetrile, and the controversial drug derived from apricot pits may soon be

available for your friendly local druggist, providing he can find a Michigan manufacturer or a friendly smuggler.

I have only known one cancer patient who experimented with Laetrile, liver cancer was well advanced and local doctors had all but given up hope. So, against the better judgement of her family, she made the long trip to Mexico for treatment. Unfortunately, the effects of the Laetrile treatment were negligible. She returned to Charlevoix and survived only a few months.

Yet folks helped by Laetrile keep cropping up in the news.

One fellow, hopelessly ill with lung cancer, ran to meet his doctor in the hospital corridor the other day after only five injections of Laetrile.

A Detroit boy puts in a full day at school and then works at a part-time job. Six months ago—before Laetrile—he was dying of Hodgkin's Disease.

From here it appears that although Laetrile may be totally worthless for most patients, it should be approved for use in Michigan—if only for the hope it offers to help cancer patients.

I don't think any of us—including the AMA—knows enough about cancer in A.D. 1977 to rule out psychosomatic medicine as part of the treatment.

Mind you, known, effective cancer medicines, radiation and surgery should be used, too. But if the patient insists on Laetrile, he should be allowed to have it—no questions asked. Perhaps the boost to his morale will be sufficient to trigger his immune mechanisms into fighting back. I don't know, and I don't think the AMA does either.

There is always the outside chance that Laetrile is an effective anti-cancer drug among selective patients and against selective cancers. This would explain why the drug has such a miserable track record in the laboratory, but performs so beautifully in the misty arena of hope.

Meet Charlevoix

...Todd and Vicky Warner

Local artist Todd Warner and his wife Vicky ran one of the most unusual businesses in Charlevoix. This week the Courier talks with them about their work and how they got started.

COURIER: What do you call the type of sculpturing you do?

WARNER: It is stoneware sculpture, and the figures are mostly whimsical.

COURIER: How long have you been in business, and how did you get started?

WARNER: I started while still in school at Central Michigan. I studied the technical aspects there, but the style is totally original. The first Art Fair at which I ever showed was in Midland while in

school. I sold my senior exhibit there to make a car payment. We've been in business now about 11 years.

COURIER: When did you go into business seriously?

WARNER: Shortly afterwards we became enthused by money so Vicky, my mother-in-law, father-in-law and I built a gypsy wagon to tow behind a Mustang. We did a show at Harrisville but sold nothing from the wagon.

Instead of giving up, we drove to Charlevoix and went to the Mayor's office to get a peddler's license to sell our work. We were turned down but they suggested we come back and show at the Art Fair. We did that for several years before moving here, and still do.

COURIER: Was coming up for the Art Fair what caused you to move here?

WARNER: That was when we first became enthused about the area.

COURIER: What did you do after you finished school?

WARNER: I taught art in the Fremont Junior High School, and loved it. We also started a business in our kitchen. The Potter's wheel was in the dining room and we worked on counter tops.

COURIER: Then what?

WARNER: Then we became involved in more shows and galleries. Our first experience was the Middle Earth Gallery in Green Town in Detroit. An off-shoot was

the Lafayette Park show in Detroit.

COURIER: And next?

WARNER: We moved to Midland, where I taught art in the Senior and Junior High Schools and started to work on my Master's degree, which I never got. We set up our business in the basement of our house. It was a terrible house and the basement flooded all the time. We had to put boards down to keep from walking in water. We worked ungodly hours and finally went to part time teaching and part time working. Eventually we quit teaching and started selling our work through shows and galleries. We found that if we made one good contact, others followed.

People appreciated the lightness of our work.

COURIER: You (Todd) did the sculpturing. What did Vicky do?

WARNER: She did the glazing, pricing, packing, and book work. I don't know how she did it with a child to take care of, too.

COURIER: How many children do you have now?

WARNER: Two. Jay is seven and Jeff is four. We had one child and were expecting our second when we quit teaching. Everybody thought it was a foolish thing to do before Jay started school. We believe in smaller schools.

COURIER: What was your impression of Charlevoix when you first moved here?

WARNER: People were great. The bankers, real estate people, and others were receptive to our way of life and business. Up here, the arts are becoming an important part of the economy.

Artists are drawn to the area because they appreciate the aesthetics of the area—it is a beautiful place to live. Right now we're making an effort with the Brumms, Staffels, and Bolts to promote artists in the area, to make people



TODD AND VICKY Warner outside their home.

aware of the type of talent we have. We are proud of it and believe it behooves everyone to help us in this promotion.

COURIER: Do you produce any type of artwork other than stoneware sculpture?

WARNER: We make wooden toys, including an adult rocking horse, and are designing three-dimensional items for Hallmark for gifts.

COURIER: Do you sell only through art shows and galleries?

WARNER: Yes, we pick up orders that way. We have customers from Provincetown, Massachusetts to Key Largo, Florida. And we do have a small retail shop in Bay Shore, which is open only on weekends. It's called the Tree Toad and we opened it this summer.

COURIER: How many

employees do you have?

WARNER: It fluctuates from three to six, depending on the season. They do the glazing, wrapping, packing, and shipping, and paint the toys. The toys are manufactured by Rick Wiles and finished at the Tree Toad by the staff.

COURIER: We see and hear several animals around here. How many pets do you have?

WARNER: Three cats, one cockatoo, two parrots, two doves, one dog, three hermit crabs, six goldfish, and maybe some other things lurking around.

COURIER: Where did you grow up?

WARNER: I grew up in Farwell and Vicky in Lincoln Park. She moved to Farwell when she was 16 and we started dating then.

Commissioners plan to expand civil defense office

The Charlevoix County Office of Civil Defense may soon become a full time operation.

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners approved a motion making Alice Tunison the full time civil defense director beginning January 1 during its recent meeting.

Keith Amear, chairman of the committee, explained that an increasing burden has been put on the civil defense office because of the acquisition of property. Amear said also that shelter, food and water supplies and radiation

detectors are not checked as regularly as they should be because the civil defense office only operates on a part time basis.

Mrs. Tunison has been working part time in the civil defense office and part time as a secretary in the prosecuting attorney's office.

The civil defense office is funded jointly by the federal government and the county government. The federal government picks up all of the office expenses and half of the director's salary while the county picks up the rest of the expense.

County orders insurance survey

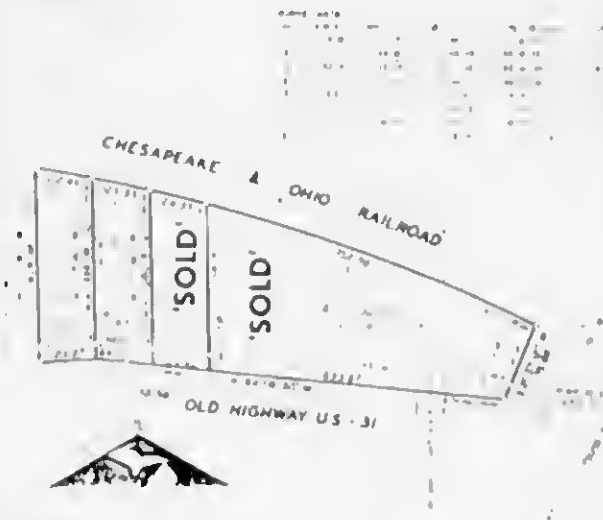
A survey of insurance needs for Charlevoix County will soon get underway.

The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners recently approved the hiring of an insurance consultant from Lansing to survey the county's current insurance policies and to recommend

any changes that should be made.

The commissioners are considering combining the Charlevoix County Road Commission and Grandview Medical Care Facility Insurances with the total county package.

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New playground completed on middle school grounds

The weather may have been damp and dreary during the last month, but that hasn't bothered students at the Charlevoix Middle School.

Students have been able to play outside almost every day thanks to the new playground that has been developed on the middle school grounds.

Construction of the new playground including a track, basketball court and ball diamond, was recently completed and even the grass seed has begun to take.

The project, designed by Manson, Jackson and Kane, Inc., and constructed by D & L Contracting, Inc., cost \$35,880 approximately \$10,000 less than the Charlevoix Board of Education had estimated it would cost.

"The board had approved \$45,000 for the project because of anticipated problems with drainage and tree removal," Superintendent Gordon Van Wieren explained. "But through cooperation with the City of Charlevoix in the tree removal and because the drainage was not the problem we thought it would be, the project cost less than that."

Funds for the development of the new playground came from the levy of a special one mill approved by the voters for five years for the maintenance and updating of the middle school.

Some school district voters have questioned how the development of a new playground can be classified as maintenance or updating, Max Novak, school board president, said the development of the new playground fits into a five-year scheme for improving the middle school.

"One of our biggest problems at the middle school was with the service entrance," Novak explained. "We had trucks driving right over the center of the playground to deliver things."

Novak said the school was also forced by building and health codes to correct a drainage problem from the school grounds to the property of surrounding neighbors.

"We decided to fix these things up properly as long as the taxpayers have decided that they want to maintain and operate the building for several more years," Novak said.

The school board president said the new playground eliminates many of the grounds problems at the middle school.

He also pointed out that the five-year plan, which included the playground construction had been discussed extensively at school board meetings.

"The board would be glad to have anyone that is interested attend board meetings and ask questions about the plan for the middle school," Novak said. "We're going to spend this money prudently."



New playground

STUDENTS AT THE Charlevoix Middle School are enjoying their new playground which includes a new track and ball diamond as well as a resurfaced basketball court.

It's official, enrollment down by 79 students

The official Fourth Friday count for the Charlevoix School District showed the enrollment had dropped by 79 students for the 1977-78 school year. Enrollment had increased by 35 students during the 1976-77 school year.

The biggest drop in enrollment came at the Charlevoix Middle School where the total enrollment for the present school year is 412 students or 38 less students than last year.

The Charlevoix Elementary School was right behind the middle school with a drop in enrollment of 35 students for a total of 661 students this year. The Charlevoix High School had a decrease of six students for a total of 440 students, according to the official count.

The Fourth Friday Count is important to school districts because it determines the amount of state aid the schools will be getting. Membership state aid is divided among the school districts according to a formula which includes enrollment as one of its factors.

The drop in enrollment does not mean a loss of funds for the Charlevoix School District, Superintendent Gordon Van Wieren said. The school district's total property valuation is too high to qualify the district for membership state aid funds.

Van Wieren said if the school district had 120 more students it could qualify for membership state aid funds under the formula, but the school district would only receive a very small amount of money.

The superintendent said he does not anticipate any more drops in school enrollment in the Charlevoix School District. Van Wieren said a study of birth rates in the school district showed that they were remaining pretty much the same.

In 1976, there were 99 new babies born in the school district while 116 were born in 1975 and 99 were born in 1974. The birth rate in the county has also remained pretty much the same with 288 births taking place in 1976, 307 in 1975 and 267 in 1974.

Van Wieren said the 79 student decrease in total enrollment also did not mean the school district would have to lay off teachers.

Charlevoix Schools Fourth Friday Count

Grade	1977 count	1976 count
Kindergarten	104	106
first	96	113
second	105	129
third	127	104
fourth	107	122
fifth	122	122
sixth	661	696
seventh	120	126
eighth	136	157
ninth	156	167
tenth	412	450
total	160	181
total	156	176
total	170	163
total	154	146
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National PBB conference slated at MSU on Oct. 24

Scientists from throughout the United States will gather at Michigan State University's Kellogg Center for Continuing Education, Oct. 24-25, to present their findings on the effects of polychlorinated biphenyls (PBB) on man, animals, and the environment.

The two-day session is intended as an exchange of highly technical information between scientists, relates Dr. Lee R. Shull and Dr. Steven D. Aust, MSU scientists and conference coordinators.

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Chamber color cruises successful, expect even better color this week

The first two color tour cruises of the year, sponsored by the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, got off to a good start.

More than 192 people participated in the first cruise Saturday while 65 attended the second cruise on Sunday.

"Sunday's cruise was a new Tel It To The HOTLINE!! 547-6559 after 6 P.M. selected opinions are published each week."

cruise so I thought we had a pretty good turnout," Jackie Merta, executive director of the chamber, said.

Mrs. Merta said the two cruises seemed very suc-

cessful and she is looking forward to two more cruises this weekend.

"I think the color will be good this coming weekend, too," she said.

Magazine names Charlevoix top spot

Yet another magazine has named Charlevoix as a top travel and vacation destination in the state.

The October Motor News magazine, a publication of the Automobile Club of Michigan (A.A.C.), describes Charlevoix's magnificent old

homes, quaint stores, rolling hills and breathtaking display of fall color in an article entitled, "Charlevoix, the Beautiful."

"There is a multitude of things to see and do around the city dubbed 'the place where

the cruises will leave the Beaver Island Boat Dock in Charlevoix at 1 p.m. for an approximately three hour cruise along the south arm of Lake Charlevoix. Since the

boat has a protected cover, it will sail rain or shine.

Tickets are on sale at the Chamber of Commerce office at \$6 for adults and \$3 for children.

the four seasons vacation," the article said listing the fine fishing, skiing at nearby resorts, the annual Venetian Night festival and the fall color cruises.

The article, by Bill Carroll also talks about fudgies and

"Fudgie is an endearing term used by the townies to describe tourists," the article explains. "A fudgie usually can be recognized by his white pants, and shoes and the small box of Mordick's fudge tucked under his arm."

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Richard Pajtas named new co. administrator

A local attorney has been appointed as public administrator for Charlevoix County.

Richard M. Pajtas, who has offices at 301 Michigan Ave., was appointed to the position by Irvine B. Feldman, state public administrator, on the recommendation of Frank J. Kelley, attorney general.

As county public administrator, Pajtas will handle the estates of people in this county who die leaving no known heirs or who have heirs residing in foreign countries as well as estates of people who have disappeared or who have been missing for a period of seven years and have left property.

Former resident celebrates 90th

Charles Emrey, former resident now living in Glendale, Calif., will observe his 90th birthday on Oct. 12. For friends who want to remember him on this memorable occasion his address is 1314 North Central Ave., Glendale, 91207.

A native of Charlevoix, Emrey served as county treasurer at one time and later operated a clothing store here.



Sen. Bob Davis

Sen. Davis discusses welfare with social agencies representatives

Welfare reform was the topic of discussion when Sen. Bob Davis, R-Gaylord, addressed the Council of Social Agencies last week.

Sen. Davis, a long-time advocate of welfare reform, discussed the provisions of President Jimmy Carter's proposed welfare program with representatives from county departments of social services, the mental health clinic, alcoholism recovery centers, planned parenthood, Hergmann Center and many other agencies.

"I think President Carter's proposal is one of the best that I have seen at the federal level," Davis said. "I like the principles and the philosophy of the proposals."

Davis said that he and many other state legislators firmly believed that if there was going to be any type of effective welfare reform, the first steps would have to be taken at the national level. The state senator said that he believed that the President's proposed program was a step in the right direction.

Under Carter's proposed welfare reform program, people who can work will be working and will be able to find jobs—either subsidized jobs which the government provides or jobs in the private sector.

"These jobs are meaningful jobs, too," Davis pointed out. "They are not the WPA type jobs that you think of when you think of these programs."

The jobs in the proposed program include the areas of public safety, recreational facility, child care recycling.

Carter's proposed new program would also cut the disparity between states and the amount of benefits each state's welfare residents would be receiving. This was done to cut down on welfare recipients moving from state to state for the highest benefits.

Following his discussion of the welfare reform bill, Sen. Davis fielded questions from the audience including several pertaining to sex education.

A bill will soon be before the state senate which seeks to allow contraceptive education in the schools. Sen. Davis said he was not familiar with the bill and could not take a stand on it.

However, he did say he would support such a bill if the class was not mandatory and if it was left up to the local school board and a parent's committee to decide what materials should be used in teaching the course.

"I think the philosophy of intent of such a bill is good," Davis said.

Social services department starting new rental program

A new rental supplement program aimed at lower income families and individuals not presently eligible for supplements is being started through the Department of Social Services.

Funded under the federal department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and administered by Social Services for the Michigan State Housing Development Authority, the program will help those living on Social Security or small pensions as well as low income working people.

People need not be clients of Social Services to be eligible for the program. Eligibility is based solely on income and size of family. Those whose income is 80 percent of the median income for the county pay no more than 25 percent of their income for rent, and those whose income is 50 percent or less of the median income for the county pay no more than 15 percent of their income for rent.

Social Services has set up a formula by which the fair market rent is determined in each county and any rental unit for which they pay a supplement must meet conditions of the formula.

Presently it is planned that 30 percent of the rental supplements go to elderly persons, 30 percent to those with a very low income, and 40 percent to those with an income no more than 80 percent of the county median.

People who feel they might qualify for these supplements may obtain a preliminary application form at the offices of the Charlevoix Social Services Department. When it is filled in and returned to the Department and if the applicant is determined to meet necessary qualifications, an appointment will be set up with a representative of Social Services.

After eligibility is determined, the applicant will be given a certificate of family participation, which he can use in locating housing or use in his present housing. It is up to him to find his own place.

Rent supplements are paid by 12-month periods. The renter must sign a 12-month lease, and the landlord and the State will sign a 12-month contract. At the end of a year, the renter will be contacted to determine his continuing eligibility.

People with housing units to rent may also obtain forms from Social Security on which to indicate unit availability, and complete information about the program.

Charlevoix residents receive checks

What proportion of the income that Charlevoix County residents receive each year comes from Government sources? How many in the area are getting so-called "transfer payments?"

These are defined as payments made to persons who are not working for them at the time they receive them. The recipients are, for the most part, people who are retired or are disabled or are unemployed.

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New new county planner looking forward to job

By PEG OHLE

John Hess, new Charlevoix County Planner, assumed his duties this week and will attend his first Planning Commission meeting Thursday evening.

Hess comes to Charlevoix from Marquette County, where he has served as Assistant Planner for two and a half years. His duties at Marquette have included such facets of planning as land use, recreation, housing analysis, population projections, and building codes. He has also assisted county officials in setting up new departments, and with personnel and budget problems.

Unlike Charlevoix, Marquette has county-wide zoning. However, Hess plans on attending at least one meeting of all the township and city commissions in the county to become acquainted with officials and their planning situations.

Asked about the similarity and differences between Marquette and Charlevoix counties, Hess pointed out that Marquette is much larger (the largest county east of the Mississippi). Also, unlike Charlevoix, Marquette has a larger mining industry. Both are fast growing counties and both are tourist counties, although Marquette has the edge over Charlevoix in population growth — it is the



John Hess

fastest growing county in Michigan. On the other hand, Charlevoix is more of a tourist county than Marquette.

Prior to taking his job with Marquette County, Hess was a lab instructor in cartography at Northern Michigan University, from which he received his bachelor's and master's degrees. He also served six years in the Navy, where he worked with nuclear plants on submarines.

Hess grew up in Harbor Springs but graduated from Saginaw High School when his father was transferred there. His grandparents, Frank and Laura Hess, still live in Harbor Springs, as does an uncle, Wayne Perry.

Hess says he is happy to return to Northern Lower Michigan, especially to Charlevoix, where everyone he has met has been so friendly and cooperative. Hess, his wife Phyllis, two sons, John, two, and Erik six months old; and their niece, Patty Hoffeling, a ninth grade student, live on 414 Meach Street.

Area fuel oil distributors expect adequate winter supplies

Fuel oil distributors in the area expect to have adequate supplies to get through next winter. However, most of them can't guarantee that the price won't go up.

"We're sure we won't have trouble getting fuel. We've had no bad news from the supplier. But we can't guarantee price," says Clara Martin of the Charlevoix Oil Company.

Betty McKenzie of Total Petroleum, Inc. has much the same story, but she's more optimistic about price: "As far as we know, we will have plenty of fuel oil this winter. The price has held its own during the spring and summer and is steady to far," she says.

Jack Radt of the Ptokeay Oil Company sees a possible delivery problem: "We see no problem whatsoever with either gasoline or fuel oil. The pipelines are full and the tanks are full. The only problem might be if they have to go to double-bottom transports. They carry only 9,000 gallons instead of the 1,000 gallons we get now. As a price, nobody really knows. I'm not really concerned."

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Three women attend 4-H conference

Three Charlevoix County 4-H leaders recently attended a human ecology training session held in Gaylord.

Lucy Stolt, Nancy Brooks and Claudia Grutsch participated in the session which featured new training materials developed over the past several months by the campus based specialists of the Michigan State University Cooperative Extension Service.

The three women shared exercises with the program staff which can be used to teach 4-H members skills in personal appearance, foods and nutrition, management, family and child, health and African heritage as well as many other topics associated with human ecology.

The leaders were selected by the county 4-H youth agent Bob Bellairs to attend the seminar with other key leaders from neighboring counties. In the next few months, the women will be sharing their new skills and information with other leaders in the county.

State crafts council sets convention for Oct. 14-16

An internationally renowned architect will be the keynote speaker at Interaction '77, the biennial conference of the Michigan Crafts Council, Oct. 14-16 at Sugar Loaf Village.

Paolo Soleri, architect better known among crafts lovers for his cast bronze bells, will address all craftspeople and interested people attending the conference. Soleri is director of the Cosanti Foundation, a group experimenting with urban reorganization of complexes called archeologies which combine architecture and ecology to improve the physical, psychological and aesthetic qualities of life.

The purpose of the conference is to provide discussion and demonstration of various crafts media, to give information about galleries, grants, health hazards, to see current works by Michigan craftspeople, to exchange ideas and to expand knowledge through various speakers.

People wishing to exhibit should contact Ruby Glick, 30435 West Ten Mile, Farmington, Mich. 48024. For more information about conference costs contact Gawnine or Jane Dart, 41855 North Drive Canton, Mich. 48188.

Dave Goodeman receives sheriff's citizen award

David Glen Goodeman of Charlevoix is the latest recipient of the Citizen's Award from the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department, this year.

In July of this year, Goodeman was instrumental in this department apprehending a subject from Wayne County that had two valid warrants for his arrest.

"Without his quick thinking and Mr. Goodeman reporting this suspicious acting person to the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department, this fugitive would have escaped the attention of the authorities."

Goodeman is employed as manager of Muma's Service Station No. 2.



Dave Goodeman

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J. Ferguson certified as surveyor

John E. Ferguson of Charlevoix received a certificate of registration from the Michigan Board of Registration for Land Surveyors September 24 at a dinner meeting in Lansing.

Ferguson, who is self-employed, was one of several newly registered land surveyors receiving a certificate.

Jeanne Belfy gets degree at Ball State

Jeanne M. Belfy of Charlevoix received a master of music degree from Ball State University at the school's summer commencement exercises. She was one of 1,227 students receiving graduate, bachelor's, and associate degrees.

Two Students get degrees from CMU

Two students from Charlevoix were among 2,876 to be awarded degrees from Central Michigan University at the end of the winter session in May.

Ronald G. Bindi received a bachelor of science degree in education with a major in social science, and Linda Ruth Kaiser received a Bachelor of Science degree in business administration.

Bible college branch opens in East Jordan

A branch of Faith Tech Bible Campus and Training Center will open Oct. 1 in East Jordan.

Jerry Kammerer, a graduate of Faith Tech which is located in Scottville, will direct the new branch which is one of four being opened in central and northern Michigan.

Kammerer will coordinate a series of evening classes of the basic campus course "God's Faith." The course is a complete study of the realm of faith as unfolded in the Bible. Students 18 years and older may take the course. Materials required for the course are a King James version of the Bible and a Strong's Concordance.

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Kathy Jodway marries Steven Edgerton here

Kathy J. Jodway and Steven L. Edgerton were joined in marriage during recent ceremonies at the Charlevoix United Methodist Church.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Jodway of Boyne City and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Edgerton of Kalamazoo.

Rev. John Gurney officiated at the ceremony in the presence of 200 guests. Arrangements of yellow and white gladioli graced the altar for the service.

Mrs. Brendan LaBlance played a program of traditional wedding music and sang "The Wedding Song," and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride chose a floor length gown of white jersey accented with pearls and lace for her wedding. She carried a bouquet of yellow carnations, white roses, daisies and baby's breath.

Margaret Savory of East Jordan was the maid of honor and Mrs. Dean Mikulski, sister of the bride and Mrs. Joey Skop were bridesmaids.

The attendants wore gowns of yellow crepe with sheer bodices accented with daisy trim. They carried bouquets of yellow carnations.

Steve Essling of Hastings was the best man, Craig Bocknek and Rob Dendel were groomsmen, Thomas Jodway, brother of the bride, Dean Mikulski, brother-in-law of the bride, Joey Skop and Gregg MacNaughton seated the guests.

A reception followed the wedding at the Charlevoix Yacht Club. Mrs. Everett Griggin, the bride's aunt, cut the cake, Debbie Edgerton, groom's sister, served the cake, Mrs. Lloyd Andrews and Mrs. Joseph Gregg, bride's aunts, served coffee and Susan Griffin, bride's cousin, served the punch. Laura Loose attended the bride's book.

Following a wedding trip to Missouri, the couple will make their home in Elgin, Ill.

The bride attended North Central Michigan College and is employed at Safety-Cleen in Elgin. The groom, a 1976 graduate of Ferris State College, is employed at the American Honda Motor Co. in Elgin.

The grooms parents hosted a rehearsal dinner at the Grey Gables Inn.



Mr. and Mrs. Steven Edgerton

COURIER Lifestyle

St. Marys to start new program of youth ministry

A new program in youth ministry will begin at St. Mary's Parish, Sister Lucy Ann Drzewicki, O.P., parish religious education coordinator, has announced.

The program will open with a special meeting on communications between adults and teens from 1 to 4 p.m. Oct. 16 in the school hall.

The afternoon program will emphasize the need of parents and youth to listen to each other. Teens will have an opportunity to voice their concerns and take an active role in the planning of parish programs for youth. Adults will be able to express to the students what they would like to see the students give to the parish community.

The session will also include a Sunday liturgy celebrated by Rev. Dale Mason. Father Mason will also preach the homily and take part in the program.

"High school youth are full members of the parish," Sister Lucy said. "We need the service they can offer in order to grow closer together as a community of believers in Jesus."

"We want to know what our youth want from us as a parish and we also want to invite them and challenge them to become fully active in the service of others both within and outside of our parish."

Crooked Tree photo contest set for middle of month

Amateur and professional photographers alike are invited to enter their favorite photographs in the fifth annual Crooked Tree Arts Council Photography Exhibition.

The exhibition divides entries into seven categories in both black and white and color.

Including a Youth Exhibition for students ages 15 and under. Awards will be given for Best of Category and Best in Show.

Entries will be accepted from Sept. 26 until Oct. 5. Entry forms and further information can be obtained by writing Crooked Tree Arts Council Photography Exhibition, North Central Michigan College, Petoskey, Mich., 49770.

The exhibition will be presented Oct. 9-15 at Stafford's Bay View Inn in Petoskey.

Women's club plans dinner, fashion show Oct. 18

The annual dinner and fashion show of the Charlevoix Women's Club will be held October 18 at the Weatherlane Inn.

Cocktails are scheduled for 5:30 and dinner at 6:30.

This year, nine area shops will show their fashions to club members and guests.

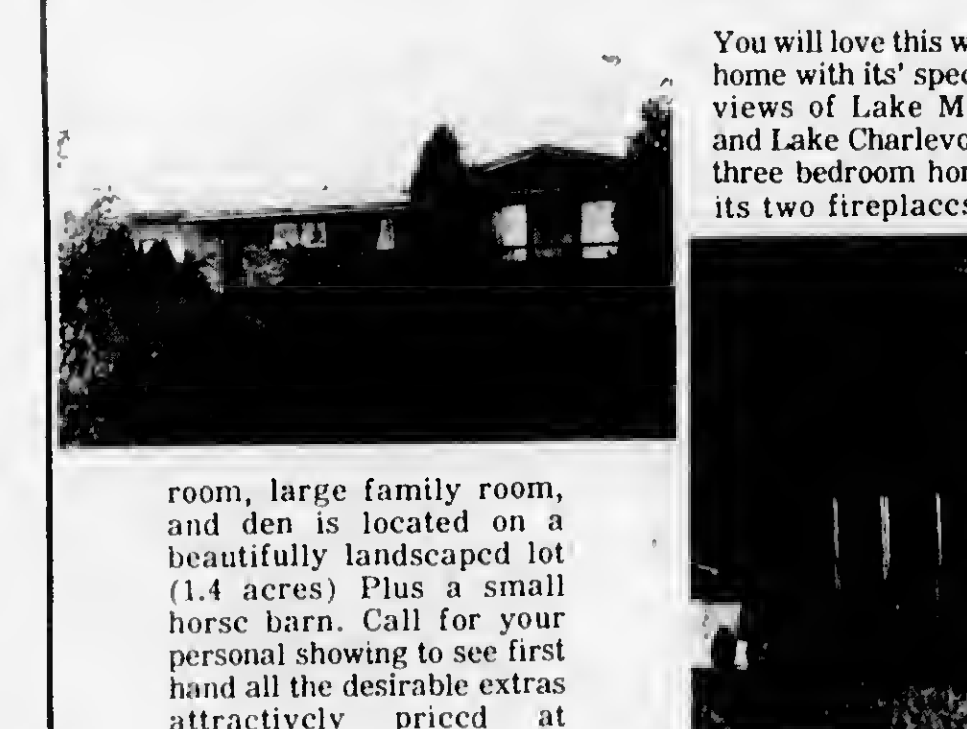
Linda Stroud Berglund, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Stroud, spent the summer in Rome and Athens, Greece. She also cruised the Mediterranean and Aegean seas.

Linda Stroud tours Italy

A former Charlevoix resident recently returned to her home following an extended visit to Rome, Italy.

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Mrs. Milliken to address Rebuttal group here

Mrs. William G. Milliken, first lady of Michigan, will be the honored guest at the Emmet County Republican Women's Club luncheon on Friday, October 7, at the new Birchwood Farms Country Club, north of Harbor Springs.

Mrs. Milliken will talk on her recent trip to Japan, and Harold Grant's will present a small fashion show.

All interested persons are invited to attend. Tickets may be obtained at Kilwin's in Petoskey.

Engaged

Mousseau-Niswander

Deborah Ann Mousseau and William M. Niswander, both of Charlevoix, are engaged to be married.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mrs. Edna DeMittell of Charlevoix and Martin Hauff of Saranac. Her fiancé is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Mel Niswander of East Jordan.

Miss Mousseau is a graduate of Charlevoix High School and the Petoskey Beauty Academy. She is employed by Helen's of Charlevoix. Niswander is a graduate of East Jordan High School and is employed by Glen's Market in East Jordan.

The wedding will take place next February 4.

PUBLIC HEARING

Charlevoix Township Zoning Board
October 27, 1977 7:30 P.M.

Township Hall Corner of Carpenter St. & Norwood Rd.

Charlevoix Township Zoning Board will hold a Public Hearing to consider the following amendments to the Zoning Ordinance:

1. Dwelling size for platted lot that does not meet minimum requirements in its respective zone district.
 2. R-3 (One and Two-Family and Mobile Home Park Zone) - Add to area Regulations Section 6.3(e) One detached accessory building etc.
 3. R-1 Single Family Residential Zone
R-2 Single Family Residential Zone
No Mobile Homes shall be allowed in R-1 & R-2 Residential Zones.
 4. Edwin P. Zeiler Application for Rezoning from A to R-3. Parcel # 15.04 027 022 00 Legal Description: Com. on N & S 1/4 line of Sec. 27 where said 1/4 line intersects S line of Upright Ave. thence S on said 1/4 line 255.025 ft. Thence W 178.425 ft. Thence S 244.1 ft. to N. line of Garfield Ave. if extended thence W 179.955 ft. to an iron pipe, N. 75.625 chains to S. line of a continuation of Upright Ave. E. 5.43 chains to POB part of Gov't lot 2 Sec. 27 T 34 N R 8 W A 4.10. This property fronts on Garfield and on Lake. Approximately 3 acres.
 5. Numerous minor amendments to the Charlevoix Township Ordinance deemed necessary for clarification.
 6. Other Zoning matters that may properly be brought up at this meeting.
- JoAnn Elzinga, Clerk

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A COMMITTEE OF STUDENTS from Mary Ann Chew's 1976 fourth grade class talk with Marian Kohn about the painting her husband completed. The students gave the painting to the school.

Elementary students donate art

A new piece of art work has been added to the ever growing collection at the Charlevoix Elementary School.

Painting by a former local artist, Dr. Harold E. Kohn, was unveiled during special ceremonies at the K-5 school last week.

The art work was a full color painting of an owl named "Sammy," selected by a committee made up of members of Mary Ann Chew's fourth grade language arts class from last year.

Each year, Mrs. Chew's class prints and sells a newspaper for all students in the school called "Chew's News." The money the students raise throughout the year is then used to buy something for the school, which is selected by a committee of students with Mrs. Chew's guidance.

In the past, the fourth grade students have given the school a Brumm sculpture, a Neff seagull and Ivor Menzies painting and a collection of Laura Ingalls Wilder books.

Attending the presentation ceremony was Marian Kohn, the widow of the artist, who tanked the children for selecting one of her husband's paintings. She also answered many questions about her

husband and his art work. "My husband would have been very happy to know that you picked one of his paintings for your library," Mrs. Kohn said.

Dr. Kohn died in May 1975 following a long illness. He had served as minister of the First Congregational Church and later as a counselor for the Hidden Foundation.

A talented writer and artist,

Kohn wrote and illustrated eight books. He also wrote numerous pieces which appeared in such magazines as "Quel" "Church and Home," "The Christian Herald," and "Readers Digest."

He also had small Christmas books published for several years.

Mrs. Kohn said her husband started painting when he was a young boy and especially

liked to paint and draw animals. She said her husband enjoyed Northern Michigan because he was able to enjoy the outdoors and see the animals that he liked to draw so well.

The members of the committee who selected the painting were: Dave Fortin, Deanna Loder, Stephanie Balch, Eric Green, Wendy Knight and Ann Wagner.



SPECIAL PRESENTATION CEREMONIES were held at the Charlevoix Elementary School last week as members of the 1976 fourth grade language arts class gave a painting to the school.

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SCOTT KELLY kicks during Punt, Pass, Kick competition.

Six winners selected for Punt, Pass, Kick

Six Charlevoix students will be travelling to Gaylord next week to participate in the zone competition for Punt, Pass and Kick.

The six young men were the first place winners in their age group in the local Punt, Pass and Kick competition held at Kipke Field Saturday. The annual event was sponsored by Erber Auto for the 17th year.

First place winners were: Douglas Bergmann, eight-year-olds; Jody Putman, nine-year-olds; Thad Morgan, 10-year-olds; Brent Cole, 11-year-olds; Todd Daylong, 12-year-olds and Scott Kelly, 13-year-olds.

Other winners in the local competition were: Mike

Thompson, second place nine-year-olds; Jim Gibbs, third place, nine-year-olds; Mike Roebuck, second place 10-year-olds; Doug Milligan, third place 10-year-olds; Sam Supernaw, second place 11-year-olds; Mark Hodgson, third place 11-year-olds; Chris Putman, second place 12-year-olds; Tom Egler, third place 12-year-olds; Jeff Trimmer, second place 13-year-olds; and Craig Klooster, third place 13-year-olds.

Several adults helped run the competition including: Sam Supernaw, Des Milligan, Sam Washburn, Peter Pace, John Haggard, Lina Putman and Harry Gibbs. Erber Auto thanks every one for their help and interest in the program.

Rayder golfers

surprise Petoskey

The Charlevoix Rayder golf team posted its first victory over the Petoskey Northmen Monday in a triangular meet held at the Bay View Country Club.

Mike Custer was the medalist with a score of 41 as the Rayders ended a 170 to 173 for Petoskey and 205 for Gaylord. Pat Paul had a score of 42; Steve Schuch, 43 and Bob Hanger, 44.

Tom Oelke, Dave Swarts-fisher and Mike Maker posted scores of 43 each and Dan Kollinske 44 for the Northmen. Al Hicks with a 47 had low score for Gaylord.

Golfers defeat Elk Rapids 169-190

The Charlevoix Rayders posted a score of 169 at Elk Rapids Tuesday to take the Elks who had a score 190. In a golf match played at A-Ga-Ming course at Elk Rapids.

Mike Custer with a score of 40 was medalist for the meet with Steve Schuch carding a 41; Pat Paul a 42, and Bob

Hanger a 46. Marty Merrill was Elk Rapids' top scorer with a card of 42. Chuck Stephan was next with a 45; Sam Shoemaker followed with a 47 and Jim Peterson had a 56.

Charlevoix will be at Cheboygan with Petoskey on Thursday.

Rayder golfers

drop one to Harbor

The Charlevoix Rayder golf team lost Friday by a slim margin to Harbor Springs in a triangular meet hosted by the Harms.

A one stroke margin gave the Harms the meet. Charlevoix came in second with a score of 184 and Gaylord posted a 187.

Dave Renker of Harbor was medalist for the meet with a 37 score. His team had a score of 163.

Pat Paul of the Rayders

came in with a 38 followed by Steve Schuch with a 41; Mike Custer with a 42 and Rony VanLoe with a 43 to give the team a 187 score.

Gaylord's best score, a 42, was posted by Don Branderbury.

Charlevoix will be at Cheboygan Thursday with Petoskey and will participate in the Michigan Huron Shores Conference meet on Monday, Oct. 10.

Harriers take

top spot in

triangular meet

The Charlevoix harriers took top honors Tuesday in a triangular meet held at Boyne City.

The Harriers had a score of 25 to 32 for St. Ignace and 21 to 40 for Boyne City. St. Ignace won over Boyne City by a score of 21 to 34.

Mark Russell came in first in the meet with a time of 16:28; Jeff Drenth was third with a time of 17:06; and John Fiedorek sixth with a time of 17:40.

Charlevoix will be at St. Ignace Tuesday with Petoskey and Gaylord.



WINNERS IN THE OLDER DIVISION OF Punt, Pass and Kick were: (front row, left to right) Brent Cole, Sam Supernaw, and Mark Hodgson. In the second row are: Todd Daylong, Chris Putman and Tom Egler. In the back row are Scott Kelly, Jeff Trimmer and Craig Klooster.



WINNERS IN THE PUNT, Pass, and Kick competition were: (front row left to right) Thad Morgan, Mike Roebuck and Doug Milligan. In the back are Douglass Bergmann, Jody Putman, Mike Thompson and Jim Gibbs.

Junior flag football league

opens season last week

The Junior League of the flag football program opened its season last week with the Steelers and the Dolphins.

The game on a 38 yard kick return before the Lions swung into gear with Mark Trimmer passing to Tony Towles for 15 yards to tie the score and Ken Carson putting the Lions ahead on a 15 yard run.

In the second half Thad Morgan scored twice, when he fell on the ball in the end following a blocked punt and again in the final period on a five yard run. Trimmer scored the conversion.

Lions 19 Dolphins 0

It was Thad Morgan again the following night who scored on runs of six and 20 yards and Doug Milligan on a 15 yard run that gave the Lions their

second win of the season. Mark Trimmer made it 19 with a conversion as the Lions swamped the Dolphins.

Chargers 18 Steelers 0

A 25 yard pass play that saw Brent Cole pitching to Dan Buday and a conversion by Cole put the Chargers on the scoreboard in their game with the Steelers.

A line plunge from one yard out by Mark Lignell who also scored the conversion put the Chargers ahead 14-0 before Mike Roebuck scored a safety late in the game.

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Vikings, Bucs tie while Patriots win in senior flag play

In the second night of play in the Senior League of the Flag Football program, the Vikings and the Buccaneers played to a 14-14 tie while the Patriots dumped the Raiders 19-0.

A third game between the Harms and the Cowboys will be played Tuesday at 8:30 p.m. The game was postponed because of the heavy rain.

Vikings 14 Bucs 14

In the Vikings-Bucs game, the Vikings jumped to a 14-0 lead before the Bucs fought back in the final period to tie the score.

Ross Carey had scored on runs of seven and four yards in the second quarter and n

safety in the third period to put the Vikings ahead 14-0.

However, in the final period the Bucs stormed back to score on runs of one and 21 yards by Mark Beaudoin who also scored the conversions to knot the score as time ran out.

Patriots 19 Raiders 0

Playing in a downpour, the Patriots did not get on the scoreboard until the third period when Jeff Trimmer scored on runs of 18 and 10 yards and Tim LaBlance on a 36 yard run. Curt Pulpfaff added the extra point on the conversion.

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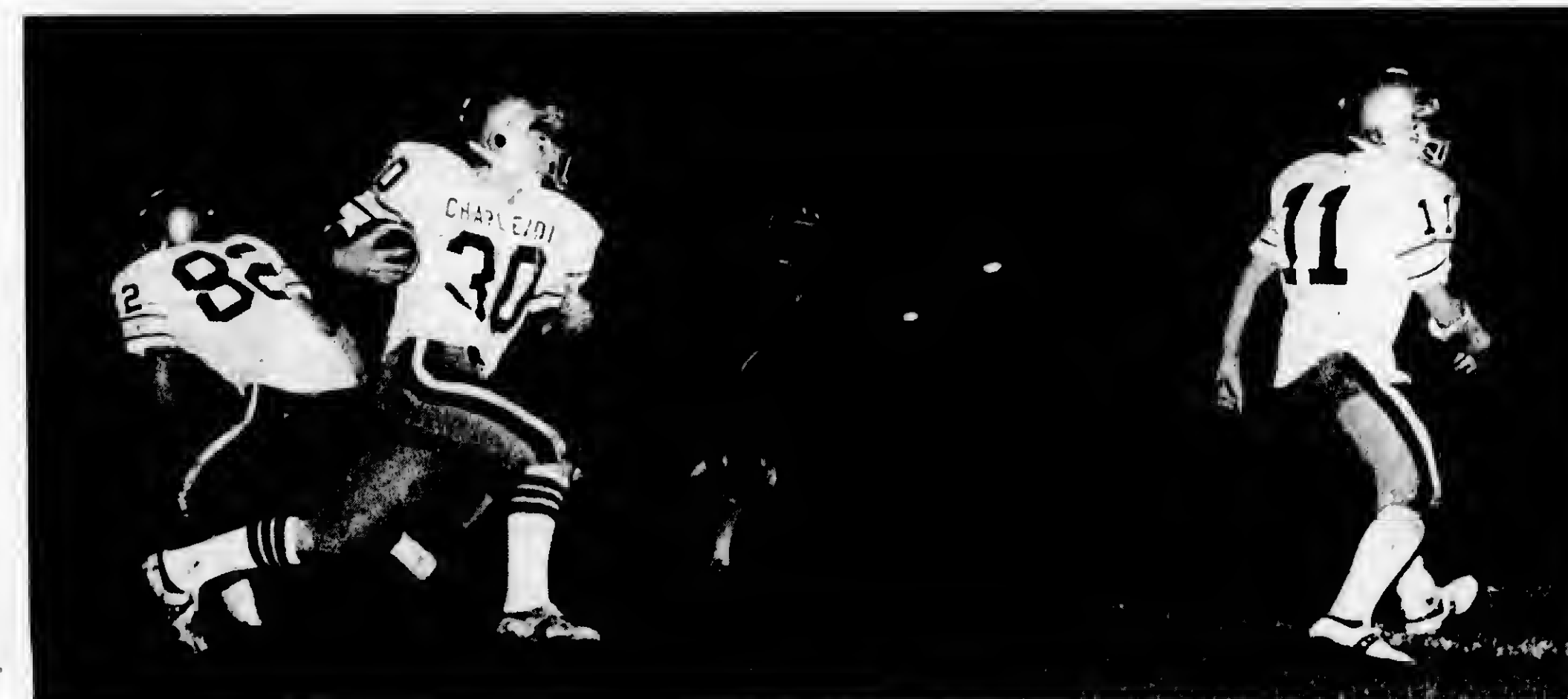


HELMETS WERE TOSSED high in the air Friday night by the Rayders as they came from behind to defeat Cheboygan 20-18.



KIP CINNAMON (70) makes the sign for number one as the Rayders sow up the game against Cheboygan 20-18.

Cheboygan scares Rayders



KEVIN KRATT (30) helped the Rayders get on the scoreboard twice during the hard fought battle with Cheboygan. Rayders won 20-18.



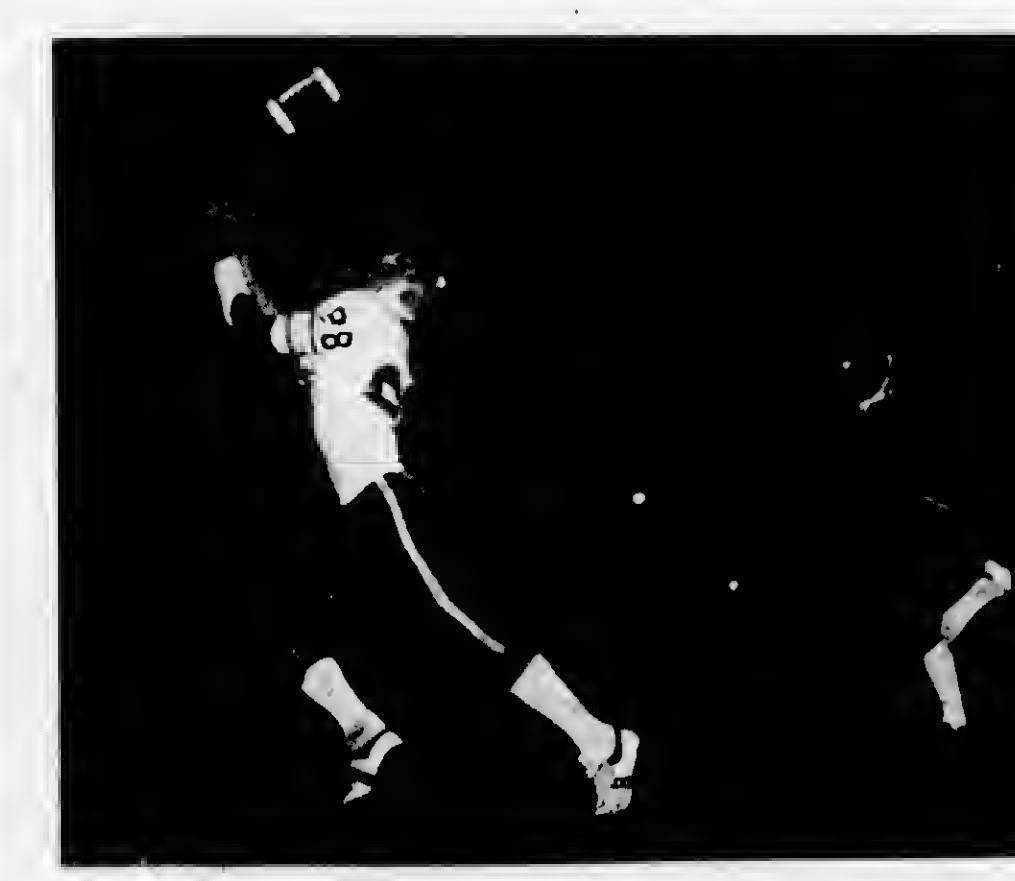
IT WAS GREG KRUEGER in on the tackle of this Chief's ball carrier during the Charlevoix-Cheboygan game Friday night. Charlevoix came from behind to win 20-18.



TOM EDDY (60) of Cheboygan is in hot pursuit of this Rayder ball carrier as the Charlevoix 11 attempt to put some offensive plays together during their tough match with Cheboygan.



DON LANGE (22) was an important factor in the Cheboygan Chief's offensive game Friday night. Here Neil Dziedzic (88) moves in for the tackle.



NEIL DZIEDZIC (88) stretches out for the pass as Cheboygan's Greg Williams (9) moves in on him. The pass was incomplete.

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Rayders come from behind to down Chiefs

By BILL MERCER
Fans from both high schools were treated to an exciting evening of football in Cheboygan this past Friday as the Charlevoix Rayder defense gave up a total of 202 yards and 14 first downs.

Cheboygan took the opening kickoff from their own 35-yard line and using a full-house backfield, moved for five first downs and a touchdown. Cheboygan Quarterback Rose carried for the last yard to score.

Greg Krueger blocked the point after kick and Charlevoix found itself trailing for the first time this season, 6-0.

Also for the first time this season, an opponent had successfully moved the ball on the ground against the big Rayder defensive line. Excellent blocking by the interior line of Cheboygan

opened big holes for Chief backfield men Don Lange, Jeff Lassalvie, Lenny Melberg and Louis Rose. The Rayder defense gave up a total of 202 yards and 14 first downs.

Fortunately for Charlevoix, the offensive line was able to find weak points in the Chief's defense. Quarterback Jim Alger directed the Rayders to a quick score following the kickoff. Using the running of Krueger, Kevin Kratt and Jim Elzinga, Charlevoix picked up one first down. Krueger then took a handoff 48 yards down the home sideline for the touchdown.

Girls Varsity loses close one to Rogers

It was a close game, but it still ended in defeat for the Charlevoix Rayders Girls Varsity Basketball Team.

The Rayders were handed their third defeat of the season by the Rogers City squad 48-42.

"The game was very close the first quarter," Coach Toni Felter said. "But we let them get away from us in the second quarter."

Coach Felter said bad passes and turnovers worked against the Rayders in their drive against the Rogers City team.

Charlevoix scored six points in the first quarter of Rogers City's nine. However, in the second quarter, the Rayders added only nine more points to the score while Rogers City pumped in 22.

The Rayders scored 27 points in the second half of the game as did Rogers City.

"We really looked good during the game," Coach Felter said. "We're starting to look like a ball team now."

"We shot a little more in the first half than we have in the past, but not as much as we should have."

Coach Felter said she substituted many players during the game and that each unit looked good together and played well together.

Sherri Selassen was top point maker for the team with 14 points. Kris Fiedler had 8 and Laurie Gibbs had 6.

The top scorer for Rogers City was Claus with 15 points and Bellmore with 14.

The Rayders travel to Grayling for the next game on Thursday.

Head Coach Don Carey and assistant Presnell obviously had a brief talk with the defense at the intermission and using their coaches' advice, the defense stopped the Chiefs rushing game on three straight plays. Going on fourth down, Cheboygan's

Guy Carter's point after kick was through the uprights and Charlevoix had a short lived lead, 7-6.

Cheboygan again opened wide holes for their running backs as they returned the kickoff. Crucial to their drive was an attempt at a first down on a count of fourth down and two at the Rayder 33-yard line.

Lange carried over left tackle for the important yardage, giving Cheboygan possession of the Charlevoix 29-yard line. Three plays later, Rose carried the final yard for the score.

With 7:06 remaining in the first half, Charlevoix again was behind.

Both offensive units were forced to punt on successive drives. Following this the teams exchanged interceptions. Lange grabbed a Rayder pass and on the first Cheboygan play, Elzinga returned the favor. The Chiefs stopped a Charlevoix drive as the half ended by picking off a second Alger pass.

Charlevoix was forced to punt on its first possession of the second half. The snap from center was low and Rayder punter Krueger dropped to his knee to retrieve the ball. This maneuver gave Cheboygan possession on Charlevoix's 12-yard line.

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recovery and another march down the field.

JV Coach Hal Evans said the Cheboygan team was well disciplined and played a steady game.

Evans singled out several Charlevoix players as contributing to the game. On offense Mark Drenth and Kurt Williams played well while Tom Mielke, Phil Morrison and Mark Price worked hard on defense.

The JV squad will face Grayling next at 6:30 p.m. Thursday at Kipke Field.

Girls JV loses first game to Rogers City 34-33

The Charlevoix Junior Varsity Football team dropped its second game of the season to the Cheboygan Chiefs last week.

The Rogers City JV squeaked by the Rayders 34-33.

Coach Henry Waxner said turnovers hurt the Rayder team the most. He also said bad passing contributed to the loss.

"We had more turnovers than we had points," Waxner said. "You expect 10 turnovers a game, but not 38."

"We just weren't playing our brand of ball."

Melinda Klooster was the high scorer for the Rayders in the game with 18 points and 12 rebounds.

The JV plays Grayling next Thursday on the Viking's home court.

Freshman team drops game to Cheboygan 14-8

Another defeat was handed to the Charlevoix Freshman Football team last week as the Rayders lost a close one to the Cheboygan Chiefs 14-8.

Cheboygan completed the first scoring at take of the game on a 42-yard run. The extra point attempt failed.

The Rayders came back to score on a 18-yard pass play from Jeff Daylong to Gerry Thompson. Dennis Morgridge ran for the two-point conversion leaving Charlevoix

ahead 8-6 in the first quarter. Cheboygan came back to score in the second quarter on a 30-yard pass play and the team completed the extra point leaving the score 14-8 at the half.

It was a scoreless second half as both teams fought hard defensively. Both teams had the opportunity to score, but they couldn't put scoring runs together.

Coach Chuck Bentley singled out Jeff Daylong, Dennis Morgridge and Dave Krueger as outstanding offensive players during the game. The coach said he couldn't single anyone out from the defensive team because all of the players did an excellent job. The coach said he is now being assisted by his duties by Ken Wojan, Sr. a former all state lineman for the Charlevoix Rayders.

The freshman team plays its next game Wednesday against Petokey at Kipke Field.

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Rayders come from behind to down Chiefs

The Charlevoix team stands at 4-0 on the season with their Michigan-Huron Shores League record 2-0. This puts them in a tie with Petokey for the conference lead. Next the Grayling team in a Friday afternoon, 4 p.m., game in Grayling.

Strong defensive play by Barry Potter, Pat Klooster, Erik Lundeligen, Erik Hoffman and Kip Cinnamon helped the Rayders to their victory.

Two first downs later, Cheboygan was again close to a score. With time running out, the ball was on the Charlevoix 16-yard line. The defense held for two plays and using their last time out, the Chiefs set up for a field goal attempt.

Darrin VanLee then saved the day, as he came in and blocked the kick. Charlevoix had to merely run out the clock to preserve their victory 20-18.

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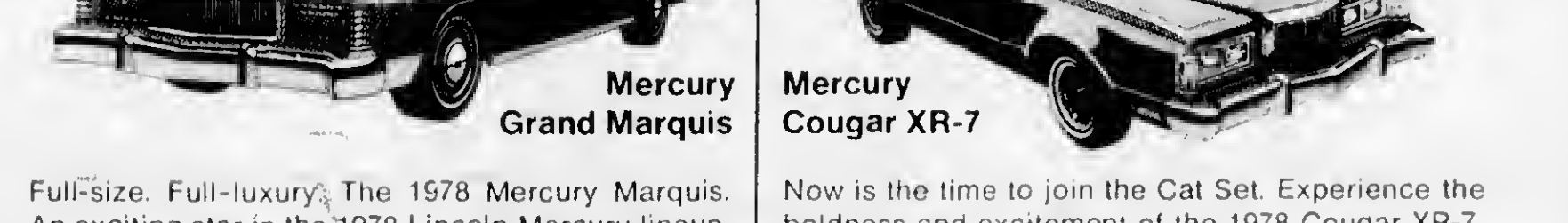
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Benjamin Beach promoted to rank of captain in Army

Benjamin (Sandy) Beach, Executive Officer at the U.S. Coast Guard Support Center at Kodiak, Alaska, was promoted to the rank of Captain recently.

A veteran of 28 years in the U.S. Coast Guard, Captain Beach is on his third assignment to Kodiak.

A native of Sharpsburg, Maryland, Capt. Beach calls Wilmington, Del. home. He enlisted in the Coast Guard following graduation from high school and for the next 10

years served as a TT (Telephone Technician) mostly on the east coast and in the Ninth Coast Guard District where he met and married the former Billie Douglas of Charlevoix.

When he reached the rate of TTI, he attended Officer's Candidate School, which at that time was at Groton, Conn., and received his first commission. After a tour of duty aboard the Cutter Ketchikan, he went on to Flight Training School at Pensacola, Fla., and received

his wings in 1968. His first duty station as a Coast Guard pilot was at Salem, Mass., where he served three years before going to Kodiak in 1961 for the first time. After an assignment at the Air Station at Traverse City, he returned to Kodiak for a second time in 1969, this time for a two year tour of duty.

Assigned as Chief of Personnel at the Ninth District Office in Cleveland, Beach was out of aviation and into a desk job in a position he held for three years. In the position as Support Center Executive Officer, Capt. Beach will serve as a liaison between Coast Guard personnel and their families and the Support Center Command.

Capt. and Mrs. Beach have two children, Sandy, 25, and Gary, 22, who reside in California.

Included in his studies were seamanship, close-order drill, Naval history and first aid.

A 1977 graduate of Charlevoix High School, he joined the Navy in June 1977.

Larry Rhine takes training in San Diego

Navy Seaman Recruit Lawrence L. Rhine, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Novotny of 408 W. Garfield, Charlevoix, Mich., has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, San Diego.

During the eight-week training cycle, he studied general military subjects designed to prepare him for

further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic occupational fields.

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John Pidek completes Navy training

Navy Seaman Apprentice John R. Pidek, son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Pidek Sr. of Old M-66, Box 69, Route 2, Charlevoix, Mich., has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill.

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Lucy Wiklanski finishes course on jet engine

Navy Airman Recruit Lucy J. Wiklanski, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wiklanski of P.O. Box 326, Bayshore, Mich., completed the Basic Aviation Machinist's Mate Jet Engine Course with honors.

During the five-week course at the Naval Air Technical Training Center, Millington, Tenn., students received introductory instruction on the characteristics and operating

principles of jet engines. Their studies included engine lubrication, ignition and fuel systems. Additionally, they studied the procedures for refueling and defueling aircraft; for removal and installation of aircraft engines and for the operation of aircraft ground handling equipment.

She joined the Navy in April 1977.

David Bowman completes recruit training in Florida

Navy Fireman David M. Bowman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy O. Bowman of 101 Anstie St., Charlevoix, Mich., has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Orlando, Fla.

During the eight-week training cycle, trainees studied general military subjects designed to prepare

them for further academic and on-the-job training in one of the Navy's 85 basic occupational fields.

Included in their studies were seamanship, close order drill, Naval history and first aid.

A 1977 graduate of Charlevoix High School, he joined the Navy in April 1977.

Dennis Peterson takes part in army exercises in Calif.

Army Private First Class Dennis L. Peterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon L. Peterson, 710 N. Maple St., East Jordan, Mich., recently participated in exercise Brave Shield XVI in Southern California and Nevada.

Some 25,000 Army, Air Force, Marine and Navy personnel took part in the exercise. Brave Shield was

designed to provide an opportunity for joint service training in tactics, techniques and procedures.

Pfc. Peterson, who is regularly assigned as a forward observer with the 8th Field Artillery at Ft. Ord, Calif., entered the Army in October 1976.

The private is a 1975 graduate of East Jordan High School.

David Bricker graduates

Airman David G. Bricker, son of Mrs. Norma G. Bricker of 706 Division St., East Jordan, Mich., has graduated at Lowry AFB, Colo., from the U.S. Air Force technical training course for weapons mechanics.

Airman Bricker, who was trained to load and inspect weapons used in Air Force aircraft, is being assigned to

Davis-Monthan AFB, Ariz., for duty with a unit of the Tactical Air Command. Completion of the course earned the individual credits towards an associate in applied science degree through the Community College of the Air Force.

The airman is a 1974 graduate of East Jordan High School.



EDNA MILLER, (fourth from left) and her son-in-law and daughter LCDR Sidney and Vicki Emery pose with Secretary of the Navy W. Graham Claytor (middle) and Emery's brother and wife CDR George and Patricia Emery. The two brothers were simultaneously promoted during recent ceremonies.

Edna Miller attends Navy promotion rites

A Charlevoix resident recently attended U.S. Navy promotion ceremonies at the Pentagon in Washington D.C.

Edna Miller of 114 Upright St., was in Washington to attend the promotion ceremonies of her son-in-law LCDR Sidney Emery and his brother CDR George Emery. The ceremonies were held in the office of the Secretary of the Navy W. Graham Claytor.

LCDR Emery is married to Mrs. Miller's daughter Vicki. Emery is currently serving as a special assistant to the Secretary of the Navy. He is a surface warfare officer having

served aboard the gunboat Gallup in Vietnam and the guided missile cruiser Haney. He was graduated first in his class at the U.S. Naval Academy in Annapolis. In 1973 he earned his Ph. D. in Industrial Engineering from Stanford University.

His brother is also assigned to Washington D.C. area as the officer assignment coordinator for Admiral H. G. Rickover, director of naval reactors. He was also a honor graduate of the U.S. Naval Academy. The brothers are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Emery of Springvale, Me.

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County board considers 10 percent hike

The 1978 proposed budget for Charlevoix County amounts to \$1,841,423. A public hearing on the budget is scheduled for today (Tuesday) at 2:30 p.m. in the Commissioner's Room of the County Building Annex.

Due to change in the system of accounting, it is not possible to compare each department's figures with those of last year. However, the General Fund

Council sets Dec. 12 for charter vote

A second election on a proposed new charter for Charlevoix will be held on Dec. 12.

In making the request for the special election, John Michael, charter commission member, pointed out city residents are allowed three votes on a proposed new charter. Michael indicated that if the second election were to be held at a later date than Dec. 12, there would not be enough time for the commission to reevaluate the charter and hold a third election if it were necessary.

Charlevoix Common Council approved a request from the Charlevoix Charter Commission for the special election at a special meeting Monday night by a 3-1 vote. Ivan Whitley opposed the action with Sue Erber and George Plumm absent.

Ann Landers to visit

Nationally known advice columnist Ann Landers will be in Charlevoix next month for a special fundraiser and public lecture.

The Charles "Chip" Ransom Counseling Center Board of Directors has invited Miss Landers to visit Charlevoix Nov. 3 as part of a kickoff campaign to raise funds for an additional counselor at the center to assist

Oren Schroeder. A dinner and reception for Miss Landers will be held at the Grey Gables Inn followed by an 8:30 p.m. Public lecture at the Charlevoix High School gymnasium. Gus Franczek, board member, said.

Golfers take conference

The Charlevoix Bayder golf team captured its first Michigan Huron Shores Conference golf title in the league, finished second with a 345 followed by St. Ignace with a 364; Cheboygan with 371 and Boyne City with 426. Gaylord was disqualified.

The Bayder team, coached by Barry Anderson, covered the course with a

low of 336. The Pottery Northmen, who have dominated the golf scene in the league, finished second with a 345 followed by St. Ignace with a 364; Cheboygan with 371 and Boyne City with 426. Gaylord was disqualified.

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Need Saturday Matinee I just wonder why the Charlevoix theater does not have a Saturday matinee with movies for children. A lot of people that I know would love to have their children be able to go to the movies on the weekends, but there is no place for them to go here in Charlevoix.

Opinion on Library, Skating Rink I think it's a shame that the library parking lot is always filled with cars. If you have a book to drop off and wanted to go in, every parking spot is filled. They seem to be there from 9:00 a.m. in the morning before the library is open to 6:00 p.m. In the evening and you still can't find a parking place. These cars should be ticketed or find out who is using the parking lot all day when there is a 2-hour limit parking for library business only. I would also like to state my opinion about putting the skating rink next to the skating area. I think that they should move it back down to the Middle School or somewhere where more children can use it that have to walk to the ice rink. When they moved it to Ferry Beach, they lost half the ice skaters. When they moved it to the high school parking lot, they gained some back, but I think that the majority of the children that are ice skaters are not people that will use the ski area. There is little parking there and what there is, is so bumpy the skaters can hardly park. If they really want to do something for the children, I think they should put it in the valley, or maybe in the park at Michigan Beach, not at Ferry Beach, where the amount of young children that go ice skating are so few.

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Here is how the budget looks.				
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HEALTH:	136,360		136,360	7.41
WELFARE:	195,954	33,070	229,024	12.44
LIBRARIES:	3,050		3,050	.17
RECREATION:	17,925	1,200	19,125	1.04
OTHERS:	250,509	28,580	279,089	15.18
GRAND TOTAL:	1,656,298	185,125	1,841,423	100.00

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Fall fishing better than ever and that's no fish story

When fishermen get the bug to get out the rod and reel, they really get the bug. And all it takes for Charlevoix area fishermen to get that bug is the word that the fish are running. Last week, the pier along the Pine River channel was carpeted with hopeful anglers in search of their limit. And not too many of them were disappointed.

"I've been here 15 minutes and I've caught three fish," George Ebenhoeh, a businessman dressed in fisherman's clothing said pointing at a pile of good sized fish on the pier.

"This is the best year we've ever had. Last year the fish were much smaller and there were fewer of them."

Ebenhoeh got in his fishing during the hour before he was due to open his office as Charlevoix County Friend of the Court at 9 a.m. He came to the pier dressed in his fishing clothes with his business clothes underneath.

Along with Ebenhoeh on the pier was Richard Chasc, a Plymouth

chiropractor. "I've been coming here for years," he said. "It's the best fishing spot in the country."

And Myrl Keller, biologist in charge of the Charlevoix Fisheries Station for the Department of Natural Resources, agreed.

"It's been the best year by far for Charlevoix," Keller said. "The fishery has been building for the last three years and this is the best year yet."

Keller said he has heard fishermen say they've caught their 42nd fish of the year off the pier already, which is unusual this early in the season. According to Keller, that's one good thing that can be attributed to the almost constant rainfall the area has been experiencing.

"The run has started much earlier than normal this year," he said. "I suspect the rains have had a lot to do with it."

"There's been so much water flow from the rains and the heavy winds that

we've had that it has attracted the fish earlier this year."

In addition to Chinook, fishermen are also hooking lake trout, Steelhead and Brown trout from the pier now, Keller said. The fishing will be good from now until Dec. 1 with the peak coming around deer hunting season.

"There's a tremendous amount of fish taken off the pier," Keller said. "We've counted between 60 and 100 Lake trout taken during the day time and who knows how many at night."

"It makes me feel good because for people who can't afford a large boat or the price of a charter, the pier is a chance for recreation and some good fish to boot."

Keller pointed out that many of the fishermen taking advantage of the run along the pier are retirees.

"It's just a wonderful thing," he said. "We see people coming down here with their waders and their crutches to fish. We're kind of tickled about it."



GEORGE EBENHOEH, a businessman in fisherman's clothing, shows off the three fish he caught in less than 15 minutes.

Homecoming festivities underway this week

By LAURA GLASS. Next to graduation, Homecoming is the most exciting time of the year for high school students.

Charlevoix High School is getting into the homecoming spirit this week in preparation for the big game Friday. Construction of the floats has already begun. The theme set for the floats this year is "Movies" and so far the ideas are great.

The freshmen have chosen the movie, "Pink Panther Strikes Again," for their float and will be calling it "The Itayders Strike Again." The sophomores chose the movie "Star Wars," and plan to call it "The Force is with Us."

Junior class students voted for the movie "King Kong," for their float and will be using the slogan, "The Itayders are King Strong," and the senior class voted for the movie, "Gone With the Wind," and their slogan will be "Hurons are Gone With the Wind."

Yes, if there is something that gets school spirit fired up, it's making floats, attending pep rallies and—the sound of the band playing. Early in the morning and even at night this week, the Charlevoix Bayder Marching Band will be heard practicing for the half time show. Jancen Boal, a member of the flag corps, said: "The practices are hard and sometimes a pain, but we always feel great during the show."

Another important part of Homecoming is the Queen and her court.

Mary Faculak, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tony Faculak, is a 17-year-old senior who is very interested in horse racing. In fact, she recently won the

Northwestern Championship in barrel racing. Besides this award, Mary was named in the Who's Who in American High School Students and she is co-editor of the Bayder Yearbook, senior class secretary, a member of the Spanish Club and secretary of the Homecoming Committee.

In the future, Mary hopes to attend Michigan State University and become a veterinarian.

Another member of the court, Terri Bradley, is also a 17-year-old senior. Terri is a member of the Bayder Marching Band Flag Corps and is also on the senior class committee. She works part time at Dapper Dick's Deli.

In the future, she plans to attend either Western Michigan University or Central Michigan University. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Bradley.

Karen Sell, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sell, is co-president of the senior class, along with another court member Peggy Hosmer. Karen, 17, also works part time at the Clothing Company.

Karen plans to attend college and enter the field of social work spending most of her time helping underprivileged children.

Kim Lehman, 17, has been a CHS cheerleader for all four of her high school years. She also attended Girls State.

Kim hopes to attend Western Michigan University and enter the field of occupational therapy. Kim is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lehman.

Another court member is Peggy Hosmer, 17-year-old daughter of Mr.

and Mrs. Maxwell Hosmer. Peggy is a member of the Bayder Marching Band Flag Corps and a member of both the ski and tennis teams.

Next year Peggy would like to attend Michigan State University and study interior and window design.

This year the Homecoming schedule will be a little different from the past years. Instead of the usual snake dance

and bon fire, Thursday night, there will be a pep assembly at the end of the school day at the high school.

The 1977 queen will be announced at that time. The reason for the change is due to the fire hazards and the lack of interest in the snake dance.

Friday, will be the parade and the judging of the floats. The parade will begin at the Charlevoix Middle School at 6:45 p.m.



MEMBERS OF THE 1977 Charlevoix High School Homecoming Court are (front row from left to right) Kim Lehman and Peggy Hosmer. In the back are Mary Faculak, Karen Sell and Terri Bradley.

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Tuesday, Oct. 11
Annual October meeting of the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will be held at the county building annex 9:30 a.m.
Hearing on the 1978 budget for Charlevoix County will be held at the county building annex at 2:30 p.m. Public is urged to attend.
Girls' Basketball: Gaylord here 6:30 p.m.
Charlevoix Rehearsal Lodge No. 293 will meet at the American Legion post home 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will meet at Grey Gables Inn 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Garden Club will meet with Mrs. Gordon Rower 1:30 p.m. Mrs. Paul Santek, co-hostess. Mrs. Harold Totten will present paper on "Exploring the Jordan Valley" prepared by Mrs. Edward Lewand.
Men's Prayer meeting 7 a.m. Community Church of God.
Wednesday, Oct. 12
Freshmen Football: Charlevoix at Gaylord 8:30 p.m.
Cross Country: Charlevoix at Soo Invitational 4 p.m.
Thursday, Oct. 13
Charlevoix County Chapter, Michigan Association for the Blind, will meet at the Community Room, First State Bank 7:30 p.m.

V.F.W. Auxiliary will sponsor a salad luncheon and mini-bazaar at the post home, U.S. 31 North, 11 a.m. until 2 p.m.
Homecoming Pep Rally at the high school gym 2 p.m.
Homecoming Queen will be named and her court introduced.
Thursday, Oct. 13
Great Pines Retired School Employees Association will meet at the Community Room, First State Bank, 2 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 14
Football: Homecoming game with Rogers City at Kipke field 8 p.m.
Homecoming parade: from Middle School via State St. to Kipke field 7 p.m.
Homecoming Dance at Elementary School gymnasium following football game.
Friday, Oct. 14
Color Cruise on Lake Charlevoix aboard M/V Beaver Islander leaving municipal dock at 1 p.m. Sponsored by Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce in cooperation with the Beaver Island Boat Co.
Whirl-Aways Western Square Dance Club will meet at 8 p.m.
American Legion Auxiliary will meet at post home 8 p.m.
Homecoming Queen will be named and her court introduced.
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Friday-Saturday, Oct. 14-15
Annual Fall Hummage sale at Christ Episcopal Church 9:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m.
Saturday, Oct. 15
Cross Country: Charlevoix Freshmen and Sophomores will attend meet at Petoskey. Golf: Class C Regional meet at Houghton Lake.
Straits Area Ostomy Association will meet at the Gaylord State Bank at 2 p.m.
All otomists and interested persons are cordially invited to attend. Please call 347-4320 for further information.
Sunday, Oct. 16
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.
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Sunday, Oct. 16
Big Brothers and Big Sisters will meet in front of the high school on Garfield-ave. at 10 a.m. sharp for the outing on Mackinac Island. Anyone with a bike is asked to bring it. Transportation will be provided. Deadline for registration for the trip is Oct. 12. Transportation and meals will be provided.
Monday, Oct. 17
Charlevoix Board of Education will meet at high school study hall 7:30 p.m. for annual Budget Hearing.
Tuesday, Oct. 18
Marion Township board will meet at the township hall for an important meeting at 8 p.m. Township residents are encouraged to attend.
Wednesday, Oct. 19
Charlevoix Chapter No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star will meet at the Masonic Temple 8 p.m. for annual business meeting and election of officers.
Round Lake Lodge No. 293, I.O.O.F., will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.
Thursday, Oct. 20
Parent-Teacher Conferences at Charlevoix Public School p.m. Wednesday and Thursday: 6:30-9:30 p.m. and Friday 8:30 a.m. until 3:30 p.m.
Friday, Oct. 21
Freshmen football: Gaylord here 8:30 p.m. Wed., Thurs. & Fri. Oct. 13-21.

Replacement of windows at middle school finished

The replacement of the windows at the Charlevoix Middle School is now complete. Inter-Lake Industries, Inc., of Novi, completed the job last week installing 137 new windows at the school. The contractors had been on the job for about two and one-half weeks.
The windows had to be replaced because many of the wooden frames holding the windows had begun to rot, Vince Olach, business manager, explained. Also the windows were replaced as an energy saving measure.
The complete project cost \$12,823 and was funded through voter approval of one mill for five years for improvements and maintenance at the school.
Olach predicts that the new windows will save between 15 and 20 percent on heat energy use.
"That means our utility bills will probably be the same as last year's," Olach explained. "With the utility rates increasing each year, the savings ought to cover the increase."
Olach said the new doors at the high school would also result in a savings and help to keep the utility rates at the school under control.



THE NEW WINDOWS have all been installed at the Charlevoix Middle School. The windows were paid for out of the special one mill approved by the voters last spring for renovation and improvements at the school.

Volunteers help organize meetings between parents and teachers

Setting up parent-teacher conferences for the Charlevoix School District is a mammoth job and it couldn't be accomplished without the help of volunteers from the school district.
Roy Fortin, assistant high school principal and coordinator of the conference project, said more than 30 women have been working about a week to schedule the more than 1,100 requested conferences between parents and teachers.
Parent-teacher conferences will be held on the evenings of Oct. 19 and 20 and all day on Oct. 21. There will be no school Oct. 21.
The scheduling process begins when students bring home conference forms. The forms are filled out and returned to the three schools and then gathered by Fortin. The forms are then alphabetized and organized according to family.
After that the volunteers begin scheduling meetings between parents and teachers.
"There are a lot of things that complicate the process," Fortin pointed out. "Some teachers have classes at two buildings and you have to make sure that you allow enough travel time for them. Other teachers have the same name and you have to make sure that you don't schedule a conference with the wrong teacher."
Helping with the scheduling this year were: Janet Buchanan, Bonnie Keie, Betty Coon, Faye Alger, Mary Fortin, Velma Powell, Mary Ann Cudd, Joni Olach, Joan Huffman, Elaine Westbrook, Lil Left, Nancy Fowler, Jackie Staley, Fran Tollas, Kate Smith, Jean Van Wieren, Margaret Julieret, Rita Dohm, Elaine Avery, Ann Huffard, Eloise Klooster, Carolyn Klooster, Bonnie Hicks, Judy Cockfield, Jane Lieberman, Mary Lou Supernaw, Sonja Martin, Pauline Anstett, Sandra Beaudoin, Phyllis Hilton, Pauline Young, Ann Landon and Maurine Dziedzic.
In addition to funds budgeted for regular operation of the school district, the school board will also be working with an additional 1 mill for maintenance and improvements at the Charlevoix Middle School. The additional mill was approved by the voters last spring.
The board has already spent \$70,000 installing new windows and renovating the playground at the middle school.
In the proposed budget, which school board members will consider at 7:30 p.m. in the Charlevoix High School study hall, \$457,433 has been earmarked for elementary instruction up from \$122,851 last year. At the middle school, \$449,404 has been budgeted for instruction an increase from \$333,449 and \$621,871 has been budgeted for high school instruction an increase from \$689,788.
In the area of special education, \$70,456 has been budgeted for the 1977-78 school year up from \$59,902. \$56,827 has been budgeted for vocational education an increase from \$14,170. \$3,928 for adult education, up from \$3,099 and \$13,875 for summer school up from \$13,236.
Employee benefits for teachers increased from \$117,923 to \$150,008.
In the area of support services for the school districts the proposed budget allows \$55,271 for administration a drop from \$66,841 budgeted last year. For plant operation and maintenance \$325,726 has been budgeted an increase from \$287,229 spent last year.
The board is proposing to spend \$151,330 on transportation which is up from last year's \$133,520 and \$5,361 on health services an increase from \$4,020.
From incoming transfers the district is anticipating receiving \$5,200 from the intermediate school district, and tuition.



JACKIE STANLEY, Nancy Fowler and Lil Left are just three of the many volunteers who help set up parent-teacher conferences in the Charlevoix School District.

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It takes a special person to be a school bus driver

"I've been a bus driver for seven years and I wouldn't change it for anything," Dorothy Russell said proudly as she drove a busload of squirming Charlevoix Elementary School students toward home.
"I guess I just like kids," Mrs. Russell is one of 20 bus drivers who cart more than 1,000 elementary, middle school and high school students back and forth along 14 routes to school every day.
"Being a bus driver is a difficult job, according to Bud Harris, supervisor of the drivers and bus mechanic for the school district. It is important to remember this week, National School Bus Safety Week, and throughout the year, that bus drivers need the cooperation of everyone to get kids to school and home again safely.
"It's difficult to concentrate on driving, watch the kids, listen to the noise and avoid accidents," Harris said.
Harris said the school bus covered about 166,000 miles last year without any major problems.
"We've never had a fatality and I think I can say that we've never had a serious injury either," Harris said. And that takes some doing, but Charlevoix is fortunate to have expert bus drivers, according to Harris. Many of the drivers recently received their 10 year patches for driving the buses that long without an accident.
Harris pointed out that it takes quite a bit of training for a person to become a bus driver. All drivers must pass an annual physical, have a chauffeur's license, pass a state exam and a state skill test before they can become certified drivers.
Each year the drivers must also attend three sessions of classes on safety and driving techniques.
"A lot of people refer to us as dumb bus drivers when they're mad," Harris said. "But we're not so dumb."
Harris pointed out that it takes a special kind of a person to handle the job, too.
"I look for a special type of person when I hire a bus driver," he said. "They've got to be able to deal with kids and a lot of other things, too."
"You know they say you don't have to be crazy to be a bus driver, but it sure does help," he quipped.
Mrs. Russell said the key to success as a bus driver is liking kids and liking to drive.
"You have to be able to stand the noise, too," she said. "I don't mind the health noise, but when they start screaming, that's where I draw the line."
A young student on the bus confided that Mrs. Russell isn't as tough as she puts on.
"Really the only way to make her mad is to talk dirty," he said.
Mrs. Russell said that as a



DOROTHY RUSSELL, bus driver, watches as the elementary students file onto the bus following an evacuation drill. This week is National Bus Safety Week.

School budget increases 8.7 percent for 1977-78

The Charlevoix Board of Education will be considering an 8.7 percent increase in its budget for the 1977-78 school year when the annual budget hearing takes place next Monday.
The proposed budget has been increased \$21,000 from \$2.2 million to \$2.4 million. The budget was raised 7.5 percent last year.
The increases in the proposed new budget were not made in any one area but are spread throughout the various budget categories. Vince Olach, business manager, said.
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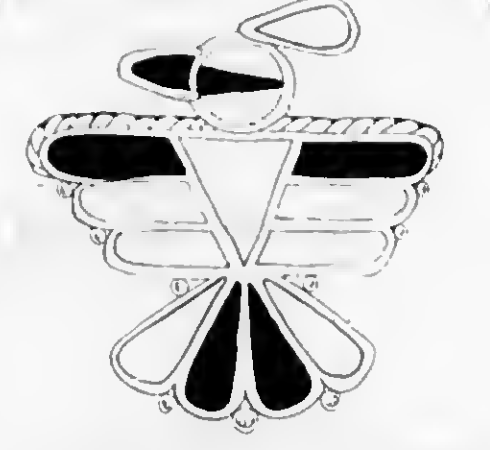
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Editorials/Opinions

Freedom of press key to free speech, free society

Why tolerate criticism? "Why should freedom of speech and freedom of the press be allowed? Why should a government which is doing what it believes to be right allow itself to be criticized?"

"It would not allow opposition by lethal weapons. Ideas are much more fatal things than guns."

"Why should any man be allowed to buy a printing press and disseminate pernicious opinion calculated to embarrass the government?"

The above statement could have been made by any irate newspaper reader or government official who at one time or another feels he or she has been harassed by the press. They know they have been trying to do what they believe is right and they can't understand why anyone would want to take exception to their efforts.

In fact, the statement was made by Nikolai Lenin, a Russian revolutionary leader who founded the modern USSR.

During this week, National Newspaper Week, newspaper readers, government officials, newspaper employees and citizens of the United States everywhere should take time to reflect on Lenin's words and on the meaning of freedom of the press.

A newspaper is more than comics, helpful hints and stories about the neighbors and others in the community. It is more than classified ads and display ads.

A newspaper is a free press—the people's first defense against tyranny. A free press protects the personal freedoms of everyone by maintaining open and free public communication about the

operations of government on a local, state and national level. Without it government would be able to move unhindered along the paths that lead to less and less personal freedom for the residents of this country.

Free press. Free speech. Free society. They go together. You can't have one without the other.

Most Americans don't appreciate freedom of the press because they have never been without it. They really can't comprehend that most people in the world don't have a free press—and most don't have any means of knowing the truth about what is happening in their own country or the world beyond.

When Americans pick up their newspapers, they are holding freedom in their hands. The printed word offers knowledge to the reader and gives him or her the weapons to fight oppression.

During the last year, the Charlevoix Courier has tried staunchly to keep its readers informed about governmental happenings as well as civic and cultural activities.

The Courier has dedicated itself to presenting both sides of the issue, but it has also taken stands on issues based on its understanding of the facts.

The paper has been criticized for some of its stands, but it has continued to be firm, supporting its views and allowing space for the dissenting too.

The Courier recognizes the awesome responsibility it has in helping to maintain the freedoms this nation and its people hold so dear. It will continue to work hard to uphold these values.

Firemen, bus drivers important members of the community

In addition to National Newspaper Week, this week is also Fire Prevention Week and National School Bus Safety Week.

It is important to remember the importance of both these things to the safety of this country.

Fire is a hazard that can wreak total disaster. Not only do fires wipe out property, but they also kill. On the average, Michigan had 223 fires a day last year and 358 people lost their lives as a result of fires. One of those people was a young boy living right in this county. Two other fire deaths were small children from a neighboring county.

The men and women who dedicate themselves to fighting fires are a special breed. Every

time they answer a fire call they are laying their lives on the line. Yet they continue to serve communities year after year with dedication as fire fighters and as community servants.

Incidentally, Fire Prevention Week is held during these dates to commemorate the great fire of Chicago.

Bus drivers serve with the same dedication. They have charge of the most precious cargo in the world—children. The drivers work hard to operate their buses in as safe a manner as possible, but they need help from other drivers, too.

Stop when the buses lights are blinking and watch for children. Give buses plenty of stopping distance and don't cut them off.



Clockwise
by Bob Clock

There's a lot to be said in favor of being young, particularly in liberated society of the 1970's. But I'd hate to be a young fellow just starting out in life with a brand new home mortgage at today's prices, interest rates and property taxes.

In case you haven't noticed, the job market is not what it used to be. Just after World War II it was still alive and well. But without something happens soon to bring the cost of home ownership under control your grandchildren may have to be raised in the back seat of a Volvo.

In June, the price of new houses in the Chicago area averaged \$62,000—one of the cheapest areas. In Washington the price was \$67,700 and around Los Angeles \$72,100.

These aren't millions, mind you. Just average, middle class homes with a scrap of yard, a bathroom and two and a two-car garage—with a scrap of yard, a bathroom and two and a two-car garage—if you're lucky.

In 1950, seven out of 10 Americans could afford such a home. By 1975, although paychecks increased dramatically during the intervening years, such a home was within the price range of only four out of every 10 families. And the ever-widening ratio shows no sign of changing direction.

According to experts on the family budget, the purchase price of a house should be no more than double the buyer's annual income. And his housing payments, including utilities, should be no more than one quarter of his pay.

By those standards, no one earning less than \$30,000 or \$35,000 a year should be in the market for a new house. By the same token, many present mortgage payers are living in quarters they

certainly could not afford if they were entering the buyer's market today. Since very few young married men have incomes approaching \$30,000 annually, other arrangements must be made. Renting is one alternative, although collecting rent receipts has long been recognized as an exercise in futility. Two more renters find themselves against the wall financially when income diminishes at retirement.

Another alternative is "moving in with the folks," an arrangement which often is damaging to domestic relations.

A third, and probably most popular alternative, is for the young wife to go to work to boost family income to the point where home ownership is within the realm of possibility.

However, many newly marrieds are discovering that even with two incomes, house payments, insurance, interest and taxes push them to the limit of their spendable income. There is no money left over for furnishings, clothing, automobiles, entertainment or even an adequate diet.

Of course, the two-income arrangement is fraught with hazards, not the least of which is an unexpected pregnancy, which can make a shambles of the most pain-taking budget.

All of which is to say the housing situation in the United States is nothing short of a disgrace.

It is high time the people charged with putting shingles over American heads—real estate people, contractors, lumber dealers, bankers, plumbers, electricians and their colleagues in the building business—come to grips with one of America's most depressing problems.



If it Fitz
by Jim Fitzgerald

"Computers could produce statistics providing that people whose names begin with H are involved in more car accidents than people whose names begin with W. But why should insurance companies use such statistics to justify raising rates?"

The quote is from Carl Levin, president of the Detroit City Council. The subject was redlining, that nefarious tactic by which large groups of people are bumped into a category that then charged extra simply because they have been lumped.

Levin has long fought redlining, to the chagrin of thousands. Probably his most publicized scum was aimed at the gasoline company that recently denied a credit card to a Detroit couple who earn large paychecks and always pay their bills on time. But they had an "inner city" address, so a computer spit on them.

That is the most obvious type of redlining. There are more subtle types, just as irritating but harder to prove. For instance, I am suspicious of Ma Bell.

I was a Bell phone subscriber in Tinny Laper for 25 years. Once in a while I was a few days late paying the bill.

There was never the slightest pressure from Bell to pay up. Not once.

But soon after I got a downtown Detroit address, I returned from vacation on a Monday to learn that our phone bill had been due on the previous Friday. There was an instant call from Bell's credit department.

My wife apologized and said this check would be mailed that day. This wasn't good enough. The collector pointed out that the nearest Bell office would be open until 5 p.m. that day, so why didn't my wife drive downtown and fork over the money in person? Geez.

Bell's own records prove I am an excellent credit risk. I am the same guy in downtown Detroit that I was in little Laper. So how come the sudden dun? Does Bell base its credit policy on where a person lives, rather than on their experience with that person? Why not? Insurance companies do it all the time.

The morning after I talked with Levin, by coincidence, I received a plain letter from Raymond Torpey. It was easy for me to sob along with his gripes about car insurance because Torpey and I live in the same apartment building, and I will be hurting the same way he is hurting. Although with a



Paula Holmes... Speaking Her Mind

This past week was an important one in the world of football—at least it was important to me.

Saturday was the date of the annual battle between the Michigan State University Spartans and the University of Michigan Wolverines. Being a staunch Spartan fan, who has been attending the contests for just shy of 24 years, I was relieved earlier this fall when my father, bless his soul, came up with two tickets to the game.

Unfortunately, the tickets were right next to tickets he had gotten for my sister, who is currently a student at U-M. But, I was determined not to let the fact that she was dressed in maize and blue from head to toe and insisted on cheering for the Wolverines and singing the "Victors" bother me. After all, I reasoned, this could be the year the Spartans could shine.

But, as we all know by now, the Spartans just couldn't put it off. It's hard to admit to defeat for the seventh year in a row, especially after making many boastful pronouncements about the Spartans' football talent. But I guess I'll can say is wait until next year.

The game at Spartan Stadium in East Lansing was my second football game for the weekend. I had attended the Charlevoix Rayder-Grayling Vying the day before to snap some pictures for the Courier. And in my book, the Rayder game was much more exciting.

My spirits were dampened as it looked like the Rayders were going to lose their unblemished record. I just couldn't face the fact that my two favorite teams might both go down in defeat on the same weekend.

But suddenly the tide changed and the Rayders began to put it together for a victory. The highlight of the game for me came following the third touchdown when Mexican exchange student Pedro Arriagola kicked the extra point.

Pedro came over to me on the sidelines, excitement written across his face.

"I think this is...I think this is...I think this is..." Pedro said attempting to express his feelings. But he just couldn't get out the words to describe a moment he had dreamed about all season.

Pedro told me in September that one thing he had wanted to do when he came to the United States was play football. Because he didn't know the rules and didn't have time to learn them, Pedro was made a kicker.

His first two attempts at extra points failed when his soccer style kick couldn't lift the ball through the goal posts. But finally during this game his foot came through even though his English failed him.

Tears clouded my view of the joy on his face as he walked away to rejoin the team. And I felt like I had been part of the most important victory in the world.

It seems like every other book I pick up these days, an author is dissecting relationships and behavior patterns. One of the largest groups in this country and ironically the least understood has yet to be explained. It's your basic Monday dieter.

At last count, there were 18 million of these disciples who, every Monday morning, make their annual pilgrimage to the shrine of cottage cheese. Who, every Monday morning, look at themselves in the mirror and declare to the image, "This is the first day of the rest of my thin life."

One of the first things you must appreciate about the Monday dieter is his or her optimism. Here is a person for which Tuesday never comes. Nor Wednesday. Nor Thursday. Nor Friday. He just knows that some time between Monday morning and Monday evening the rest of the week will be cancelled due to the lack of attendance, and he will be off the hook diet-wise.

Secondly, Monday dieters are lousy with virtue, but are basically weak, which is a polite way of saying they have absolutely no scruples whatsoever. They will tell you outrageous lies like, "Pasta will never pass my lips," and as they are telling you this

have a proud of linguini hidden under a stack of Weight Watchers magazines in the hall closet.

They cannot help themselves. They will lie about their weight on their driver's license, subtract 15 pounds when they weigh with their clothes on, tilt the bathroom scales against the toilet to make it weigh lighter, and on insurance charts will declare themselves "large boned."

Monday dieters are predictably neat people. They cannot stand to leave an uneven row of fudge in a pan or a dab of ice cream at the bottom of a half-gallon container. They are kind to their mothers ("I'll eat the rest of that pizza, Mother, if your teeth are bothering you") and are good with numbers. ("Let's see, I had the beef stroganoff, baked potatoes with sour cream, asparagus with the Hollandaise and the banana cream pie, so pass me the artificial sweetener for my coffee.")

In case you're wondering why I'm such an authority on the Monday dieter, it's because I have dieted for the last consecutive 1,456 Mondays.

Why Mondays? Who knows. Frankly, I think it's stupid to pick a day with 36 hours in it when every other day of the week has only 24.

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Erma Bombeck

Among the twelve bands which participated, we can say in all sincerity that Charlevoix's Rayders looked really sharp and played beautifully. We know that all of the Charlevoix contingent present in Harbor Springs felt real pride when our band took the field.

A couple of things especially caught our attention. In a parade in downtown Harbor Springs of all twelve bands, Charlevoix was the eleventh unit and the first to carry the American flag!

They were the only band to have one flag in the field during their performance. Minor points? Perhaps. Still we think that this is rather indicative of the band's fine character.

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Teacher Feature

...Kris Schaperkötter

By REG ORILE

It was only a few years ago that Kris Lieberman was a student at Charlevoix High School. Now, as Kris Schaperkötter, she is teaching ninth and tenth grade English and Behavioral Science at the school.

In the years between her student years and returning as a teacher, students have changed Mrs. Schaperkötter says.

"Kids are more open now, their attitude toward teachers is much less formal. This can be good for communication between teacher and students, but it does present some discipline problems we didn't have when I went to school," she explains.

What kind of material is covered in her classes?

"In ninth grade English, the emphasis is on reading comprehension, creative writing, spelling, and grammar. Mrs. Schaperkötter relates. 'However, we teach grammar in the writing con-

text."

The teachers say that the most popular subjects for students' themes are along the line of science fiction, superhuman things, or their own experiences which they greatly embellish. Written papers are usually about two pages long, although she does not limit the number of words.

Ninth grade reading for book reports may consist of any book that covers a subject of interest to the student, and if it is a challenge—not to easy. Occasionally, Mrs. Schaperkötter will assign a class, perhaps something by Faulkner or Hemingway.

The content of the grade English class doesn't change much from ninth grade, but there are some in-depth changes. Spelling is devoted to new words, the themes are longer, more reading is required, books are more involved, and a term paper is required, complete with bibliography and footnotes.

Kids like to read, according

to Mrs. Schaperkötter, particularly when they are allowed to pick their own books. Occasionally she will devote an entire class period to reading, each student reading his own book.

"Are girls better readers than boys?"

"Yes," Mrs. Schaperkötter says, "but only because they are more patient at this age."

Her goal in teaching English:

"By the time students graduate from high school, they should be able to function successfully in college situations, handle job applications, and be able to handle all areas involving English."

Mrs. Schaperkötter explains that Behavioral Science is the study of human nature. Her course is divided into two sections. The first section is sociology (the study of groups of people), and the second section is psychology (the study of the individual).

The sociology part of the

course deals with groups that make up society—the family unit, political system, religious organizations, educational groups, etc.—their reasons for existence and consequences of existence. Teacher and students look at why society is set up the way it is and how groups interact and affect others.

In psychology, individual behavior is studied along with background reasons, why people do what they do, and learning patterns. In this way, students can pick up reasons for their own behavior and perhaps change what they don't like. They can work with their personal goals and decide "What I want to be."

Does Mrs. Schaperkötter have a special message for students and their parents?

Yes.

"I hope the kids make the most of the four years they spend in high school. Some day they will realize it's the best time of their lives."



Kris Schaperkötter

Parents can cooperate by helping kids with school-related activities, including homework, and encourage them to do their best. They should always feel free to contact teachers any time for any reason."

After graduating from Charlevoix High School, Mrs. Schaperkötter attended Grand Valley State College, from which she graduated in 1972 with a bachelor of arts

degree in English and sociology. Later she taught language arts in the Grandville Junior High School, married Thomas Schaperkötter, an optometrist, worked for an advertising agency in Chicago, moved back to Charlevoix when her husband started practicing here, and worked with him for a year before joining the high school staff in 1976.

Letters to the editor

Hortons sing praises for Rayder Marching Band

Dear Editor:

We would like to take this opportunity to share with the people of Charlevoix our extreme pride in the CHARLEVOIX RAYDER MARCHING BAND when they performed at the Northern Michigan Band Festival in Harbor Springs on Saturday, October 1.

Among the twelve bands which participated, we can say in all sincerity that Charlevoix's Rayders looked really sharp and played beautifully. We know that all of the Charlevoix contingent present in Harbor Springs felt real pride when our band took the field.

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Aging commission gets grant

The Charlevoix County Commission on Aging has received a grant of \$30,000 from the state Office of Services to the Aging and a matching grant of \$12,000 from the City of East Jordan to renovate the Senior Center

in East Jordan. According to Dorothy Pelton, director of the Center, the renovation will consist of a new kitchen, storage area, a room for health screening, a consultation room, and a craft

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The Charlevoix County Commission on Aging is one of 14 agencies receiving similar grants.

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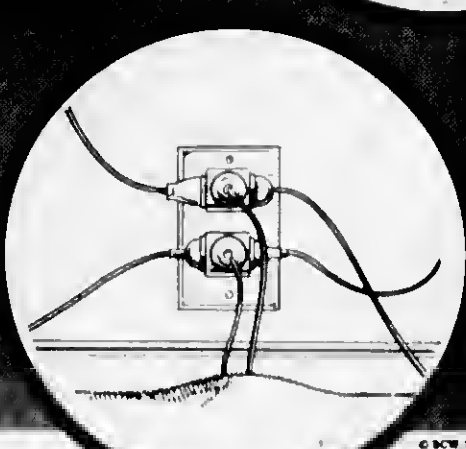
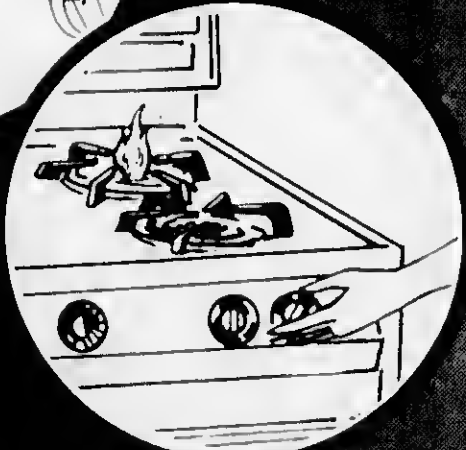
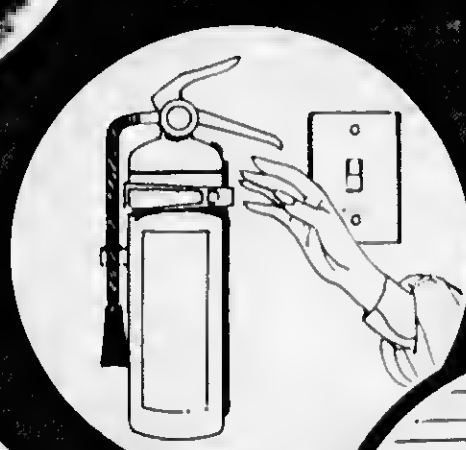
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MEMBERS OF THE Charlevoix Township Fire Department are: (front row from left to right) Larry Swanson, Rick Elzinga, Jack Stebe, Jerry Paul, Curt Thompson and Oscar Stroud. Standing on the truck are Joan Wagner, Ralph Cross and Bill Parton. In the second row are: Dale Buckner, Dave Christiansen, Mike Lehman and Bill Haggard. Missing are: Jim Keller, Jim Wibby, Don Smith, Steve Paterka, Dennis Carr and Larry Campbell.

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Top notch service goal of city firemen

Providing 24-hour top notch service is the goal of the Charlevoix City Volunteer Fire Department.

The volunteer fire department works in conjunction with a chief and two assistant fire chiefs who are employed full time by the city.

"I think the real success of

our fire department has been in having the volunteers work with the full time people who keep the department on 24-hour stand by," Lee Moerland, president of the volunteer organization, said.

"As soon as there is a fire call, one truck leaves immediately," Moerland pointed

out. "There's no delay getting the equipment under way because there's always a man right there ready to go."

Other volunteers work and live close to the fire department so a second truck can be on its way within a few minutes of the first truck, too. Moerland said the com-

munications between the volunteers and the fire hall has improved during the first five years, thanks to improvements in electronic equipment.

When the fire whistle blows, monitors in each fireman's home are tripped and the location of fire is broadcast.

"It used to be that you either had to go down to the fire station or you had to call in to find out where the fire was," Moerland explained. "Now you know right away."

The citizens band (CB) radio has also helped improve communications for the firemen.

"Often one of the wives will put the monitor right by the

fireman's home and he can find out the fire location over the CB radio," Moerland said. The volunteer department had also purchased a CB radio for one of the firetrucks so that the driver could notify volunteers of his location and progress.

In addition to the improved communication, Moerland said the dedication of the firemen has helped to make the department run smoothly.

There is very little turn over among the firemen and most of them have been with the department 10 years or longer.

Being a member of the fire department is a tradition in some families where several generations have been volunteers with the department.

One of these people is Doug Bergmann whose uncle is also a member of the department and whose grandfather and other relatives have also been members of the department.

"I don't know why I joined. I guess it was just something I always wanted to do," Bergmann explained.

To be a volunteer fireman, people must pass a 66-hour state certification course. In addition, Bergmann and 15 other members of the department also volunteer for the ambulance crew. In order to be ambulance attendants, the men must complete at least 80 hours of emergency medical technical training.

Moerland said the men also keep up on their training during monthly meetings. During the meetings, industrial representatives such as people from Michigan Consolidated Gas Co. will come in and talk about how to handle gas spills from tanker trucks.

The department also avails itself of all training films that it can get ahold of Moerland said.

The firemen are also involved in many community service projects. Through the sale of raffle tickets, the department raises funds for the purchase of much needed equipment for the department as well as first aid and emergency training films.

These films are available to any interested group.

The firemen also offer cardio-pulmonary resuscitation (CPR) classes to any interested groups.

In addition to serving the City of Charlevoix, the fire department also makes fire calls in Hayes, Marion and Norwood townships.

"Given a fair opportunity, I think our department can make a good stop," Moerland said. "With our improved communications we often have men at the fire before the equipment gets there."

"This is good because they can get all the prep work out of the way before the truck comes. Our department is very compatible and we work closely together with each other and with the city."

Charlevoix Twp. runs newest fire department

The newest fire department in the area is the Charlevoix Township Fire Department. The department has grown by leaps and bounds since it opened in 1974 and the result has been a savings of money for township residents as well as better fire protection, Oscar Stroud, township supervisor, said.

"With the fire department and the new water system, we've been able to cut fire insurance premiums for township residents up to 24 percent," Stroud said proudly surveying the main fire hall and the three trucks in it.

"Not everyone had a 24 percent cut in their premiums, but some did. With the way insurance costs have been going up, the cuts have kept the costs the same for township residents."

"We're really proud that we've been able to do this for our people."

Stroud said the fire department has also begun to save the township tax dollars too. Before the department was established, the township paid the city for fire protection.

"We were paying the city \$10,000 when we decided to

look into setting up our own department," Stroud explained. "We weren't complaining about the service, but we thought maybe the township could do it better."

Stroud opened the fire department doors when he was able to purchase three used trucks from the Wyoming Fire Department on a bid at a bargain price. This last year, the township purchased a brand new truck to add to the department.

In addition, through cooperation with the Department of Natural Resources, the township fire department acquired an equipment truck. The department also owns two tankers which firemen renovated for township use.

"Yes, it cost a lot of money to acquire equipment and to construct the two fire barns," Stroud said. "But this year, now that's going into our fourth year with the department, we will be operating on a budget of \$2,000. That's quite a bit less than the \$10,000 we were paying."

A group of 19 certified firemen under the direction of Chief Curt Thompson, keep the township fire department

running. The firemen meet twice a month to review fire fighting procedures and to tour plants within the township in order to find out where fire fighting connections are located inside the plants.

The firemen also review their first aid and practice cardio-pulmonary resuscitation.

The township fire department operates 24 hours a day. The emergency calls are taken by the dispatcher at the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department, who then contacts all township firemen through special monitors. The sheriff's dispatcher also sets off the fire whistles.

Stroud said trucks from both stations on the north and south sides of the township are taken to every fire.

"Whoever is closest to the station goes and gets the trucks," Stroud said.

The township has an employee on duty in the fire station eight hours a day who can get the trucks started and warmed up, ready to roll when the volunteer firemen arrive.

"We're going to continue to grow and improve," Stroud said proudly. "We're working hard at it."

Joan Wagner volunteers service as first woman fireman

When the Charlevoix Township Fire Department rolls up to a fire, it's not unusual to see a woman among all the firemen.

Joan Wagner is the only woman member of the township fire department and in fact, is the only woman fireman in the county.

But being a woman is where the differences end between Mrs. Wagner and the 18 other members of the township fire department. She does everything the men do, including driving the fire truck and handling the hoses.

She's a completely certified fireman and was the first woman in the State of Michigan to complete the 66-hour certification course that is required for all fire fighters.

"I know how to drive the truck and I drive it every once in a while," Mrs. Wagner said. "I used to work for the township and so I was closest to the trucks, so I drove quite a bit. But that's not true anymore."

"Everyone drives the trucks and they should know how.

That's part of the training you get."

Mrs. Wagner, mother of two, said she decided to join the fire department when she was challenged to by Township Supervisor Oscar Stroud.

"When they were first setting up the fire department, Oscar came around and was trying to get Butch (her husband) to join," Mrs. Wagner recalled. "Butch said he didn't have enough time and Oscar said he would have to start asking the women to join."

So she accepted and became a part of the fire department. But her interest in fire fighting goes back further than that. Her father is a fireman with the City of Charlevoix Fire Department, and Mrs. Wagner had been involved with fire fighting all of her life.

Still, people are surprised when they find out she's a volunteer fireman.

"The people I work with all know that I'm a fireman and they just accept it," she explained. "But when I meet new people, they are a little

surprised."

The female fireman said she gets some kidding about her position, but it's mostly from the other firemen.

"I just kid them right back," she laughed.



Joan Wagner

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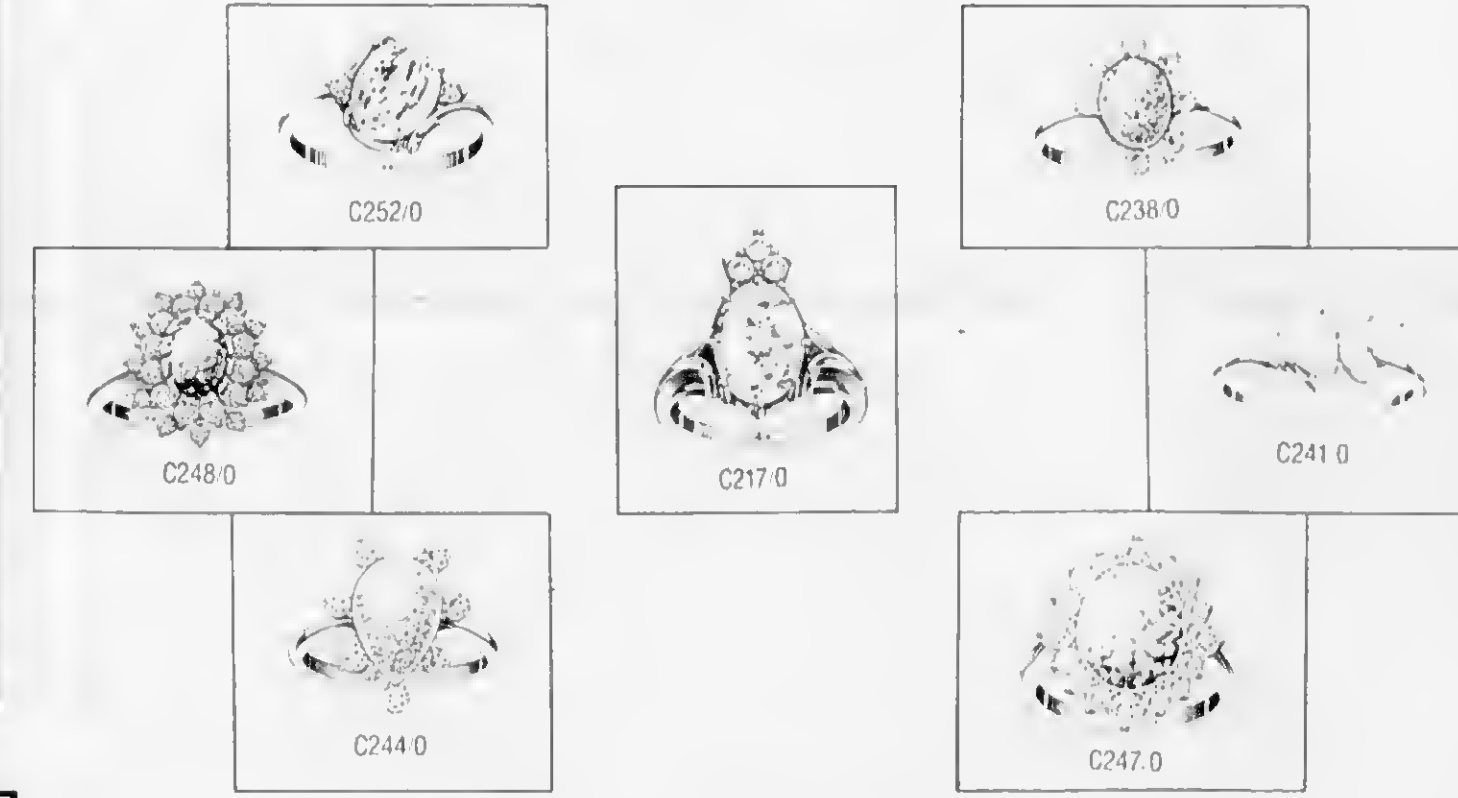
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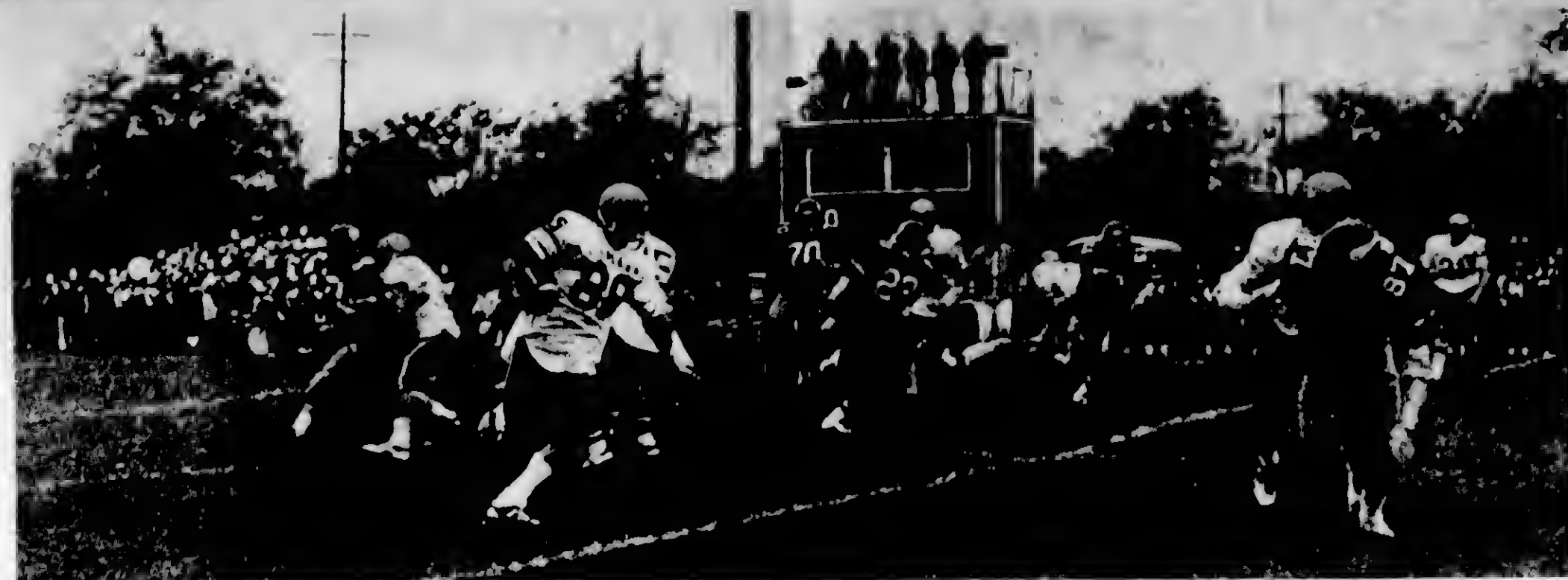
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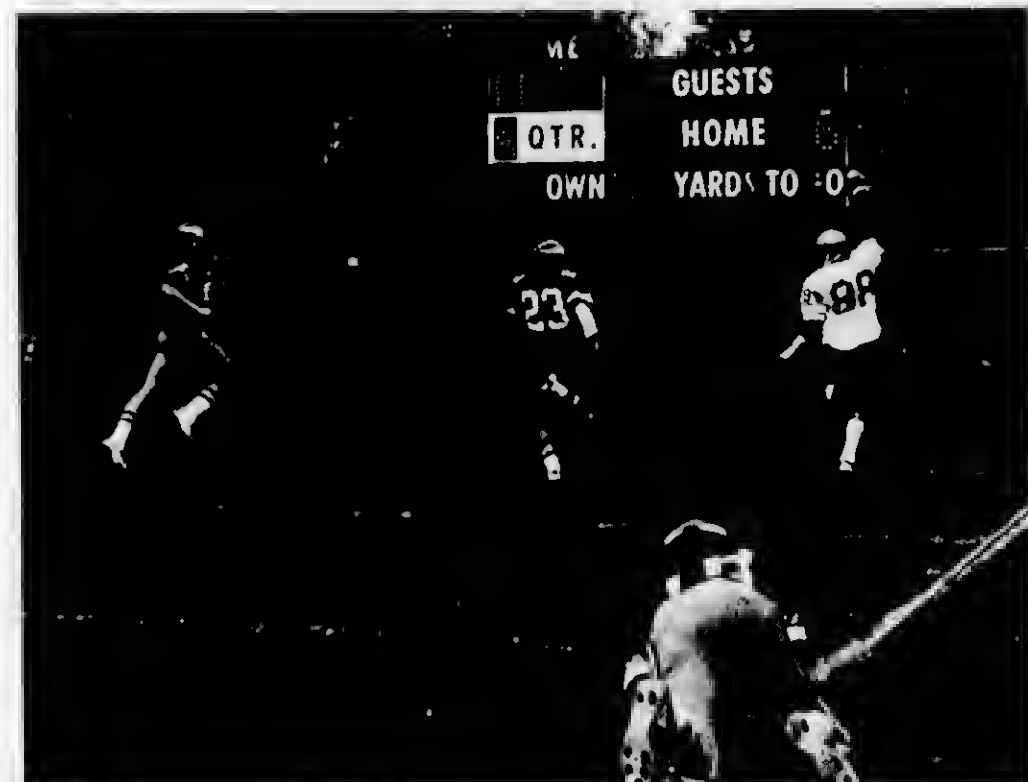
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Rayders scoring surge wins game



DANCING IN THE ENDZONE with the touchdown that put the Rayders on the scoreboard for the first time. The Grayling Vikings had held the lead for three quarters.



JIM ELZINGA (11) grabs a pass out of the hands of Viking Nickolas (23) to turn the game around for the Rayders. The Rayders won 26-13.



ASSISTANT COACH Plas Presnell and Roger Gowell congratulate Joe Left on an important play.



THE VIKINGS CHIP NICHOLAS was waiting for Neil Dziedzik on this play, but the Rayders were finally able to shake the Vikings to win the game 26-13.



KERRY SPEER (31) is not about to let Viking Cliff Wheeler get very far on this play. Charlevoix defeated the Vikings 26-13.

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Rayders pull it off in the fourth

By BILL MERCER
Charlevoix's fourth quarter drive did it again last Friday in Grayling, as they waited until the final stanza to defeat the Vikings 26-13.

Over the past three Michigan-Huron Shores League games, the Rayders have scored 46 points in the final period. Their total points for the first three quarters of play of all three games is 17 points.

As has been the case, the offense had trouble finding the right combination of players and maneuvers to penetrate the enthusiastic Grayling defense until early in the fourth quarter. Their own punts helped the home team take a 6-0 half time lead.

Late in the first quarter Charlevoix fumbled the ball deep in their own territory. Grayling's Bill O'Mara fell on the ball on the Charlevoix 13-yard line.

Five plays later, the Viking quarterback, Sophomore Rocky Tobin carried over from the 2-yard line on the only score of the half. The point after kick attempt was blocked and the Rayders found themselves behind early in the contest.

On the first play from scrimmage after the kickoff, Charlevoix again handed the ball over to Grayling. This time the defense held and Charlevoix gained possession on their own 6-yard line, following a Viking punt.

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On the next series of downs, Alger found Driedale alone deep in the Viking secondary for a 51-yard Rayder touch down. The conversion kick was blocked and the referees informed the opposing coaches of the procedure for playing an overtime.

The score was tied 13-13 with a little over three minutes remaining.

The Rayders seem to thrive under this kind of pressure. The defense held and Charlevoix regained possession on the Grayling 47-yard line following a punt.

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It is hereby ORDERED that the Defendants, Wilbur S. Burns, a k a W. S. Burns, James Burns, a k a W. S. Burns, and the unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns of Wilbur S. Burns, shall answer or take such other action as may be permitted by law on or before the 31st day of December, 1977.

Failure to comply with this order will result in default judgment against such Defendants for the relief demanded in the Complaint filed in this Court.

Martin B. Breighner Circuit Judge

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go over to talk with Leroy Buchanan, store manager, and Sharon Woodbury, assistant manager.

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"Finally Sharon said, 'I think you sold your husband a \$10,000 winner'.

"I couldn't believe it," she continued.

"You know how you hear people say they go numb. Well, I think that's what happened to me."

The Doans said they don't really believe they have won even yet. They took the ticket down to Camelot and

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Pott Horbison
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Homecoming Spirit

THE "RAYDERS ARE KING STRONG" was the title of the winning float in the 1977 Homecoming competition last Friday. The Junior Class built the float complete with a replica of King King strangling a Rogers City Huron football player. For more pictures of Homecoming turn to page 7.

Community Calendar

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 Cross Country, Michigan-Huron Shores Conference meet at St. Ignace.
 Girls' Basketball: Charlevoix at Cheboygan 8:30 p.m.
 American Legion will meet

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The election of Richard M. Hodgson and David H. Irish to the Board of Directors of the First State Bank of Charlevoix has been announced by Thomas A. Duke, chairman of the board.
 Both are widely known businessmen.
 Hodgson is a resident of Charlevoix where he has owned and operated Walker Marina since early 1970. Prior to that he had owned and managed other businesses after attending Wayne State University. His background as a businessman as well as his experience in real estate and building continues to add depth to the board. He is presently serving as Commodore of the Charlevoix Yacht Club, is a licensed pilot and aircraft owner and a member of the Charlevoix Lions Club.
 Irish is the president of Irish Boat Shop, Inc., of Charlevoix and Harbor Springs. He is presently serving as mayor of Harbor Springs where he makes his home. Deeply involved in various community activities, he is currently involved or has served on the Harbor Springs City Council, Planning Commission, Emmet County Tax Allocation Board, Petoskey Area Mental Health Clinic and several other civic organizations.



First signs of winter in town
 Winter's just around the corner. Many people point to the thickening fog, the rabbits and to the busily working squirrels as a sure sign that the blustery season is coming.

But there are other signs, too. The Charlevoix Street Department crews will be taking down the parking meters around Nov. 1 and the boat pump out station will be closed Thursday.

The docks won't be closed to boat traffic but the water and electricity will be turned off. People needing these services should contact Jack Mol, chief of police and harbor master, for assistance.

A SURE SIGN that winter is on its way is when the flower baskets are removed from the light posts on Bridge Street. A front end loader helped this city employee finish the job.

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THIS MODEL IS ON DISPLAY at the Irish Boat Shop in Charlevoix. It shows the plans for expanded dock facilities off shore of the former City Services property on Ferry Avenue. The boat shop welcomes any comments or suggestions about the project.

Irish Boat Shop considering boat dock expansion plans

Plans for the construction of 67 new boat slips are under consideration by Irish Boat Shop of Charlevoix.
 Rod Stebbins, manager of the Charlevoix marina, said the company is considering the purchase of property on Ferry Avenue, formerly used as a tank farm by City Service Oil Co., and using it for access to the new boat slips, for parking and for some outside winter storage.
 "We have agreed to buy the property providing we can get assurances that we will be able to get all the necessary permits," Stebbins explained.
 "If anyone's got any objections to the plan, we want to get them out in the open now," Stebbins explained that in order to begin construction, the plan must be approved by the Department of Natural Resources, the U.S. Coast Guard, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, the Michigan Department of Health and the City of Charlevoix.
 The boat shop has prepared a model of what the new docking facility is expected to look like and Stebbins invited any interested people to inspect the model at the boat shop.
 Preliminary discussions about the proposed new dock have already begun with the common council and various other officials. The company will also be talking with lake associations and other citizens groups.
 Stebbins said the land Irish Boat Shop is considering building the dock on has 330 feet of lake frontage and is 620 feet deep.
 "It's the first tier of land in that area," he explained.
 The project calls for the construction of a dock extending 400 feet from the shoreline or about 150 feet past the end of the present oil dock. The dock would be able to accommodate boats up to 50 feet in length.
 A parking lot with 77 spaces would also be constructed for the owners of boats moored at the dock as well as a toilet and bath house.
 Floating breakwaters would be built around the dock for protection. The floating breakwater is a fairly new concept developed and tested by the University of Rhode Island, Stebbins said. It consists of tires filled with foam that are tied together and anchored to the bottom of the lake in the same manner that a boat is anchored.
 The tires float just above the surface of the water and are barely noticeable, Stebbins said. He said the floating breakwater had advantages because it allowed for the free flow of water that solid break walls did not.
 Stebbins said the boat shop would also like to use the parking lot area for outside winter storage of boats. The boats would have to be transported from the current Irish Boat Shop location along Ferry Avenue to the new parking lot.

Tim Moore leaving WVOY Radio for new job with TM Company

Tim Moore, director of sales for WVOY Radio in Charlevoix, will be leaving that position to take a new job with TM Company effective Nov. 1.
 Moore will become international director of sales for TM, one of the top production companies in the nation. The sales director and announcer for the "Moore in the Morning" show, heard daily on WVOY, will be coordinating the sales efforts of TM offices across the nation out of the Dallas, Tex., home office of the company.
 He will also be involved with company activities in Canada, Mexico, Australia and Hong Kong.
 TM has produced the Jingles for such national companies as McDonalds, Chevrolet, Coca Cola, Saks and American Airlines. It is also involved in designing program formats for radio stations.
 Moore moved to Charlevoix from Midland in 1974. He was the first official employee of WVOY other than manager-owner Terry Edger, and he arrived before the station was actually on the air to set up the sales program for the station.
 "I'm leaving Charlevoix with mixed emotions," Moore said. "That I was even considered for this position is a tribute to the station and staff and the excellent work they've done."
 Moore said he was planning to spend much of his free time in this area despite his relocation to Dallas, Tex.
 "I guess this will always be my home in spirit," he said. "I've enjoyed the area, my clients and working with the staff here," he said. "And I'm looking forward to this new challenge."



Charlevoix Yesterday

THE SIDEWHEELER "Andy Johnson" is shown moored in Round Lake between Antenn and Mason Streets in the 1880's. It is said to have been the only sidewheeler ever to enter Round Lake. That's the spire of the old Court House on the far left. (Photo courtesy of Charlevoix Historical Society)

CHARLEVOIX COURIER
 The Second Front Page

School board members approve \$2.5 million budget for 1977-78

By FRANK MARTIN
 The Charlevoix Board of Education approved a \$2.5 million budget Monday night following a budget hearing at the high school study hall.
 The budget, barring emergencies, will leave a balance of \$14,136 at the end of the fiscal year. This, however, will be money from the 1.0 mill tax levy approved early this year for renovation of the middle school and must be used for this purpose.
 The 1976-77 audited budget of \$2,215,613 left the district \$32,963 in the red. Part of the 1.0 mill voted in September went to wipe out this deficit.
 In presenting the budget, it was noted that in addition to the revenue from the usual sources, the total includes 1.0 mill voted in January for the middle school renovation project and another 1.0 mill voted last month for operational purposes.
 Revenue to support the balanced budget for 1977-78 budget will include \$2,299,811 from local sources with property taxes supplying \$2,273,119 of the total; State sources, \$152,865 down from \$195,782 during 1976-77 when the district received \$30,338 in State Aid as compared to no revenue from this source for this budget; Federal sources, \$66,706, down from \$72,723 and incoming transfers, \$5,200, up from \$4,150.
 Funds through federal sources includes \$6,018 under PL 874 to compensate for children of government employees. In this case children of U.S. Coast Guard and Air Force families, which is down from \$9,871; CETA funds, \$57,500, up from \$56,044, earmarked for special Title projects only, and PL 318 (Title IV Indian Education) \$3,187, down from \$7,808.
 Expenditures will be as follows with the 1976-77 audited figures in parentheses:
 Instruction: Elementary, \$457,433 (422,851); Middle School, \$449,404 (353,449); High School, \$521,871 (609,788); Special Education, \$70,456 (59,902); Vocational Education \$56,827 (14,170); Adult Education, \$3,928 (3,899); Summer School, \$13,875 (13,296); Employee benefits, \$150,008 (117,923).
 Support: Administration, \$95,271 (96,641); Plant operation and maintenance, \$325,726 (287,229); Transportation, \$151,330 (133,520); Health Services, \$5,951 (4,000); Employee benefits, \$63,862 (53,058).
 Other: Insurance and interest, \$42,016 (35,843); Indian education, \$3,187 (7,808); Fund balance adjustment, 000 (3,278).
 Revenue: \$2,524,561 (2,180,660). Expenditures, \$2,510,445 (2,213,623); Balance, \$14,136 (-32,963).
 The jump in vocational education figure is not an increase, it was explained, but a change in accountability. In the past, the cost of this program was included in instruction by school or department. Under the new method, the cost of the overall program is extracted from each school or department and included under Voc. Ed.
 "It gives us a better picture of the cost of this program," Supt. Gordon Van Wierman said.
 The Title I budget was \$53,033; the Charlevoix Public Library Budget was \$42,977 with revenue totaling \$42,984.

Ruppe modernizes survey forms

Those answering the Congressman's questions will have to place a 13-cent stamp on the computer card.
Common Council to hold special review of zoning ordinance next Monday
 A special review of the proposed zoning ordinance for the City of Charlevoix will be held at 7:30 p.m. Oct. 24 in the council chambers at Charlevoix City Hall.
 The common council committee of the whole will meet to discuss the zoning ordinance and to hear any comments from interested city residents about the ordinance. Mayor Ed Hansen has announced.

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Editorials/Opinions

Zoning ordinance needs review by experts in the field

Zoning and land use planning are touchy issues. They always will be.

And zoning and planning are difficult things to do because someone always disagrees with whatever decision is made or whatever action is taken. Yet people usually agree that some sort of control is needed over land use in order to make a community a nice place for all of its residents.

The Charlevoix Common Council is currently considering the passage of a proposed new zoning ordinance. The proposed ordinance represents many hours of work donated by various people from the community over many years. It is a conglomerate of ideas about the types of land use controls the different people believed were needed in this town.

Common council has held several public meetings on the proposed ordinance and following each meeting has made some adjustments in the ordinance to meet the criticisms of it by people attending the public hearings.

But, still people are coming to council meetings and objecting to this portion or that portion of the zoning ordinance or to the location of various zoning districts on the zoning map.

With each new logical objection, council is again forced to take another look at the zoning ordinance to determine if it really is exactly what they want. As one alderman pointed out, no zoning ordinance is ever going to be perfect, so why not adopt the proposed ordinance and at least have a tool to work with.

That sounds like a good idea. All the aldermen seem to agree that something needs to be done. The council is being overwhelmed with the number of site plan reviews it must conduct each week. One alderman said it was getting to the point that council didn't have time to do anything else.

The new ordinance provides for the creation of a planning commission which would do all the leg work for the council and make recommendations as to what action should be taken while leaving the council with the final decision.

However, perhaps it would behoove council to give the ordinance one more going over. While it is a good idea to adopt the new zoning ordinance and get going with planning and zoning in this city, since the council has waited this long it can stand to wait a few more weeks to have experts review the ordinance.

The nice thing about the proposed ordinance is that it was written by local residents to meet local problems. However, there could be some errors in the document that the group has overlooked because it has been working so closely with the ordinance.

Perhaps council should do as the Charlevoix Charter Commission did and hire an expert to review the ordinance before it is adopted and put into effect. A few weeks of study by zoning experts may save the city and the common council years of headaches.

Also the experts would be able to assure the council that it has adopted a tool that will actually bring about the things that the group would like to see a zoning ordinance accomplish for the community.

Want to Write to Your Men in Lansing or DC?

Want to write your man in Washington or Lansing? Here are the addresses of the two U.S. Senators and the U.S. Congressman from Michigan, the State Senator and the two State Representatives from the Charlevoix County's circulation area:

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STATE SENATOR—Robert Davis (R), 351 E. Fourth St., Gaylord, Mich., 49735; or State Senate Chambers, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE—10th District—Ralph Ostling (R), Route 2, Box 475B, Roscommon, Mich., 48633; 10th District—Dan Stevens (D), Attiqota, Mich., 49706. The representatives may also be reached at the House of Representatives, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

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"WHEN WILL IT BE AVAILABLE FOR CONGRESSIONAL JUNKIES?"



Clockwise

by Bob Clock

Why is it that when a fellow enters public life he often seems to take leave of his senses?

Take Jimmy Carter, for example. Before he became President, Mr. Carter appeared to be a sensible, orderly chap not given to putting the cart before the horse.

His keen, scientific, businesslike mind gave him high grades as a nuclear engineer and a peanut merchant long before he went into politics.

So what does he do as President? He has his colleagues in the State Department draw up a treaty with the Republic of Panama gradually relinquishing control of the Panama Canal by the United States.

Then he invites everyone in Latin America above the rank of matador to attend glittering treaty-signing ceremonies in Washington, D.C.

THEN, when the ink is dry and everyone has gone home, Carter hands the treaty to a reluctant Senate which, in all likelihood, will turn it down.

Why didn't Carter put off the gala formalities until he had Senate ratification in his hot pocket? I don't know. Secretary of State Cyrus Vance doesn't know. Simon Holivar doesn't know. And no one in the Washington Press Corps has taken the trouble to ask Jimmy.

At best, it was a gamble on Carter's part that his colleagues in government would not embarrass him by turning down the treaty after the tequila was cold and the enchiladas had turned cold.

At worst, it was a colossal blunder. If the Senate says "no," Carter will have to spend the rest of his ad-

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If it Fitz

by Jim Fitzgerald

Recently I quoted a reader's complaint about the state law which requires the bodies be cremated in coffins. There is no such law. You just thought there was.

That's the problem, according to Esther Shapiro, director of Detroit's Consumer Affairs Department. Too many people are obeying laws that really aren't laws at all.

The net result is that the buyer accepts a screwing without squealing because he thinks he has no choice, other than fine or imprisonment. And the seller says he's sorry, but the law forces him to gouge his customers, and he cries all the way to the bank where he is chairman of the board.

Forget burned coffins, for a minute. Think about bathing suits. Once you buy a bathing suit and take it home, you can never return it to the store for refund or exchange, no matter what. That's the law, right? Wrong.

Esther Shapiro investigated the swimsuit "law" after the consumer bought swimming trunks which were advertised "marked down from \$5." When he got home, he discovered the

original price tag: \$3.99.

Angry at the deception, he took the trunks back, still in the original wrapper. The store refused to accept them. Regardless of whether the advertising was a lie, the manager said he could not allow a refund or exchange because there was a law forbidding the return of swimsuits.

What law? Esther Shapiro and her staff tried to find out.

"Everyone we consulted said there was a law. No one could tell us what it was," she said. "Systematically, we checked every possible government agency. The Food and Drug Administration could not identify either a regulation or a statute. Neither could the Federal Trade Commission. State of Michigan? County of Wayne? Never heard of it. The Detroit Health Department had never seen an ordinance involving swimsuits."

Thanks to Shapiro, the man got his money back. But thousands of swimsuit buyers will continue to get yipped, with hardly a gripe, because they think there is a law. The sales clerk said so.

And for the same reason, thousands

of persons will continue to buy expensive easels on Tuesday so they can be used for kindling wood on Wednesday.

I talked with a crematory employee who used to work for a mortician. He said he'd tell me the truth if I didn't publish his name requirement is that a body be buried in a suitable container, so the crematory workers won't have to touch the corpse," he said. "The container can be a \$4,000 steel casket or a \$50 wooden tray like the airlines use for shipping bodies.

"The trouble is, most morticians don't tell survivors about the \$50 packing cases. At least, they don't mention it loud enough to be heard over the sobbing of the bereaved people who always want to do the right thing. So most of the corpses we burn are contained in wooden or metal caskets that cost several thousand dollars."

I'm sure it wouldn't be fair to insinuate that all morticians let grief-stricken survivors believe the law requires that a corpse be burned in a \$4,000 coffin. I'm sure because I

received a letter from Jerry Barto, who is a mortician in Grand Rapids.

"The container would be a \$45 cardboard case or a \$3,000 copper casket. The choice is the family's," he said.

Some morticians might influence the family's choice. The metal caskets could be displayed in a velvet-lined room with organ music coming out of religious statues. But if you want to see the \$45 boxes, they are downstairs, next to the garbage cans.

Incidentally, even the \$50 packing crates cost less than cheap goods for Esther Shapiro, the consumers' advocate. She pointed out that plastic bags were good enough for the corpse coming out of the Vietnam war, so why aren't they good enough for burning?

I guess a question like that should be answered by the state Board of Mortuary Science. It is the board's job to protect the public against greedy morticians.

The mortuary board has 7 members. Six of them are morticians.

Wouldn't that turn you, in a \$4,000 casket?

There ought to be a law.



Paula Holmes...

...Speaking Her Mind

Last week was National Sex Education Week.

And last week several hundred teenage girls across the nation got pregnant. Last year in Michigan alone there were 32,700 teenage pregnancies plus 6,000 abortions were performed for teenagers and 1,700 miscarriages occurred among the under-20-year set.

It's hard to pinpoint the reasons behind the ever increasing teenage pregnancy rate. Some blame it on provocative advertising, television shows, movies and magazine articles. Others say that a permissive society allows its teenagers to get into situations where the temptation of sex is too much to pass up.

Still others blame the break down of the family unit for the sky rocketing rate of teen pregnancies and the cause of a situation like the one in Washington D.C. where more illegitimate births than legitimate births took place last year.

Whatever the causes, it looks like teenage sex and therefore, teen pregnancy are here to stay. Accepting that fact, the alternative is to teach teenage students how to prevent pregnancy. And that teaching should be done by a neutral person in a neutral situation and location such as in a class in the high school and junior high school.

Right away many people are going to be appalled at that suggestion. They will argue that sex is a personal thing and that sex education should be left up to the parents.

And the need for birth control, information and education becomes doubly important when the U.S. Congress and the Michigan Legislature refuse to fund abortions for anything other than life and death situations. Also many lawmakers are attempting to outlaw abortions all together.

In this case, no doubt, prevention is better than the cure, but teen pregnancies will not be prevented if the students have no access to birth control information.



Erma Bombeck

Open Letter to Dan Rather (author of "The Camera Never Blinks")

Dear Dan:

I am addressing you rather informally as you nearly missed being named in a suit to end a 28-year marriage.

Last Sunday I was reading your book when my husband said, "How do you like the book?"

I told him I thought it was fascinating and he asked if you broached the subject of that infamous press conference when you arose to scattered applause and Mr. Nixon asked, "Are you running for something?" and you replied, "No, Mr. President, are you?"

"I always felt that was out-of-line retort," said my husband.

"You had to have been there," I said. "It wasn't the way it seemed at all."

"Knowing you, you probably got it screwed up anyway."

"What do you mean by a crack like that?"

"Exactly what you think I mean. You are always quoting statistics that when tallied up exceed 100 per cent."

"At least I know how I feel before a bumper sticker comes out on it."

"Unlike some people, I do not have time to read for pleasure. I am too busy cutting the lawn, moving the hose and cleaning the garage. If I had wanted to

to the parents.

Ideally that is the way sex education should work. Parents should have heart to heart talks with their children about sex and about the prevention of pregnancy. But because sex is personal, it is a hard thing to discuss with anyone including a person's children. Also it is surprising, according to national surveys, how many parents aren't all that clear about the mechanics of pregnancy or birth control themselves.

So why not have sex education taught in school by an impartial person. A form of sex education is already being taught in the Charlevoix Public Schools and, in fact, in all public schools in accordance with state law. But no birth control information may be handed out in public schools.

It's little wonder that teenagers are getting pregnant when fundamentally they're being taught how to get pregnant with no suggestions about prevention except abstinence.

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Teacher Feature

...Marti Mathers

By PEGG HOLE

Adults who remember their grade school art classes as a series of crayon and construction paper monstrosities should visit Mercedes Mathers' art room at the Charlevoix Elementary School.

The tables are piled high with materials for expressive creations in many media and the walls are lined with finished work by the youngest through the oldest grade school artist. There are ceramic tile murals, fabric wall hangings, tissue paper kites, dolls, and many other proudly made items.

All this is understandable when one learns how Miss Mathers structures her classes. Each grade's program is laid out to capture the imagination and enthusiasm of its age group.

The fifth grade class is now busy making apple head dolls. Later on in the year they may

make wall hangings on their paper bag masks, yarn and color composition; they may do mosaic work, make some pottery and learn to macramé; they may make castings and face masks from Parafilm; they may learn how to do hot wax batik work; they may study the history of art forms; they may undertake quilting; they may make some giant stuffed animals, paint some murals, and perhaps, as they did last year, dress and make up as clowns and create a circus environment.

The totem pole that graces the front lobby of the school building is the work of a former fifth grade class.

The fourth graders may try tie dying, make charcoal drawings, create salt modeling dough ornaments, use drops of plaster in painting, transform tissue paper into colorful collages, or make decorative forms from ink blots.

Third graders may make paper bag masks, yarn and color composition; they may do mosaic work, make some pottery and learn to macramé; they may make castings and face masks from Parafilm; they may learn how to do hot wax batik work; they may study the history of art forms; they may undertake quilting; they may make some giant stuffed animals, paint some murals, and perhaps, as they did last year, dress and make up as clowns and create a circus environment.

Second graders may trace the outline of one of their feet to form the body of a lion which will become realistic when a yarn mane is added; they may make gift cards decorated with buttons and yarn; they may use tissue paper to make "fluttersby" and clay to make dinosaurs.

First graders may make chalk and crayon paintings, tissue paper flowers, paper bath designs, clay animals, tissue paper "Me" buttons, and crayon designs on fabric.

Often art studies are combined with other class studies. When fourth graders study Japan, for instance, they may make Japanese fish kites in their art class. When first graders study the Woodland Indians, the clay

animals fit right in. "I try to involve children in as many media as possible, to help them gain an appreciation of their surroundings," Miss Mathers explains.

She further cites some concepts of art education brought out in fine arts workshops:

"Enrich the leisure time through acquiring skills and appreciation in the field of fine arts."

"Develop the desire to create."

"Understand the fine arts as a means of communication and effects on other people."

"Become more aware of surroundings, asking them to look again and again discerning at textures, shapes, and colors, thereby helping to train the memory and strengthen the ability to see details."

"Understand that this is a common language in which we

may all participate. It is international."

Miss Mathers' own favorite art forms are acrylic painting and stained glass. She also does some scuba diving, skiing and sailing.

A native of Central Lake, Miss Mathers graduated from high school there, then attended Central Michigan

University, from which she graduated with a major in art and minor in sociology. She taught a year in the Traverse City school system before coming to Charlevoix eight years ago.

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Timothy Doan sworn in as new state police trooper

Timothy D. Doan of Charlevoix was among the 45 Michigan State Police officers candidates sworn in as troopers recently following graduation ceremonies for the 91st recruit school held at the department's training academy in Lansing.

Trooper Doan is the husband of the former Tricia Young and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Doan, Sr. of Charlevoix.

Judge George N. Bashara, Jr., of the Michigan Court of Appeals, Grosse Pointe Woods, was the graduation speaker. The oath of office was administered by Col. Gerald L. Hough, department director, who also presented them with their badges and addressed the graduates and

In Lansing for his graduation were Mrs. Doan and their daughter, Angelina, his parents, the Senior Doans, Gerard Doan and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Doan, Jr., all of Charlevoix, and Matthew Doan, a student at Central Michigan College.

Comments to be sent in response to the proposed "Guidelines for Health Planning." The meeting will take place on Wednesday, November 2, 1977 at 1:00 p.m. at the Chateau Restaurant located in Gaylord. While all of our meetings are open to the public, residents of the area with information that may assist us in our response to the "Guidelines" are encouraged to attend.

Respectfully,
Ann Smith, President
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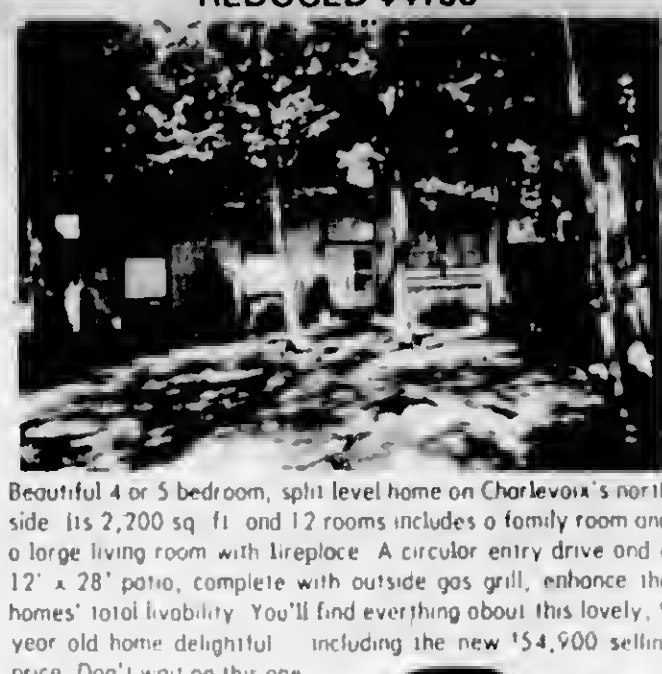
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Misty Morning Trading Co. to offer showing of Asian art collection

A special showing of Asian art will be held at the Misty Morning Trading Company in Boyne City this weekend. The trading company, known for its creation of stained glass art, has purchased Japanese and Chinese scrolls, paintings, wood prints and tape prints following the liquidation of the James C. Nichols collection in Kalamazoo, Greg Reinhardt, general manager of the Misty Morning Trading Company, explained.

The collection includes many antiques and contemporary original paintings as well as tape prints from Siam and other Pacific Islands.

To enhance the art collection, Misty Morning has created lamps and windows featuring Oriental motifs to decorate the showroom area. The art show will be held from noon to 6 p.m. Saturday and from 1 to 7 p.m. Sunday at the Misty Morning Studios at 113 Groveland in Boyne City. The studios are located in the former First Baptist Church.

The show coincides with the first anniversary of the opening of the studios.



THIS SCROLL is one of the many pieces of Asian art that will be on display during a special showing at the Misty Morning Trading Company in Boyne City.

Porcelain, stoneware featured at Ed Gray Gallery showroom

A special showing of the award winning porcelain and stoneware of Madeline Kaczmarek and Jerry Berta will be held at the Ed Gray Gallery now until Oct. 31.

The porcelain and stoneware both sculptural and

traditional may be viewed daily from 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. at the Elk Rapids studio. Ms. Kaczmarek, 28, studied at Michigan State University and Pewabic Pottery in Detroit. She has taught at the Pontiac Creative Arts Center. Mr. Berta, 26, attended Wayne State University and also studied at Pewabic Pottery. He has taught at Jordan West Community College.



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Mrs. Mary Keyerleber and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Enos Bacon, are building an addition on their home on Washington Street. Mrs. Mary Keyerleber is spending the summer with her daughter, Mrs. Robert Mauseau. Mrs. Effie Arthur is spending several weeks with relatives in England.

Mrs. Helen Keating has moved her summer home on Washington Street and returned to her home in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Enos Bacon are building an addition on their home on Washington Street. Rev. William Harmon our past minister of Cheboygan is now in Little Traverse Hospital. He has the best wishes of our community. This has been the most unusual summer I can remember we have had so much rain. After all the snow we had last winter we were looking forward to some beautiful sunshine and it came early in March through April and May. Gardens were planted but the hot weather in June with no rain everything began to show the lack of moisture even the trees shed some of their leaves. We even had a late frost that damaged some garden plants. The farmers were concerned for their hay and corn crops and some garden plants were replanted. But the rain finally came and it has been raining nearly every day since we have had no floods for which we should be grateful. What our winter will be no one knows, but many are out and trying to get ready for a real old fashioned one like many of us remember through the years gone by. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kemp and sister Mrs. Emily Coward and Mrs. Pearl Sinclair of East Jordan spent the past weekend with the former brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kemp in Port Huron. Mr. and Mrs. William Crowe are visiting friends in the Upper Peninsula and enjoying the fall color.

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COMPLETE SURPRISE crossed Peggy Hosmer's face when it was announced that her classmates had selected her to be the 1977 Homecoming Queen last week. She and her four-member court reigned at the game and over other Homecoming festivities.



HOMEcoming Queen Peggy Hosmer rides regally during the parade before the Homecoming game. Friday night, Peggy and her court reigned during the game and dance which followed.



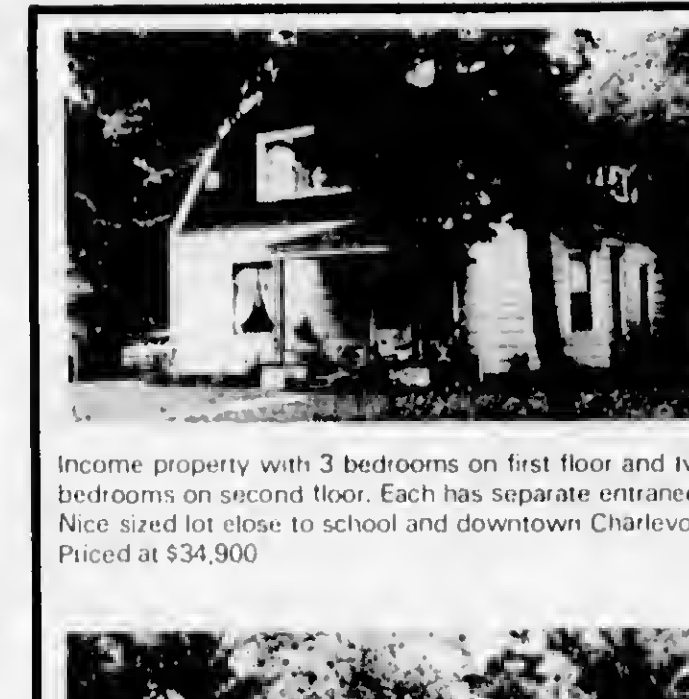
KIP CINNAMON and Tom Jones, co-captains of the Rayder Football team kneel during half time ceremonies to be knighted by Homecoming Queen Peggy Hosmer. The players presented Peggy with a golden football.



THE HURONS are gone with the wind was the theme for the senior class float which captured second place during float competition for Homecoming.



JOANNE CAREY arranges a bouquet of roses presented to her by the Rayder Football team last week. The team chose to dedicate the game to Mrs. Carey, the wife of Head Coach Don Carey because of all that she has done for the team.



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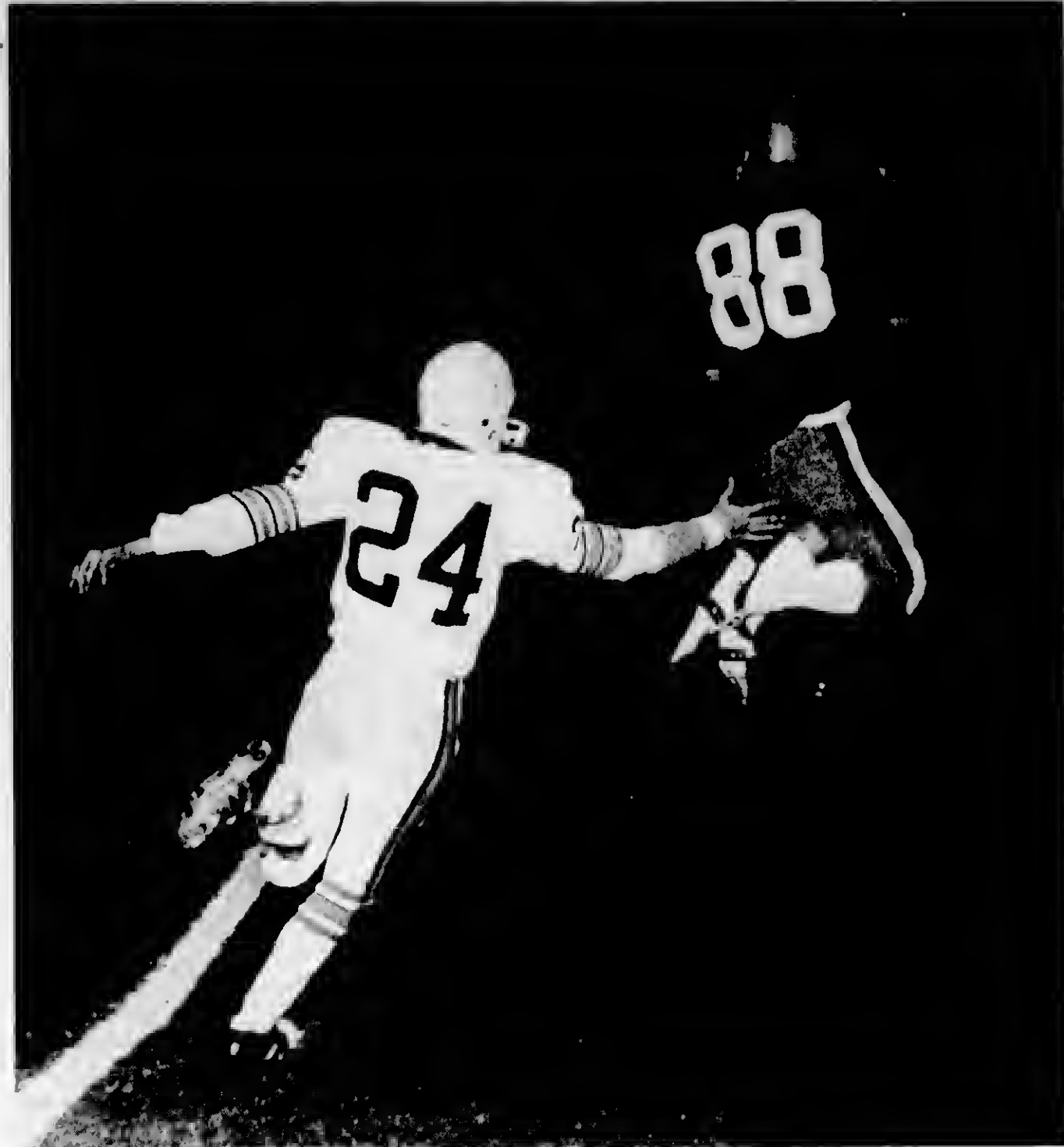
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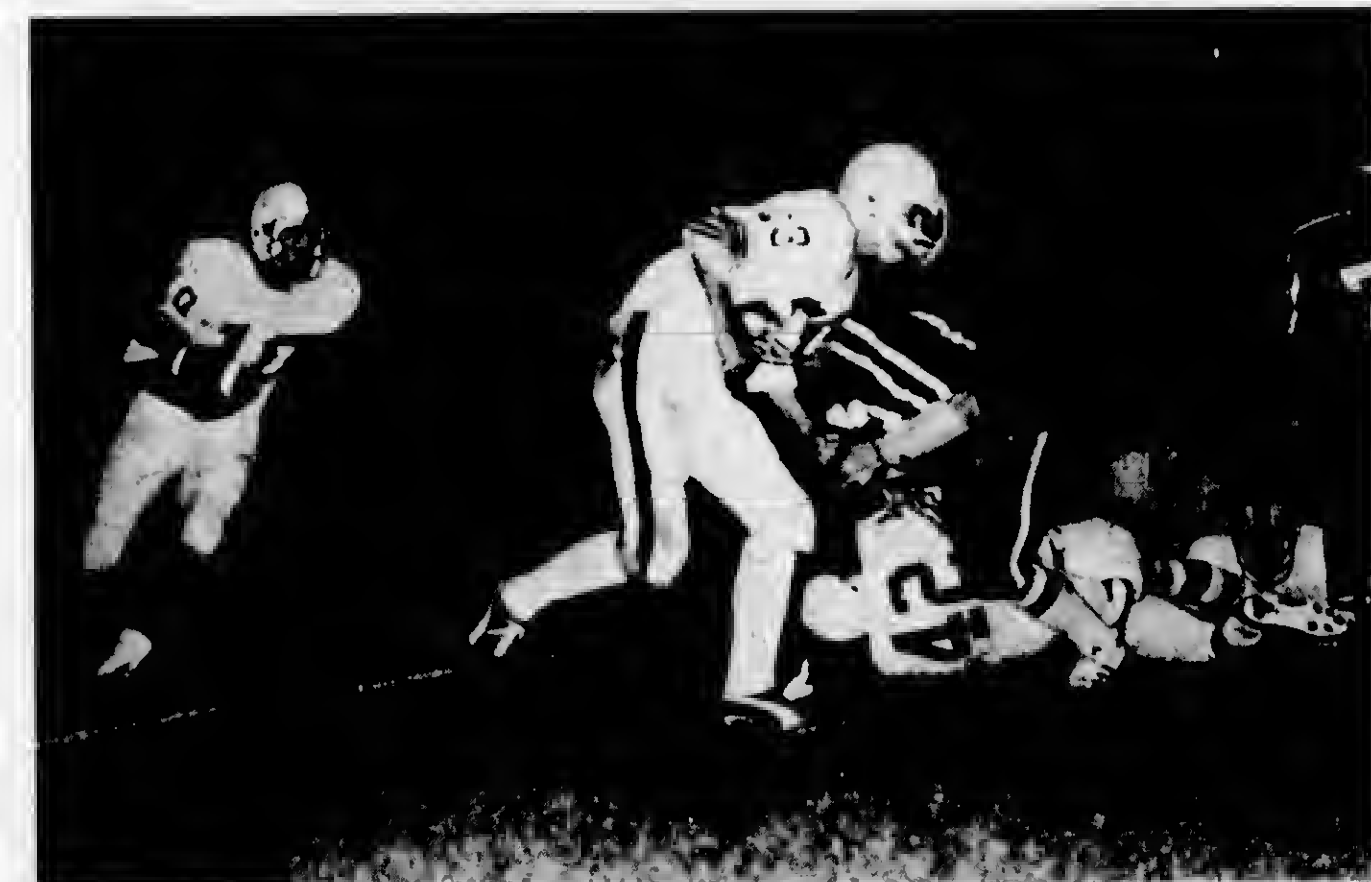


QUARTERBACK JIM ALGER'S touch down pass was good as Neil Dzedzic (88) jumped into the air to grab the ball and to avoid harm from Rogers City's Riek Grukke (24). Dzedzic put the Rayder's third touchdown on the scoreboard. The Rayders downed Rogers City 42-6.

CHARLEVOIX'S GREG KRUEGER carried for 203 yards during Friday's game against Rogers City. Krueger averaged 8 plus yards during 25 carries. Here the senior wiggles his way through the Huron line.



NEIL DZIEDZIC (88) chases after an overthrown pass intended for Rogers City's Stan Wisniewski (88). The Rogers City team had a hard time both defensively and offensively against the Rayder machine. Homecoming spirit is hard to beat.



ROGERS CITY'S Mark Gruke (10) attempts to elude Rayder tacklers during this play. The blocking on this play was successful, but the Hurons were no match for the Rayders losing the game 42-6 to the undefeated Charlevoix team.



JIM ELZINGA (11) stops this Huron, Gary Florip (38) from making much of a gain. The Rayders scalped the Hurons 42-6.

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MARK RUSSELL runs to the top place finish during the Petoskey Invitational last weekend. Russell and Jeff Drenth have taken the top honors in several cross country meets during the last month.

In the fourth quarter, the Durons threatened to score again after recovering a bad snap from the Rayder center to the punter on the Rayders

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Russell, Drenth place 1, 2 at Soo cross country

Charlevolx harriers, however, placed first and second in the C-D division with Mark Russell coming first with a time of 16:52 followed John Fiedorek, 14th, with time of 18:25; Jay Swartwo 23rd, 18:49; Rich Meadows 24th, 16:52 and Gene Morris 25th, 16:57.



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Eating out has become more popular than ever

In Charlevoix County, eating out has become more popular than ever. For a variety of reasons, local residents are eating more of their meals at restaurants and doing less cooking at home.

The figures indicate the extent of the change. They show that no less than 206 per cent more is being spent in local eating and drinking places now than was the case ten years ago. Part of the rise, of course, has been due to inflation.

Why have people been eating out more? Because family relationships, working habits and social attitudes have been changing, the Labor Department states.

More people live alone, more women are working and more leisure money is available. It finds that the image of a family in which "the husband is the only bread-winner, the wife is a homemaker, out of the labor force, and there are children's applies to only seven out of every 100 households in the United States at the present time.

Currently, half of all households consist of single men or women or married couples without children. Under the circumstances, the tendency is to eat out more frequently.

In Charlevoix County, the amount spent in eating and drinking places in the past year came to \$5,041,000. By way of contrast, the total ten years ago was \$1,645,000.

On a population basis, this was equivalent to \$800 per local household. In 1966 the average was only \$340 per household.

The increase, 135 per cent, compares with an 89 per cent rise in the United States and with 94 per cent in the East North Central States.

The figures are contained in the new, copyrighted Survey of Buying Power, recently released by Sales and Marketing Management.

Although inflation has had a great deal to do with the higher dining-out expenditures, it by no means accounts for all of the upsurge.

Some of the other factors contributing to the rise are the proliferation of fast-food eateries, the search for new taste experiences and the short time available for cooking after a day's work.

As a result, according to the National Restaurant Association, \$1 out of every \$3 that Americans are spending for food today is in restaurants and other eating and drinking places. Ten years ago only \$1 out of every \$5 was spent in such places.

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Nurse restores faith for handicapped patients

By PAULA HOLMES

She carries herself proudly and energy flows from her body and through her speech.

Dignity and self-worth are important values to her and she tries to instill them in everyone she meets or works with.

And that can be a tough thing to do because Helen Millen is a rehabilitation nurse who works only with handicapped patients. Ms. Millen said it is often an uphill battle to maintain the dignity and self-worth of a handicapped patient because of the stigma our society places of people with physical disabilities.

The registered nurse was in the Charlevoix area last week to conduct a day-long seminar on the latest techniques of rehabilitation for interested Northern Michigan nurses at the Grandview Medical Care Facility. She crisscrosses the state conducting such seminars under the auspices of the Keweenaw-Michigan Rehabilitation Foundation, a United Fund agency. She is also a professor at the School of Nursing at Wayne State University in Detroit.

"Statistics show that one out of every 10 people will need major rehabilitation therapy before they die," Ms. Millen said. "And it is estimated that approximately 47 million handicapped people are presently living in this country."

"That makes rehabilitation a very important field."

Ms. Millen said people often ask her what rehabilitation therapy can do for an amputated leg or the injuries that have been caused by a severe car accident.

"I always tell them I can't do anything for the lost leg or arm," she said smiling. "I can't bring them back, but I can do a lot for the people these things happened to."

"Through rehabilitation I can help them cope. I can get them to an equilibrium point where they can function as human beings and not as crippled people."

Ms. Millen said rehabilitation is nothing new, it has been a part of medicine since World War II when large numbers of injured soldiers came back to the United States and needed to be rehabilitated in order to be functional in our society.

The nurse stressed that wars weren't needed to keep rehabilitation units thriving. She pointed out that the number of motorcycle, snowmobile, farm and automobile accidents causing handicaps each year far out numbers the number of men who were handicapped in a single battle in World War II.

The nurse predicts some drastic changes will take place in rehabilitation therapy in the next few years, particularly in the nursing homes.

"The average stay in a nursing home or rehabilitation center for handicapped people is seven years," Ms. Millen pointed out. "You can't have a patient for seven years. So you have to help them become independent and get them to begin doing things for themselves."

She said that a person loses 3 to 5 percent of their body strength everyday they lay in bed in a hospital. That's why it is important to have patients that are able to take care of themselves.

"And it helps to give them a feeling of dignity and self-worth, too, when they find they can do things for themselves and they don't have to always have someone do it for them," she stressed.

Ms. Millen said she would also like to see the development of day care centers for handicapped people. This way they could live at home or with relatives and then during the day they could go to the centers for therapy and social activities so that the relatives can go to work or at least have some time to themselves.

The nurse said she would also like to see floating beds in hospitals that could be used for handicapped people who are being taken care of at home.

"With the floating beds, the relatives could plan to go away for the weekend or a vacation without worrying about what would happen to the handicapped person," she said. "More people would now even before the rules are changed."

The landlords stressed in their letter that even if the rules for FmHA rent increases were changed, things would not be too different for the tenants.

"If the proposed rules for rent increases are adopted as published, you will receive as required by law, basically the same information we voluntarily provided you last January," the landlords wrote. "The principal difference will be your right to lodge your objections or comments with us and Earners Home Administration. We have no objections to the proposed changes and when they are implemented we will follow them in the spirit in which they are intended."

The landlords also stressed in their letter that they have done everything they could to avoid raising the rents at the apartment complex.

Landlords answer rent suit through letter

In response to a suit filed in U.S. District Court in September on behalf of the tenants of the Charlevoix Apartments over a rent dispute, the landlords have sent a letter to all the renters in the housing complex on May Street explaining their position.

In the letter, Frank Vaydik, Roger Pierce and Betty Frey, owners of the apartments and codefendants in the suit, point out the suit does not charge that they have done anything illegal, but instead claims that the tenants were denied their constitutional rights when the rents were raised.

"The suit is aimed at making Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) change its procedure for increasing rents," the three owners wrote in their letter. "The suit does not contend that the owners did anything illegal according to the regulations in effect at that time."

The suit, filed by Gregory Justis of Legal Services of Northern Michigan on behalf of the tenants, claims that tenants of the apartment complex were denied their constitutional rights when their rents were increased 25 per cent March 1 because they weren't given a chance to submit input about the proposed rent hike.

The suit seeks to establish a system that gives the tenants a chance to participate in the approval or disapproval to rent hikes by the FmHA, according to Justis.

"In my judgment this is unworthy litigation," John Michael, local attorney for the apartment complex owners, said. "It's sort of a wasteful way of doing things."

"The FmHA is working to change its rules for approval or disapproval of rents to include input by tenants right now. What the suit is saying is that the tenants should have that right of input

Walstrom proposes new marina

CHARLEVOIX — Ward Walstrom, a Harbor Springs marina operator, Monday night asked the Charlevoix City Council to rescind Charlevoix Lumber Co. property on Round Lake from Commercial-I to Marine Industrial, clearing the way for his purchase of the property from James Hiller.

Walstrom's request ended months of speculation as to who would acquire the choice downtown frontage after Charlevoix Lumber announced that it was going out of business.

Walstrom, who also has developed condominiums at Harbor Springs, says the Charlevoix location will be used strictly as a marine operation, "the business we know best."

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Tuesday, Oct. 25
Girls' Basketball: Grayling here 8:30 p.m.
Charlevoix Rebekah Association will meet at the American Legion post home 8 p.m.
St. Mary's Board of Education will meet at school hall 8 p.m.

Men's Prayer meeting 7 a.m. at Community Church of God.

Wednesday, Oct. 26
Freshmen Football: Cheboygan here 8:30 p.m.
Registration for Senior Citizen health screening at Charlevoix City Hall, Northern Michigan Electric

Cooperative in Boyne City, High School in Boyne Falls and Senior Citizens Center in East Jordan 1 until 3 p.m. Those unable to visit registration sites to register and receive information may call Dorothy Pelton at 536-7831. Sponsored by Commission on Aging and Health Dept.

Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at the county building annex 9:30 a.m.
TOPS will meet at the Christ

Episcopal Church undercroft at 6 p.m. for weigh-in; business meeting 8:30 p.m. Round Lake Lodge No. 293 I.O.O.F. will meet at the American Legion post home 8 p.m.

Thursday, Oct. 27
JV Football: Charlevoix at Boyne City 6:30 p.m.
Girls' Basketball: Boyne City here 8:30 p.m.
Annual Salad Luncheon and Christmas Bazaar will be presented by the United Methodist Women at the

church on State St. Bazaar: 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Luncheon: 11 a.m.-1:30 p.m.

Friday, Oct. 28
Football: Boyne City at Kipske Field 8 p.m.
Anonymous Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal Church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.

Saturday, Oct. 29
Cross Country: Class C Regional meet at Clare, V.F.W. and Auxiliary will

hold its annual membership dinner at 6:30 p.m. at the V.F.W. post home. Members of both organizations and prospective members are invited to attend.

Charlevoix Yacht Club Halloween party for members and guests at the Clubhouse 9 p.m. Costumes encouraged with prizes for the best.

Sunday, Oct. 30
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by Community Church of God.

Monday, Oct. 31
Halloween...Beware of little spooks and goblins and be prepared to trick or treat.

Tuesday, Nov. 1
Girls' Basketball: Charlevoix at Gaylord 6:30 p.m.
Charlevoix Area Historical Society will meet at the Community Room, First State Bank 8 p.m. Reg Sharkey of

Petoskey, newspaper columnist and naturalist, will speak on the passenger pigeon in relation to the white settlement in northern Michigan.

Women of the Church of God will meet at Fellowship Hall 7:30 p.m. Hostess: Mrs. Howard Struthers.

American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m.

Wednesday, Nov. 2
Freshmen Football: Charlevoix at Petoskey 6:30 p.m.
Community Church of God Salad-Casseroles Luncheon and Christmas Bazaar at Fellowship Hall. Bazaar: 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Luncheon: 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Donation: \$2.50, adults; \$1.00 children under 12 years; pre-schoolers, no charge.

Norwood United Methodist Women will meet with Mrs. George Severson 7:30 p.m. Coast Guard Wives will meet with Mrs. Robert Miller, 410 E. Upright, 7:30 p.m.

Soaring Club will meet at Airport Hangar Tach room 8 p.m.

Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational Church will meet at the home of Mrs. Jeffrey Porter, Prospect ave. A film strip, "Together", will be shown. Mrs. Floyd Chamberlain will review the recent giving and review this year's project. Devotions: Mrs. Carl Kohler. Co-hostesses: Hospitality committee.

Charlevoix Chapter No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, open installation at the Masonic Temple 8 p.m. Little Flower Guild will meet at St. Mary's School Hall 8 p.m.

TOPS will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal Church 6 p.m. for weigh-in; Business meeting, 6:30 p.m.

Landmark removed at school
Repairs and improvements continued at the Charlevoix Middle School last week. Construction crews were on the site the last half of the week removing the old chimney on top of the school building. The old landmark was falling down and damaging the middle school roof as the bricks came loose and fell out, according to Superintendent Gordon Van Wieren.

The chimney was no longer in use at the school, so the administration decided to have it removed and capped to prevent any further damage to the school roof.

Police seek mediator in contract dispute
The Teamsters Union local representing the uniformed personnel for the City of Charlevoix has requested a mediator from the State to help settle the contract dispute between the city and its police and fire employees.

The city has not yet received notice of a meeting with the mediator, Allen Sandberg, city administrator, said.

Negotiations for a contract for the five policemen and the two firemen have been going on since February. Several delays in negotiations have taken place due to vacation schedules or members of the two negotiating teams.

Shortage delays doors for high school
There will be a delay in the installation of the new doors at the Charlevoix High School. Because of the demand, certain parts needed for the new doors are on back order from the manufacturer, Superintendent Gordon Van Wieren explained. The school district is having trouble getting the hardware and the tubular steel for the framing around the doors.

Van Wieren estimated the new doors may not be installed until January. The school officials had hoped to have the new doors in place before winter.

The doors are being purchased with the funds generated by the additional one mill approved by the voters last September. Some of these funds are also being

used to purchase new playground equipment for the Charlevoix Elementary School. The toys should be shipped some time this week for installation within the next two weeks.

"We really needed more equipment out there," Van Wieren said. "We still don't have enough, but this will help."

'Oh, are you on that new diet, too?'

By PAULA HOLMES
"I guess I'll have a cheese omelet and a grapefruit half," the woman said placing her order with the waitress. "And don't bother bringing the toast or pancakes."

"Oh, are you on that diet?" the waitress asked.

That diet. There are millions of them and every time a new diet shows up in one of the women's magazines, the newspaper or on the bookstore shelf, hundreds of people give it a try hoping it will be the miracle cure for their paunchy midriffs.

And people should be concerned about their weight. Weight control is the number one health problem in the United States, according to Reed Freidinger, M.D., of Charlevoix. It is estimated

that 30 to 45 percent of all Americans are more than 20 percent overweight.

People are considered obese when they weigh 20 percent more than the size/age/weight charts indicate they should weigh.

With obesity there is a tendency toward a host of other diseases ranging from fatigue and general sluggishness to heart disease, high blood pressure and diabetes, which is why so many people are interested in dropping those 20 or 100 extra pounds of ugly fat.

But the road to weight loss and to keeping that weight off permanently is a long and rocky one, according to Freidinger, who encourages his patients to lose weight simply by cutting down on their intake of calories and by rearranging their eating habits, instead of by using a fad diet.

"People don't gain their weight quickly and they aren't going to lose it quickly, either," the doctor explained. "I believe in a prolonged program of weight loss and I don't look for any success until after a year."

Freidinger said he likes to have his patients lose 24 pounds a year and during that time they also work to relearn their eating habits.

The doctor contends that there are too many cues in the environment that make people want to eat when they shouldn't just like the cues from the environment for smoking.

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And watching the quantity of what you eat is important, too. Freidinger said it is recommended that people eat 10 calories per pound of ideal weight. So, for a 5 foot tall woman who should weigh 100 pounds, she should be eating 1,000 calories a day to keep her weight where it should be.

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"People don't gain their weight quickly and they aren't going to lose it quickly, either," the doctor explained. "I believe in a prolonged program of weight loss and I don't look for any success until after a year."

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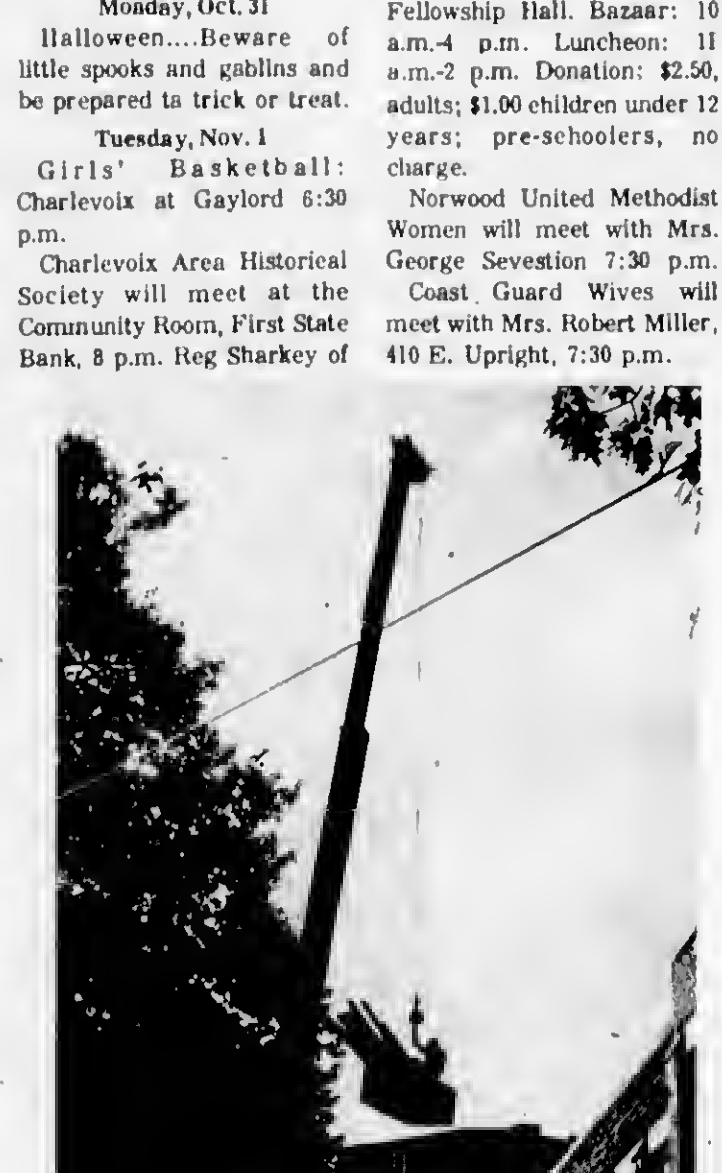
ONE OF THE NEW SIGNS recently erected in the city already has a bullet hole through it.

The replacement of directional signs on Charlevoix Streets is nearly completed.

City crews have been working since last summer to install more than 425 signs along various streets in town. The city will be reimbursed for the labor of the street crews by the state and federal government. The entire \$18,000 project was funded through the federal government.

The project started last spring when a crew of students made a survey of the existing directional signs such as yield, stop and no parking signs. The survey results were given to the Michigan Department of Highways and Transportation which determined how many and what type of signs were needed.

Because Charlevoix was designated as an urban area, the signs were required to be erected at a height of seven feet.



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Editorials/Opinions

New citizens award a good program for Charlevoix County

It's hard to be a law enforcement officer during these times. Ever since the 1960s and the student and civil rights protests there has been a noticeable rift between the public and the police.

The inexcusable actions of some law enforcement officials during the protests put a stain on all policemen just as the inexcusable actions of some students and civil rights advocates pinned the word hippie on anyone in blue jeans with hair growing past his or her ears.

In addition to the negative things people express about police officers, a negative attitude about cooperating with or assisting the police has also developed. This negative attitude coupled with the public apathy that is spreading across the nation has made the job of a law enforcement officer even more difficult.

It is virtually impossible for law enforcement officials to be everywhere and observing everything that might be happening in a community. It just can't be done. However, if citizens are willing to become the eyes and ears of the law enforcement officials much can be accomplished.

Citizens are often in positions due to their jobs or the location of their homes or their hobbies to observe crimes in progress, to run across stolen property or to discover fugitives. Quick thinking by concerned citizens combined with a quick call to the local law enforcement agency can result in the apprehension of a criminal or help solve a crime.

But people have to be encouraged to be helpful. Apathy is a strong force and so is fear. Many people just choose not to get involved in anything invol-

ing others and to stay safe in their world.

The burden then is on the law enforcement officials to regain the confidence of the people and to encourage them to assist the officials in any way they can. By doing this the law enforcement agencies will be better able to serve the public.

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department has started a program of Citizens Awards to recognize people who have been willing to stick out their necks and assist the department with law enforcement in the county. Under the new program, people who have assisted the sheriff's department in some manner will receive a certificate recognizing their efforts.

At the end of the year, four citizens will receive \$100 savings bonds from the four banks in Charlevoix County in recognition of their extra effort in assisting the sheriff's department. The program is a positive action on the part of the sheriff's department. Through the recognition of the citizens, the department is expressing its desire to people who were willing to make the extra effort to help.

And the department is encouraging others to become active and to join with the sheriff department in making the county a better place for everyone to live.

The sheriff's department has taken the first step toward better understanding between it and the community. And the sheriff's department has taken the first step toward improving law enforcement for the county.

Now it's up to the citizens to respond and work toward a better county.

Want to Write to Your Men in Lansing or DC?

Want to write your man in Washington or Lansing? Here are the addresses of the two U.S. Senators and the U.S. Congressman from Michigan, the State Senator and the two State Representatives from the Charlevoix County's congressional area:

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U.S. CONGRESSMAN—Rep. Philip Ruppe (R), Woodland Road, Houghton, Mich., 49931; or the U.S. House of Representatives, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

STATE SENATOR—Robert Davis (R), 351 E. Fourth St., Gaylord, Mich., 49735; or State Senate Chambers, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE—103rd District—Ralph Ostling (R), Route 2, Box 475B, Roscommon, Mich., 48650; 106th District—E. Dan Stevens, (R), Atlanta, Mich., 49709. The representatives may also be reached at the House of Representatives, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

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"To catch a bird..."



Clockwise

by Bob Clock

Henry Ford Museum in Dearborn has a real money-maker on its hands. But officials don't seem to realize it. They have it locked in a closet.

The object in question is "The Great Brewster Chair," purchased by the museum seven years ago for \$9,000 under the mistaken belief that it was a genuine piece of Americana dating to Pilgrim days.

Over the weekend, the fellow who built the chair, Armand LaMontagne, a woodcarver from Rhode Island, disclosed that the chair is a genuine fraud. He pieced it together in 1969 using 42 in materials and two months of his time.

Then he placed it in the home of a friend who has connections with some of the country's more prominent antique dealers.

Mind you, neither did the chair was an antique. Neither did his friend. But when an antique dealer spotted the "find" in the friend's home on an island off the coast of Maine, price was suddenly no object.

After going through several owners, the chair was finally purchased by the Dearborn museum as part of its early American collection of furniture. A picture of the chair even was featured on the cover of a book the museum published about its wares in 1975.

Despite disclosure that the chair is a fake, LaMontagne insists he is not guilty of any wrongdoing. He says he built the chair "for a good laugh. These people think they're infallible, you know."

The chair actually is quite a monstrosity, as chairs go, with heavy carved uprights and row after row of

ornate spindles supporting the seat, the arms and rungs in the back. In colonial days, the chair was the symbol of authority and only two others—believed to be genuine—are known to exist.

What is amazing about "The Great Brewster Chair" at the Henry Ford Museum is that it is such a fine fake. The only tell-tale mark of modernity are the pin-points at the bottom of the spindle holes which are a characteristic of 20th Century bits. Old bits didn't leave such a mark.

How did LaMontagne build three centuries of wear and tear into a piece of wood that was still growing in 1969? It wasn't easy.

In the first place, LaMontagne used green wood rather than dry wood so that individual pieces would become slightly distorted as the moisture left, simulating great age. He also scorched the wood with a blow torch to simulate aging, kept it in a smoke house several days, painted the chair red using old pigments, gouged it with a pen-knife and knocked out two of the spindles.

He even blew dust into the joints (old furniture always has dust in the joints) and performed other tricks to fool the masters.

In fact, LaMontagne did such a fine job that I would be willing to spend 25 cents to see his handiwork at the Henry Ford Museum. And I'm sure I'm not alone.

That's why museum officials are missing a good bet. They could charge a modest fee for viewing LaMontagne's masterpiece and recoup their losses in jig time.

After all, a closet is no place for a work of art—regardless of age.

If it Fitz

by Jim Fitzgerald

Barring an unexpected dash for daylight by her fiancé, my daughter Ferd will get married in a few months. So you'll understand why I quivered when my wife said:

"It says here in the newspaper that Mary Fisher was married amid a sea of orchids. Hundreds of white spicy orchids were flown in from Singapore just for her wedding."

"If we have an outdoor wedding in our backyard, Ferd could be married amid a sea of dandelions," I said. "To assure a bumper crop, I could have some fertilizer flown in from Gwin's Hardware."

"Twenty-five ficus trees were moved into the country club clubhouse for the ceremony," Pat read from the newspaper. "Two trees, each 25 feet tall, formed the canopy under which the couple exchanged vows."

"That's a little ostentatious," I said. "What about all the starting children in India?"

"I think a piece of wedding cake was

sent to everyone who lives in India," Pat said.

"You must remember that Mary Fisher is the daughter of Max Fisher who is one of the richest men in the world," I said. "He made his money in oil and real estate, and his hobby is financing Republican candidates. I really don't mind him spending so much of his kid's wedding. I figure every nickel he spends on a ficus tree is a nickel he can't spend on the political comeback of Gerald Ford."

"Mr. and Mrs. Ford were at the wedding," Pat said. "It says here that Mary stopped on her way back down the aisle and kissed them both. And Mary told a reporter that the Fords turned down a lot of other invitations so they could be at her wedding."

"Mary Fisher worked for Gerald Ford when he was president," I explained. "She was his advance woman. When Ford traveled about the world on important diplomatic missions, Mary went ahead of him and warned the

galleries to watch out for his slice. She probably got the job through a classified ad."

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"Ferd could stop and kiss Howard Roodevics. Howard used to be president of Lapeer Rotary," I said. "He'll turn down other invitations to be at Ferd's wedding if he hears we're having an open bar."

Pat kept reading the wedding story: "At the reception 1,000 white lace napkins were tucked in gold rings to which single long-stemmed white roses had been tied."

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As you can tell from our conversation, unless you are stupid my wife wants Ferd to have a high-class wedding. The only problem is I can't afford it. But I think I have a solution. We will rent tuxedos at the door for



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Financing the daughters wedding

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Toilet-trained

None of it has worked. They still spend 18 hours a day there in exile.

In the not-too-distant future I can hear the minister at the altar saying to the bride, "Where is the bridegroom?"

It's something I hate to think about. (Copyright 1977 Field Enterprises, Inc.)

Student Council says thanks

Dear Editor:

The Student Council of Charlevoix High School would like to thank the community of Charlevoix for their support in making this year's Homecoming a tremendous success. A special thanks for the cooperation and support of all those who attended our Homecoming activities. We would also

like to express our appreciation to the downtown merchants for allowing us to publicize Homecoming to the entire community.

Thank you,
Joe Thumre, President
Wendy Wieland, Vice-President
Student Council

Teacher Feature

...Roxie Loding

By PEG OHLE

"I feel that my relationship with kids this age is important. I would like to be a good model for them."

"I can have a good relationship with them, I am teaching about as much as I can. I am trying to form people not just teach art."

This is how Roxie Loding, art teacher in the Charlevoix Middle School, approaches her job.

Mrs. Loding teaches between 150 and 180 sixth, seventh, and eighth graders the fundamentals of drawing and crafts. Her courses cover not just techniques but ex-

perimentations with different materials as well as art history.

She has three classes in drawing, one advanced drawing class, and one crafts class. The number of classes of each type is determined by the wishes of the students themselves. Each semester a survey is made, asking those who want to take an art class as an elective subject whether they want to study drawing or crafts. Next semester Mrs. Loding will teach one drawing and four crafts classes.

In all classes, Mrs. Loding tries to make each class blend into the next one. "Otherwise

there would be no continuity in learning," she explains.

There is no textbook for the art classes. Instead, a magazine, "Artists Junior" is used, along with discussions of things like shape, line, form, and texture. When the class makes mobiles, for instance, they discuss Alexander Calder and his mobiles, how he uses shape and space.

When the crafts class makes masks, they learn why the Africans wear them and something about the history of masks. Sculpture is also taught in the crafts class. "I don't believe in making little gifts that can be bought in a

gift shop. I want the children to be ingenious and use imagination, like clay sculpturing and ceramics."

Mrs. Loding sometimes takes her classes outside to the beach, or around the neighborhood and gives them something specific to study—trees, for example—how to separate them from the rest of the landscape, how to draw the different shapes, how to get the feel of the different textures.

Art classes were required of all Middle Schools students until this year when they became elective because of

See Teacher page 15.



Charlevoix Yesterday

SNOW WILL soon cover the grounds of the Chicago Club for another winter. This picture of the snow-covered grounds was taken in December, 1884. (Photo courtesy of Charlevoix Historical Society.)



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Sheriff helping to get refunds, not handing them out

A story in last week's Courier reported that ticket holders for concerts at Castle Farms which were cancelled "may receive refunds by bringing the unused tickets to the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department."

While some may have gotten the impression that the Sheriff's Department was refunding cash money, this is not the case, according to Sheriff George T. Lasater.

"Many people have initiated complaints to the Sheriff's Department because they

have been unable to get refunds from Nederlander (who promoted the show) for the two cancelled concerts, Shanana and Neil Sedaka.

"I wrote to Nederlander and advised them people in the County were left holding the bag. They said if we would give them the names of these people they would immediately send a refund check to the individual, or to this office."

"We felt this was a service to the citizens."

Letters to the editor

New resident praises area, people

EDITOR'S NOTE: Mrs. Rice wanted Charlevoix residents to know what a wonderful community they live in. She pointed out that people often forget or become immune to their surroundings and miss the beauty of them.

"Honey, we have been transferred to Charlevoix, Michigan???"

My heart sank into the inner souls of my soft leather shoes, as my loving Coast Guard wife, Debbie Miller, said, "Wendy, and I boarded a plane in Boston to come to a place we knew nothing about. There was fear, loss, but high anticipation for the newness we were to find. We lived at first with a young Coast Guard wife, Debbie Miller. She was great and we certainly appreciated her thoughtfulness while we were in her home. Many fine people were involved

helping us to locate a home. Charlevoix is certainly beautiful geographically speaking, but more impressive to me, the beauty lies within the hearts and souls of the dear, lovely people who extended their hands in friendship and love."

"O, Lord how manifold are thy words, in wisdom hast thou made them all: the earth is full of thy riches!" Psalm 104:24.

Thank you all for the warm Welcome Home.

—Marsha Chase Rice

One-quarter of cows show PBB signs

The PBB Project Unit of the Michigan Department of Agriculture is now reporting weekly results of its testings for PBB in animal fat tissue and milk.

During the week ending October 15, 794 fat tissues were tested. Of these 473 showed no detectable signs of PBB, 298 showed signs below

the violative standard, and nine showed signs of violative amounts of PBB. The remaining 194 samples were either insufficient for testing or were not properly processed in the laboratory.

During the same period, 709 milk samples were tested. Of these, 642 showed no detectable signs of PBB, 62 showed

signs below the violative standard, and none showed signs of violative amounts of PBB. The remaining five

samples were either insufficient for testing or were not properly processed in the laboratory.

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WVOY basketball team looking for opponents

WVOY's Guys Basketball Team and Traveling Road Show will open their training camp next week.

The team, coached by John Fisher and made up of disc jockeys and others on the WVOY staff, made its first appearance on the circuit last year and helped school groups raise over \$3,000.

The team will play any school group to help raise

funds for various projects. The game must be sponsored by a school, club or organization with the team members made up of faculty members, the girls basketball team, the varsity club or the like.

The group must provide the officials and warm up and game basketballs. The WVOY's Guys uniforms are white so the opposing team

must have dark uniforms. WVOY will provide halftime activities such as a free throw contest for records.

The WVOY's Guys will only be playing one game per week and at least three games have already been scheduled for this fall and next spring. Interested groups should contact WVOY as soon as possible to get on the schedule. For more information contact WVOY at 547-4454.



VARSITY CHEERLEADERS Rhonda Revor, Cindy Sandahl, Corinne Ranger, Kim Lehman and Pam Boss take a break from their activities.

Cheerleaders--not just pretty faces

By LAURA GLASS

"We want a victory A Bayder victory!"

The Charlevoix High School cheerleaders are having another successful year of keeping school spirit high. Their chanting, cheering, jumping and raring are all prime factors in the excitement and anticipation of a game.

This years varsity squad members, Rhonda Revor, Pam Boss, Cindy Sandahl, Kim Lehman and Corinne Ranger, all agree that cheerleading is an important part of a game.

"It keeps people moving and excited. They can really get into a game," said one member of the squad.

But cheerleaders aren't just another group of pretty faces, they work hard. They can be heard practicing after school several times a week, because they must constantly be inventing new cheers, mounts, jumps and stunts for pep rallies and games.

The girls also attended a camp at Northwood Institute in Midland this summer, to learn more cheerleading techniques and different money making ideas.

"Camp was great," said one girl. "We learned a lot and it was really fun. Besides, there was a football camp going on at the same time."

In addition, the squad holds a clinic each fall to teach girls in the area the art of

cheerleading. Former cheerleaders and even college cheerleaders work as staff for the clinic.

Cheerleading not only takes energy and a big voice, but good judgment and timing, too.

"You need to know what cheer to yell when the crowd is excited, so you can keep them peppy, too," Kim Lehman added.

All the girls agreed that usually short, punchy chants are the best, because the long cheers get boring and people lose interest.

The varsity squad is also in

charge of running the pep rallies on Friday afternoons before the games. All the girls said that when they are out cheering, they feel a little nervous because of the crowds, but Corinne Ranger, varsity captain, said: "You almost feel like you are in control of the crowd, if you get hyper, so do the people, it's a great feeling."

Tryouts are held for both football and basketball cheerleading before each of the sports seasons. The girls were split on which sport they like cheering for the best. Corinne said she thought basketball was too fast moving and she enjoyed football cheering best.

But several girls liked basketball cheering better because it is warmer and it is faster and "more hyper."

"I'm always excited about having a number one team," Cindy Sandahl said.

Vera Rimbold, the cheerleaders' advisor and coach, said the girls do everything themselves, and if they need help or advice, I'm here and ready," she said.

Ms. Rimbold said the girls learn leadership and cooperation when they work together on money making projects and organizing pep rallies.

So, next time you are at a game, cheer along with the cheerleaders. It gives everyone a boost and shows the team you care.

New patient phone system operating at Charlevoix Area Hospital now

A new telephone system providing phones in patient rooms is now operating at Charlevoix Area Hospital.

Dial phones have been placed between the beds in all patient rooms, except pediatrics and the coronary care unit, the hospital an-

nounced today. Dave Thurston, Charlevoix Area Hospital controller explained that until a new system was installed the hospital had not felt phones in patient rooms were feasible.

The hospital took bids from three companies and chose a locally serviced independent system when it was shown that a substantial savings would be realized even with the addition of patient phones.

"It's not very often that you can add a service in a hospital and reduce costs. Many times if you add a service it means a new machine and you have to hire a high salaried technical person to operate the machine," Thurston observed.

There will be no additional sets in.

It is the time to separate bulbs - tulips, daffodils, and hyacinths. They should be taken up, separated, and

A United States Supreme Court decision several years ago found that individuals may own their own telephones or telephone systems.

This decision made it possible for the hospital to purchase its own phone system for internal calls.

The Bell Telephone Co. truck lines interconnect with the hospital, handling all incoming and outgoing calls.

"The total cost of the new system just about equals three year's rental on our old system," Thurston explained.

"The entire system will save us money, and that's vital in view of increasing hospital costs," Thurston observed.

There will be no additional

charges to patients for the service, hospital officials said. Local calls are free. Patients who wish to call long distance may either charge the call to their home phone, use a credit card, or call collect.

Thurston is fascinated by the electronics involved. Pointing to two full sized filing cabinets he said, "That's at least the space mechanical telephone switching machinery occupies."

"Today many systems use electro-micro switches," Thurston continued, "and our new system handles 45 office and nursing station phones and the 18 patient room phones with machinery about 1/3 rd that size."

Thurston marvelled at the various functions the multi-buttoned office phones can perform. A light flashed on his desk phone, followed by a dull beep, then several higher pitched beeps.

"There," he said, "I told the phone by pushing this and this," he pointed to various of the buttons. "to switch all calls from an office down the hall to my phone if they didn't answer after several rings. Each phone can be programmed like a computer," he enthused.

The phones in patient rooms, however, are simpler and more to the point. Patients will be able to hear their family and friends wishing them a speedy recovery.

cleaned of any dead pieces. The daffodils may be replanted in clumps of five or six approximately five inches deep in the ground. A soil mixture of sand and black soil or vermiculite and black soil should be added to the regular

soil to keep it from packing too solidly through the winter months.

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All proposals must be on forms, which can be obtained at the Commission offices, and presented in sealed envelopes, plainly marked as to contents and the name of the bidder.

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Lance situation couldn't happen here



LOBBIE LANCE GREETS her husband Bert on his return to Calhoun, Ga., following his resignation from the Office of Management and Budget. He resigned following an investigation into his banking practices.

The overdraft policy of the Calhoun National Bank and other Georgia banks owned by Bert Lance, former director of the Office of Management and Budget, surprised consumers and bankers across the nation.

And they were even more surprised when Lance and other government officials were quoted by national news services as saying that allowing the overdrafts for bank officers and owners is standard procedure.

Do Charlevoix banks follow such an overdraft policy? Definitely not, according to Lou Hollow, president of the First State Bank of Charlevoix, and Gordon Wellman, president of the Charlevoix County State Bank.

"Allowing overdrafts like the ones Bert Lance, his wife and other relatives had in the Calhoun National Bank is not standard banking procedure," Wellman said. "And many Congressmen were hom-

barded with letters from banks across the country telling them that."

"It just is not a common practice among banks to get into overdraft situations like the one Lance was in."

Hollow said that he personally must approve any overdraft at his bank.

"I do not permit any overdrafts for officers at the bank and I don't think the board would permit any overdrafts for me," Hollow said.

The bank president pointed out that just because the bank officers are not allowed to have overdrafts does not mean that no overdrafts are allowed at the bank. Hollow said the bank approached overdrafts as unsecured loans and allowed customers to have a certain amount of them.

"Bankers are harder on themselves than they are on others," he explained.

Both Hollow and Wellman said they were concerned that Lance's actions would have repercussions on the entire banking industry.

"The whole thing is very unfortunate," Wellman said. "Banks have been in the spotlight with state and federal legislators and many new rules affecting banks and their customers have been passed recently."

"Now people will be asking their legislators to do something more to control those wild bankers," he continued. "Well, that's not the case at all. Very few bankers are like Bert Lance."

Hollow said stricter legislation might further restrict the bankers ability to borrow money and he believes this would be a mistake. He contends most bankers take very conservative approaches to their own borrowing.

"There are 14,000 banks in this country," he pointed out. "And you hear about very few people who have done things like Bert Lance. Most of us are quite conservative and prudent in these matters."

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Tickets now available for Ann Landers speech

Tickets for the Nov. 3 lecture by advice columnist Ann Landers are now on sale at several Northern Michigan locations.

Miss Landers will be addressing area residents at 8:30 p.m. in the Charlevoix High School gymnasium on "Major Problems Facing Communities Today." Her appearance is being sponsored by the Charles "CHIP" Hanson Counseling Center in Charlevoix.

The lecture will follow a \$50-a-plate benefit dinner at the Grey Gables Inn in Charlevoix featuring Miss Landers as the guest of honor. The benefit dinner is the kick off for a fundraising campaign for the counseling center.

CHIP is a privately funded

counseling center serving all residents of the area. The one-year-old counseling service is expanding rapidly and needs to hire an additional counselor to handle the increasing caseload.

Miss Landers is the most widely syndicated columnist in the world. Her advice appears in 960 papers and is read by more than 60 million people daily.

She got her start 22 years ago when she showed up at the Chicago Sun-Times looking for a job even though she had never written a line for publication. The paper gave her the break she needed.

Woman of the Year for six national organizations, Miss Landers is a member of the National Board of the American Cancer Society.

Miss Landers received a President's Citation for her work on alcoholism and the United Press International (UPI) named her as one of the 10 most influential women in the United States.

Tickets for her lecture will cost \$2.50 for adults and \$1 for

students. They are available in Charlevoix at: The Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, the Literary News Center and Ski and Shore Properties, Inc.

Tickets are also available at: Hites Drug Store in East Jordan, Bogema's Pharmacy in Boyne City, the Petoskey Chamber of Commerce, the Gaylord Chamber of Commerce, Hovey's Drug Store in Harbor Springs and Milliken's in Traverse City.

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Irene Richardson joins Ski and Shore Properties

Irene Richardson has joined Ski and Shore Charlevoix, Inc., as a realtor associate.

Mrs. Richardson will be handling residential sales out of the office located at the corner of Bridge Street and Park Avenue. She is one of seven salespeople working in the residential division.

Real estate is an entirely new field to Mrs. Richardson, who was formerly employed by the Charlevoix County Department of Social Services. She received her real estate license in July.

"I thought it would be a

unique and challenging experience to work in real estate," Mrs. Richardson said explaining her decision to change jobs. "And I felt it was a field with a lot of potential for women."

The realtor associate said she has become quite familiar with the Charlevoix area through her former job and she feels this will help her in her new position.

Mrs. Richardson is a graduate of the University of Michigan and moved to Charlevoix from the Detroit area in 1973.



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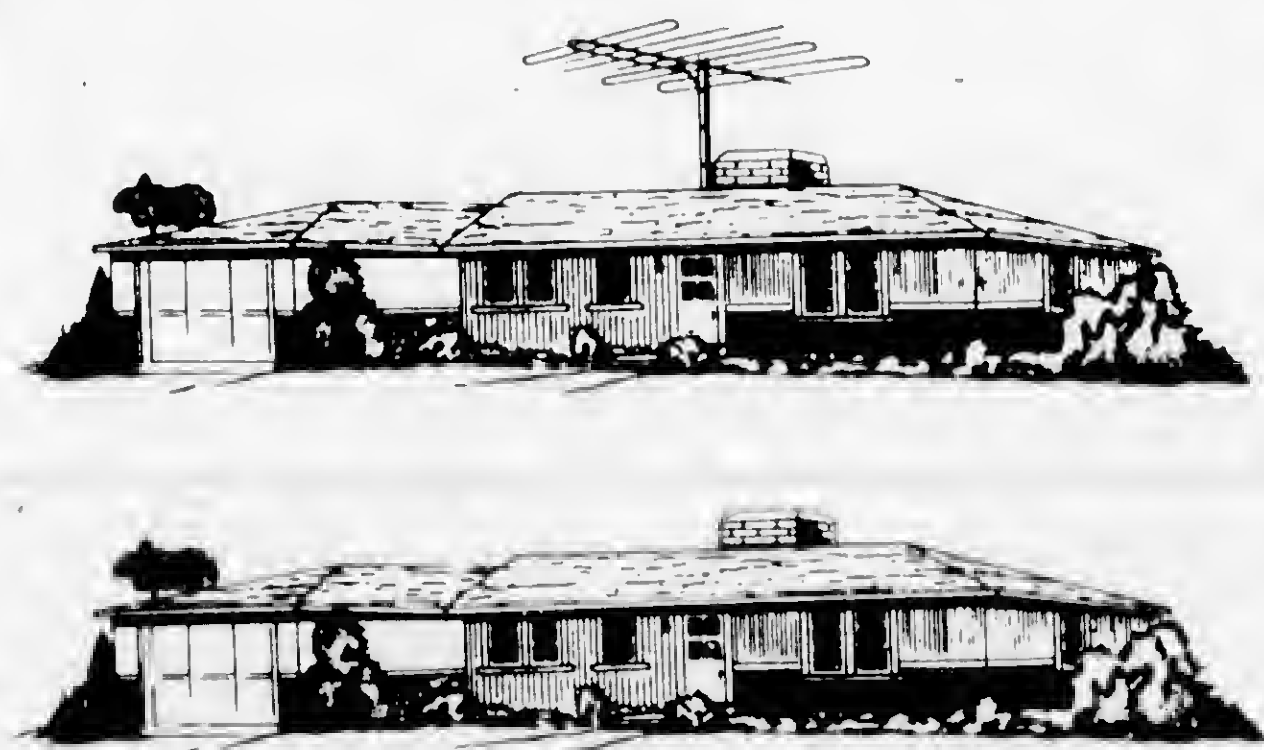
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FINANCIAL REPORT

CHARLEVOIX PUBLIC SCHOOLS, CHARLEVOIX-ANTRIM COUNTIES CHARLEVOIX, MICHIGAN

SUPERINTENDENT'S PROGRESS REPORT

This year, for the first time in many years, the enrollment of the Charlevoix Public Schools decreased. The decrease of 79 students is a reflection of a trend at the national, state and county level. A decline in the enrollment may be a mixed blessing. On one hand, class sizes become more workable due to the fact that staff was not added in the same proportion when the enrollment was on the upswing. On the other hand, however, expenses such as insurance, utilities, etc. remain the same regardless of the enrollment. If this trend continues, an adjustment may be made in the number of personnel.

The one mill voted for middle school renovation was put to good use this past summer. The middle school playground was completed with a track facility along with a softball diamond and a basketball court. Also, windows were replaced at the middle school site.

The one mill voted by the citizens in September of this year will be used to balance the budget, to maintain the various buildings, to implement a reading program at the middle school and to purchase playground equipment at the elementary building.

Work will continue in the curriculum area again this year. It is commonly agreed among the board of education, administrators and teachers that it is very important that we continue to work toward articulation in the various subject areas in grades kindergarten through 12.

Because of the new state system for accounting, it is very difficult to make financial comparisons with previous years. Although expenditures exceeded revenue this past year, there was still a balance on hand at the end of the fiscal year. The balance on hand, however, is not sufficient to avoid borrowing to keep the school operating prior to taxes being collected. A balance on hand should exist at the end of this fiscal year.

For several years maintenance at the high school building has been neglected because it was thought that a bond issue would be passed and maintenance items would be taken care of through that funding. An attempt will be made this year to upgrade many of the needed maintenance areas at the high school and middle school.

We appreciate the public support shown in the last millage election and will make a determined effort to keep you, the citizens, informed as to how your funds are being expended. We will make a diligent effort to offer the best possible educational program for the youth of Charlevoix.

EXPENDITURES:

Instruction	\$1,268,686.46
Instruction - Employee Benefits	122,506.11
Support Services:	
Payroll	64,607.17
Instruction Staff	55,533.65
General Administration	89,089.27
School Administration	109,592.78
Business	459,515.43
Support Services - Employee Benefits	53,058.09
Community Services - Public Library and Other	40,878.48
Outgoing Transfers and Other Transactions	48,040.30

TOTAL EXPENDITURES, OUTGOING TRANSFERS AND OTHER TRANSACTIONS \$2,305,107.74

EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES OVER REVENUES \$ (28,568.51)

STATE OF FUND BALANCE YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

FUND BALANCE, July 1, 1976 \$10,672.31

Additions (Deductions)	
Prior Year Adjustments	
July 1, 1976, Fund Bal. Adj.	\$ (2,496.09)
Bus Costs	91,273.00
Bus Contracts Payable	(35,739.00)
Excess of Expense over Revenue	(28,568.51)

FUND BALANCE, July 1, 1977 \$35,141.71

DEBT RETIREMENT FUND

BOND ISSUE OF 1979

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

JUNE 30

	1977	1976
ASSETS:		
Cash	\$ 7,167.20	\$ 838.80
Taxes Receivable	264.48	424.50
Due From Other Funds	4.89	3,485.40
Interest Receivable	286.71	432.16
Investments	13,000.00	23,900.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 20,723.18	\$ 29,080.86

LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE:

Accounts Payable	\$ 31.01	
Fund Balance	<u>20,692.17</u>	<u>29,080.86</u>
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	\$ 20,723.18	\$ 29,080.86

DEBT RETIREMENT FUND

BOND ISSUE OF 1979

COMPARATIVE REVENUE AND EXPENSE STATEMENT

FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

	1977	1976
REVENUES:		
Local	\$ 51,395.85	\$ 62,465.05
Int. & Penalties on Del. Taxes	18.02	25.86
Earnings on Investments & Deposits	1,805.21	1,323.98
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 53,210.06	\$ 63,814.89
EXPENDITURES:		
Redemption of Serial Bonds	\$ 40,000.00	\$ 40,000.00
Interest on Debt	21,237.50	22,988.30
Dues and Fees	337.00	337.99
Refund of Prior Year Property Taxes	24.25	
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 61,598.75	\$ 63,340.29
EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES OVER REVENUES	\$ (8,388.69)	461.27

1979 DEBT RETIREMENT FUND

BOND ISSUE OF 1979

STATEMENT OF FUND EQUITY YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

FUND EQUITY, JULY 1, 1976	\$ 29,080.86
Excess of Expenditures Over Revenues	(8,388.69)
FUND EQUITY, JUNE 30, 1977	\$ 20,692.17

DEBT RETIREMENT FUND

BOND ISSUE OF 1979

COMPARATIVE BALANCE SHEET

JUNE 30

	1977	1976
ASSETS:		
Cash	\$ 4,388.31	\$ 2,210.82
Taxes Receivable	531.08	851.85
Due From Other Funds	9.78	6,951.27
Interest Receivable	2,985.16	1,889.89
Investments	31,000.00	47,500.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 38,914.33	\$ 59,403.83
LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE:		
Accounts Payable	\$ 62.00	
Fund Balance	38,852.33	59,403.83
TOTAL LIABILITIES AND FUND BALANCE	\$ 38,914.33	\$ 59,403.83

DEBT RETIREMENT FUND

BOND ISSUE OF 1979

COMPARATIVE REVENUE AND EXPENSE STATEMENT

FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

	1977	1976
REVENUES:		
Local	\$108,371.59	\$132,010.59
Int. & Penalties on Del. Taxes	18.02	25.86
Earnings on Investments & Deposits	3,559.17	4,268.97

TOTAL REVENUES

\$111,948.78	\$136,305.42
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EXPENDITURES:

Redemption of Serial Bonds	\$ 75,000.00
Interest on Debt	57,300.00
Dues and Fees	151.19
Refund of Prior Year Property Taxes	48.49
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$132,499.68

EXCESS OF EXPENDITURES OVER REVENUES \$ (20,550.90)

STATEMENT OF FUND EQUITY YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

FUND EQUITY, JULY 1, 1976 \$ 59,403.83

Excess of Expenditures Over Revenues (20,550.90)

FUND EQUITY, JUNE 30, 1977 \$ 38,852.93

SCHOOL OPERATED PUBLIC LIBRARY ACCOUNT

STATEMENT OF REVENUES, EXPENDITURES AND BALANCE

FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1977

FUND BALANCE, July 1, 1976 \$ 29,741.31

REVENUES:	
Local Property Taxes	\$ 30,826.10
Earnings on Investments	1,915.15
Local Taxes	6,209.88
State of Michigan	1,205.00
TOTAL REVENUES	\$ 40,856.13

EXPENDITURES:

Salaries	\$ 20,341.23
Employee Union Benefits	996.84
Architectural Fees	5,448.56
Supplies and Materials	5,131.98
Capital Outlay	2,719.67
Miscellaneous Expense	232.76
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	\$ 35,970.64

FUND BALANCE, JUNE 30, 1977 \$ 37,525.40

EXPENDITURES:

Cash on Deposit - Commercial Bank	\$ 2,054.08
Taxes Receivable	129.13
Interest Receivable	325.04
Investments	10,000.00
Prepaid Expenses	77.81
Due From Other Funds	9,186.11
Due From Other Funds	1,660.71
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 17,225.40

LONG-TERM DEBT GROUP OF ACCOUNTS

JUNE 30, 1977

RESOURCES TO LIQUIDATE LONG-TERM DEBT:

Serial Bonds	\$ 59,545.10
Amount in Debt Retirement Funds	1,465,454.90
Amount to be Provided	\$ 1,525,000.00
TOTAL SERIAL BONDS	\$ 1,525,000.00
Installment Contracts	20,500.00
Amount to be Provided from Gen. Fund Revenues	20,500.00
TOTAL AMOUNT TO BE PROVIDED	\$1,545,500.00

LONG-TERM DEBT PAYABLE:

Serial Bonds	\$1,525,000.00
Installment Contracts	20,500.00
TOTAL LONG-TERM DEBT PAYABLE	\$1,545,500.00

CHARLEVOIX PUBLIC SCHOOLS

1975-76 1976-77

Value of sites	\$887,285	\$887,285
Value of buildings	\$6,328,384	\$6,328,384
Value of equipment	\$1,114,729	\$1,377,817
Number of buildings	11	11
Number of classrooms	73	73
Number of equated fulltime students	1768	1800
Number of equated fulltime non-resident pupils	1	2
Number of equated fulltime resident pupils	1767	1798
Teacher salaries:		
Minimum	\$9,226	\$9,214
Maximum	\$16,114	\$16,404
Median	\$13,143	\$14,207
Number of fulltime equated classroom teachers	75	73
Ratio of pupils to employees holding valid Michigan teacher certificates	20.92	21.43
Total funds spent for salaries of classroom teachers	\$985,745	\$1,037,178

Annual audit prepared by Baird, Colter and Bishop. Certified Public Accountants, is available for inspection in the Superintendent's office.

Chair caning class draws crowds



INSTRUCTOR OF the chair caning class Russell Dietrich explains the technique to student Dolores Stark. People come to learn the art and repair old chairs or improve on a hobby they already have.

Big Brothers, Sisters tour Mackinac Island

Forty-eight members of the Big Brothers/Big Sisters Organization of Charlevoix County recently spent a day sightseeing, bicycling and picnicking on Mackinac Island.

The group was transported by automobiles, a camper and the Bergmann County bus, and a truck was loaded with bicycles. Fifteen adults and 33 children made the trip.

Commenting on what a good time they all had, a Big Brother said, "Some of the youngsters were unmatched little brothers and little sisters on the waiting list for Big Brothers and Big Sisters. These children are in dire need of Big Brothers and Big Sisters from the Charlevoix County area. As you can see, the children outnumbered the adults, and need for supervised outings and recreational life is great."

Those who are willing to give a little bit of themselves to help these children are asked to contact Big Brothers/Big Sisters at 541-5141 in Charlevoix.



THESE TWO CHARLEVOIX YOUTH are having a little difficulty getting used to the bicycle but for two that they used on a recent Big Brothers-Big Sisters outing at Mackinac Island.

Naturalist Reg Sharkey to address history society

Reg Sharkey, well known writer on nature subjects, will discuss the passenger pigeon at the next meeting of the Charlevoix Historical Society.

The meeting is scheduled for Tuesday, November 1, at 6 p.m. in the Community Room of the First State Bank of Charlevoix.

The sky-darkening

Lake Charlevoix group seeks new property owner members

People owning property on Lake Charlevoix are being urged to join the Lake Charlevoix Property Owners Association (LCPOA).

The Association is a "watch dog" of Lake Charlevoix, being alert to water clarity, erosion of shore areas, water

migrations of the pigeons and their nesting in dense flocks were wonders of early America. There were many breeding rookeries in this area, and nesting of the pigeons and shipping to centers of population was an occupation of early settlers.

The passenger pigeon rapidly approached extinction before the end of the last

century, but some older citizens of the area remember stories which were related by parents and others about the birds.

Everyone is invited to attend the meeting to hear Sharkey's account of the passenger pigeons. Historical anecdotes relating to the pigeons will be welcomed.

She is a 1972 graduate of Charlevoix High School and received her bachelor's degree in business from Michigan State University. She is the daughter of Rudolph and Helen Henkel of Charlevoix.

As a rental management director has joined the staff of Ski and Shore Charlevoix, Inc. Deborah Henkel will be heading the department for the local firm with offices in the Weatherlane Terrace, Miss Henkel comes to the company following a year as a corporate trainer at Boyne Highlands in Harbor Springs.

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By NANCY JARVIS

They come to repair the tiny seat of a husband's childhood chair or to perpetuate a family hobby. Some are in their middle years and are interested in fixing up that old chair they bought years ago in a second hand store. Still others want to expand on a hobby turned profession.

These people are all members of a chair caning class currently underway at East Jordan High School. Thanks to the East Jordan Community Education/Recreation program, area residents may now learn a fun, interesting and money-saving hobby.

"I found this chair years ago in a second hand store," said class attendant, Betty Wilson, about her caning project. "It wasn't with the antiques but was stuck up on a shelf on the second floor. It had an ordinary wooden seat and I always wanted to have it caned but I felt it was too expensive. When I saw the class offered in the little book, I was really pleased."

For others, too, the monetary aspects of doing their own caning is a major reason for attending the class. "You can save so much money," said caning student, Dolores Stark, who also wants to learn caning to add another skill to her family's furniture refinishing hobby.

"All of the family does refinishing and they're also

real interested in caning," she explained. "I figured I could help the fellows by learning this step."

Mrs. Stark's chair is an intricately carved piece that to the antique layman appears to be quite valuable. But she said the chair was purchased from her bing partner for only \$5.

"She sold it to me real cheap. I was thrilled to death to get it," Mrs. Stark said.

Gwendolyn Hoti, another East Jordan resident attending the class, is caning a tiny toy rocker that was a gift to her husband from his aunt and uncle when he was two years old. "He's 62 now," she said with a smile.

When the chair is recaned and refinished, Mrs. Hoti will use it as the base for a wall planter. She said she plans to use an old churn to hold the branches of a money tree plant. While she explained her idea, her eyes rarely left her work and she occasionally commented on how difficult the process had become.

"This is getting difficult, the other part was easy, but this is getting hard," she would say.

The caning process appears to be fairly simple but upon observation, proves to be tedious, painstaking work.

First the caner runs thin strips of wet rattan cane horizontally and vertically across the chair. Each strip goes through a hole in the chair frame and is temporarily held in place with golf tees until it is permanently fastened on the back. Next a set of diagonal strips are woven in and the work takes on the familiar old pattern.

The art of caning began during the second half of the 17th century and became popular again about a century

later. The caning students all agreed that their newly learned skill really is an art that is becoming more popular now that antiques are fashionable.

The course - instructor, Russell Dietrich, takes his teaching seriously. When his students run into problems he energetically rushes to their table and offers suggestions or demonstrates another technique.

Though he has worked as a tool and die manufacturer all his life and never formally taught, he is, in a sense, an experienced teacher because he has instructed many apprentices in his field. The father of five boys, Dietrich now works for Freedman Aircraft Engineering Corp. and has lived in East Jordan for 23 years.

Aside from teaching, he has, in the past, served as an East Jordan city councilman. But of his many activities his teaching really means something to him.

"I want to spread the word (about caning) and help other people do it," Dietrich said. "That's what life's all about. Few people do it. Classes help people do it and spread it on. At least I hope so. Otherwise I'd feel my time is wasted."

Dietrich, a shorter than average, balding man, said he has "always been interested in old things" and has been actively involved in furniture refinishing for about 10 years.

The art of caning gained his attention three years ago when he learned it during a family vacation at a class offered at Cedar Point.

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LuAnn Wolschleger marries Mike Beebe

Fall colored flowers decorated the church as LuAnn Wolschleger and Mike Beebe were joined in marriage last week. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wolschleger and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Beebe.

Father Dale Magoon performed the double ring ceremonies before 250 guests at St. Mary's Church. Music during the ceremony included "On This Day," "Our Father," "Psalms Angellus," and "Color My World," sung by Kathy Meggison, Arlene Hissett, Julie Supernaw and Mary Ann Cudd.

For her wedding the bride chose an ivory colored empire waist line gown trimmed in white lace and satin. She also wore an ivory colored waist length veil and carried a bouquet of yellow, gold and white mums. The dress was made by Sue Firman of Charlevoix.

Serving as the maid of honor was Susan Ann Meggison. Carrie Franke, Geri Young and Sue Firman were bridesmaids. The attendants wore rust colored dresses trimmed with ivory colored lace. They carried bouquets of yellow, rust and gold mums.

Stacey Tenbusch, niece of the bride, was the flower girl. She wore an ivory colored dress trimmed with brown lace. Chris Wilbur was the ringbearer.

A reception was held at the American Legion Hall following the wedding. After a wedding trip to Hawaii, the new couple will make their home in Charlevoix. The bride is employed by the Lockwood-MacDonald Division of Northern Michigan Hospital. The groom works for Charlevoix Garbage Service.



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Consolidated Report of Condition of the Charlevoix County State Bank, Charlevoix, Michigan, as of September 30, 1977.

The following is a statement of the assets and liabilities of the Charlevoix County State Bank, Charlevoix, Michigan, as of September 30, 1977, in accordance with the provisions of Section 223 of the general laws of Michigan.

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
1. Cash and due from banks	1,200.00	1. Demand deposits	1,200.00
2. U.S. Treasury securities	4,300.00	2. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	1,200.00
3. Obligations of other U.S. Government agencies and corporations	1,200.00	3. Federal funds sold and securities purchased under agreements to resell	1,200.00
4. Obligations of State and political subdivisions	1,200.00	4. Loans, net of unearned income	1,200.00
5. Other assets	1,200.00	5. Other liabilities	1,200.00
6. Total assets	10,000.00	6. Total liabilities	10,000.00

Marcia DeVries weds Daniel Mort in East Jordan

Marcia Kay DeVries and Daniel Lee Mort were united in marriage at the Missionary Church of East Jordan recently.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Sebo DeVries of Ellsworth and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Mort of Charlevoix.

Lighted candelabra flanked the altar with basket arrangements of orange and yellow mums accented with ivy and greens decorating the church. Officiating at the double ring ceremony were Rev. Roy DeVries, brother of the bride, Rev. Dale Turner, who offered the devotions, and Rev. Don Riedel of the Eastport, Baptist church who gave closing prayers.

Mrs. Dennis Aenis presented a program of traditional wedding music and Charles Henry sang "The Lord's Prayer" and "Wedding Song."

For her wedding the bride chose a sheer polyester organza gown lined in acetate tulle. The bodice was styled with a front and back lace bib, high neckline and long sleeves all trimmed with ivory and venetian lace. The full skirt ended with a lace trimmed flounce at the hemline and her full length veil of illusion was trimmed with lace and attached to a cap of organza. She carried a colonial bouquet of white pom pom mums and yellow sweetheart roses.

The bride's sister, Mrs. Jack Vanniman, served as matron of honor and bridesmaids were Cindy Vanniman, Marilyn DeVries, sister-in-law of the bride, and Gayla McDevell.

The attendants wore identical gowns of paprika polyester fashioned with sweetheart necklines trimmed with ecru lace, long sheer floral sleeves and deep ruffles at the hemline. The girls carried bouquets of yellow mums with paprika and yellow streamers.

Holly Johnson was the flower girl. She wore a gown fashioned like the older attendants and carried a nosegay of miniature yellow mums.

Jesse Silva was the ringbearer.

Best man was Tom Mort, brother of the groom. Groomsmen were Gregg Mort, brother of the groom.

The wedding cake was made by Mrs. Everett Griffin of Boyne City.

For the ceremony, the bride's mother wore a floor length gown of rust colored knit with a low neckline and sleeveless empire bodice. The groom's mother wore a floor length gown of beige with dark brown and orange flowers and a brown ruffle at the neckline.

Following a one-week honeymoon to Southern Michigan, the couple will make their home in Charlevoix. The groom is employed at Olesuns.



Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Mort

Methodist women plan bazaar Thurs.

The United Methodist Women will present their annual fall salad luncheon, bake sale and Christmas bazaar at the church dining room Thursday, Oct. 27, Mrs. Garrett Potter, general chairman of the event has announced.

The luncheon which will feature a wide choice of salads, rolls, dessert and a choice of beverage will begin at 11 a.m. and continue until 1:30 p.m. Tickets will be \$2.00 for adults, \$1.00 for middle school students and 50 cents for preschoolers.

Jill Washburn is chairman of the bazaar which will have a wide selection of items suitable as Christmas gifts. This will include pillows, pine cone wreaths, and numerous other items plus a quilt and afghan which will be given away during the event.

A bake sale will feature home-made goodies of all kinds including bread, cookies, quick breads, jams and jellies.

Mrs. Coy Groves and Mrs. Thomas Corner will be in charge of the dining room.

The Charles Stevens mark 60th wedding anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevens, pioneer residents of Marion township who now reside in Charlevoix, celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary Sunday at a surprise open house held at the community room of the First Baptist church.

More than 90 relatives and friends gathered for the event hosted by their children, Mrs. George (Josephine) Bergmann, Mrs. Warren (Phyllis) Allison and Mrs. William (Don) Graves, all of Charlevoix, Clara of Ypsilanti, Byard of Grand Rapids, Donald of Boyne Falls, Bruce of Escanaba and William of Charlevoix. Also present were many of their 24 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Stevens and the former Geneva Jackson were married in Charlevoix Oct. 23, 1917, and resided on a farm in Marion township until moving to their present home on Burns St. in 1972. Besides operating the farm, Stevens was a mason by trade and for 15 years prior to his retirement was employed in bridge construction.

Stevens was born March 16, 1899, at the Phelps area in Marion township where he later owned a farm. Mrs. Stevens was born in Indiana Oct. 11, 1900, and came to the same area with her parents at the age of two years.

Divorce Weekend slated by Womens Resource Center

Women in any stage of divorce are invited to participate in a retreat beginning Friday evening, November 11, and running through Sunday noon, November 12.

The retreat, sponsored by the Women's Resource Center of North Central Michigan College, will be held at the Drake cottage in Good Hart. Registration may be made with the Resource Center, Administration Building, NCMC, Petoskey, phone 347-3973, Extension 365.

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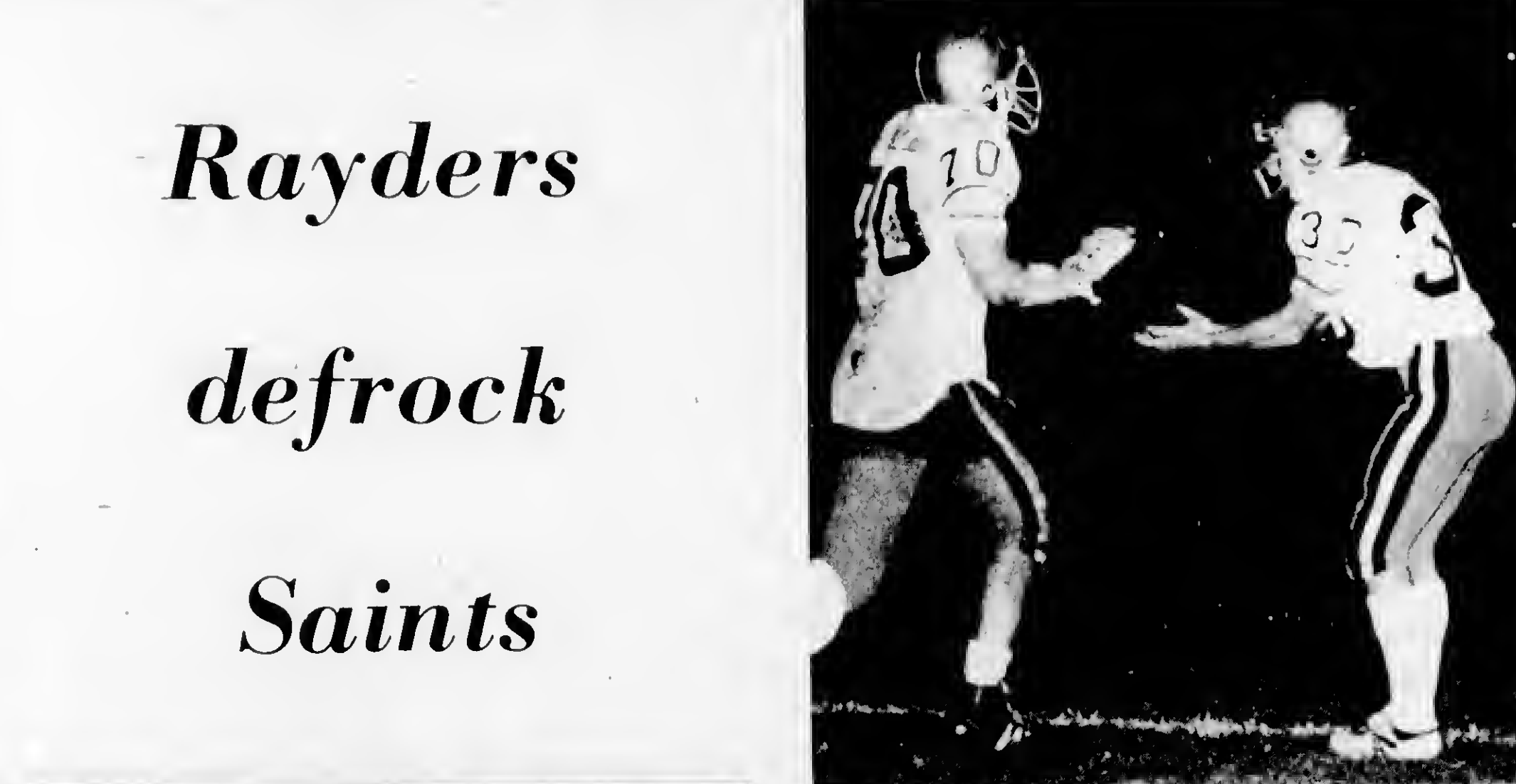
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JIM ELZINGA (11) catches one of two touch down passes during Friday night's game against St. Ignace Saints. The Rayders won 48-8 in that game.



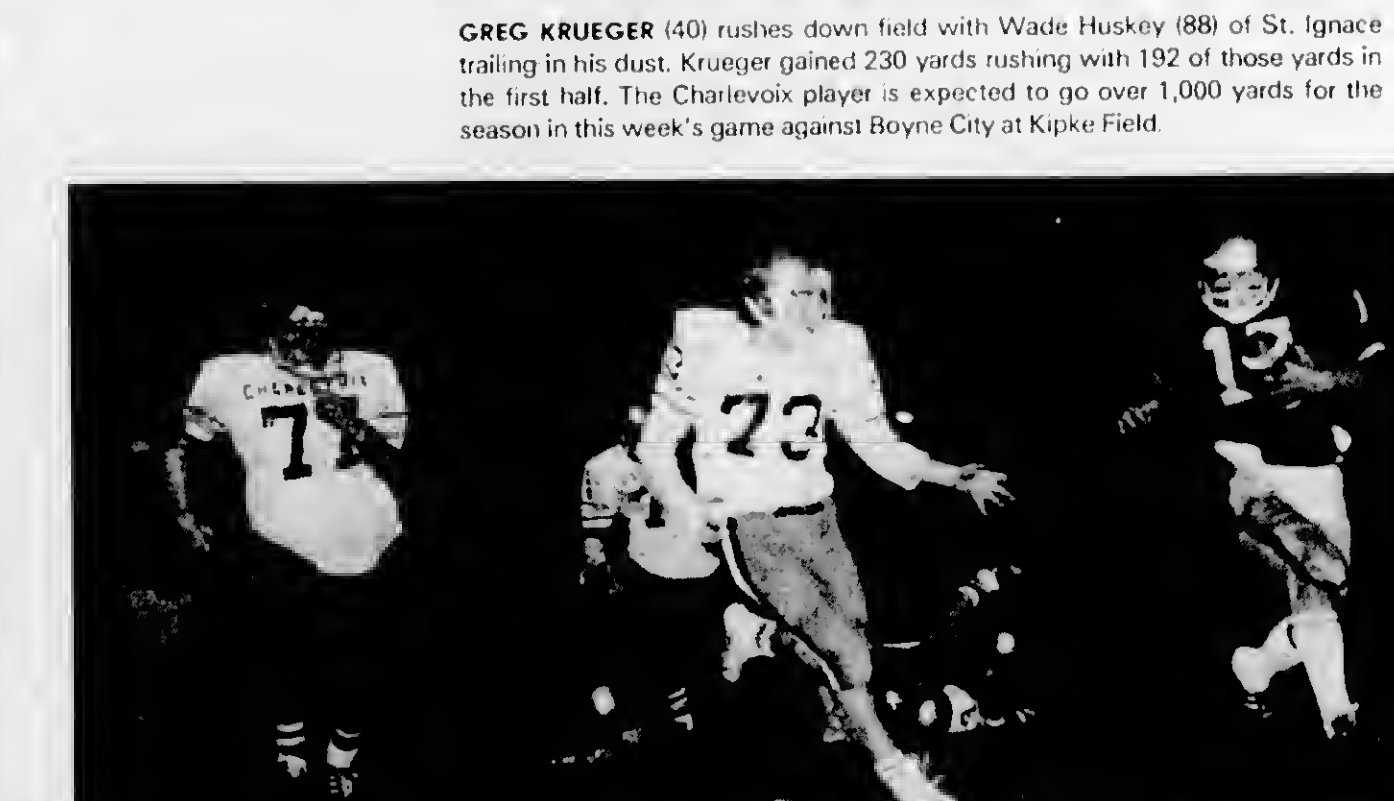
ST. IGNACE'S Chuck Kalbfleisch (24) looks for a hole during Friday night's game against the Rayders. But Erik Lundteigen (49) and Jim Elzinga (11) aren't about to let the league leading rusher see daylight. Rayders won the game 48-8.



KEVIN KRATT (30) wiggles his way past St. Ignace defenders Dan Wyers (74) and Chuck Kalbfleisch (24). Kratt scored one of the seven touch downs the Rayders had Friday night.



NEIL DZIEDZIC (88) moves in to prevent the reception of a pass to a St. Ignace player. Charlevoix held the Saints to very little yardage during the game that saw the Rayders win 48-8.



DAN WIKLANSKI (77) and Dennis Whitley (73) close in for the tackle as St. Ignace quarterback Kevin Litner (17) moves the ball on a quarterback keep. Rayders won the game 48-8.

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Seven was lucky number for Rayders

By BILL MERCER

The Charlevoix Rayders traveled across the "Big Mac" last Friday and sent St. Ignace football fans home with a resounding 48-8 homecoming defeat.

Seven was Charlevoix's lucky number last Friday. Not only was this their seventh victory, but seven players scored and the team converted seven of eleven possessions into points on the board. The Rayders were in seventh heaven in the land of

the Saints.

Four major things occurred in the Friday game worth noting. First, the defense held league leading runner Chuck Kalbfleisch to 74 yards rushing in 30 carries. Obviously Coach Don Carey and his staff had the team well prepared for this fleet-footed back.

Second, Charlevoix's Greg Krueger gained 230 yards moving him to 968 yards gained rushing in 1977. He should surpass the 1,000 yard mark this Friday against Boyne City.

By the way, Krueger rushed 129 yards in the first half of the St. Ignace game.

Third, Charlevoix quarterback Kip Cinnamon had four of six passes—all for touchdowns.

The running game dominated, but the four losses counted for half of the offensive output.

Fourth, senior standout Kip Cinnamon needs to work on his fumble recovery play. The defensive lineman picked up a loose ball and rammed 45 yards to the St. Ignace 5-yard line when Kalbfleisch caught him from behind and brought him down. A little more speed and the co-captain would have scored his first touchdown of the season. Not bad for a lineman.

In the first quarter it looked as if the game would be a typical tough St. Ignace struggle. The Saints moved to the Charlevoix 16-yard line before the defense held on and turned the ball over.

Then St. Ignace played tough and Charlevoix was forced to punt on their first possession.

Senior defensive end, Joe Left, playing another solid game, intercepted a pass on the next series giving Charlevoix good field position early in the game.

Charlevoix fumbled three plays later stopping that scoring attempt.

On the next series when the Rayders had the ball, Krueger ran 25 yards to the Saints 5-yard line. Another Charlevoix fumble stopped that scoring drive. It was beginning to look like the Rayders were going to give the ball game away on mistakes.

Midway through the second quarter, the offensive machine decided to hold on to the ball and the scoring blitz began. After gaining possession of the ball on the Charlevoix 49-yard line,

quarterback Alger handed off to Krueger and he ran 51 yards for a score. A clipping penalty returned the ball to the Saints 25-yard line, but on the next play Krueger did it again. This one counted.

Placekicker Guy Carter converted the extra point and Charlevoix had the lead, 7-0.

On the first play following the kickoff, Pat Klooster jumped on a St. Ignace fumble at the 11-yard line.

A quick pass from Alger to Jim Elzinga, all alone in the end zone quickly gave Charlevoix a second touchdown.

Again Carter's kick was good, giving the Rayders all the points they needed, 14-0.

With a little over one minute remaining in the half, Kevin Kratt scampered 39 yards for the third score of the quarter.

Carter remained consistent with his kick and the team went into the locker room at halftime with Charlevoix ahead 21-0.

From that point on, the Rayders scored every time they touched the football in the second half. Senior Tom Jones carried 22 yards for a score with less than three minutes gone in the second half. Alger connected with Bob Warner six minutes later and Alger hit Elzinga for his second touchdown just into the final period.

The final Charlevoix score came with 2:18 remaining to be played when backup quarterback Nolrot threw a pass to Mike Keller in the endzone.

Carter converted on three more point after kicks bringing his record to nine in a

row in the past three games. During the Charlevoix scoring fest, St. Ignace managed to produce a touchdown on a double reverse option pass from quarterback Kevin Litner to Kalbfleisch for 46 yards. The Saints two point conversion attempt was also successful, accounting for their eight points.

Strong defensive play by Jones, Cinnamon, Left, Elzinga, Doug Buday, Erik Lundteigen, Barry Potter,

Darrin Van Loo and Craig Boss helped to give the victory to the Rayders.

Special team members Boas, Buday, Warner, Jim Fowler, Steve Hufford, Jerry Kelle and Kerry Speer also contributed, especially on the kick off return situations.

This week Charlevoix takes on inter-county rival Boyne City at Kipke Field. This is the last home game for the Rayders in 1977. A win would give the team at least a tie for the league championship.

Statistical Summary		6-40	18-7	2
Statistics		CHX	St. I.	
Offensive plays	40	58		
First downs	9	11		
Rushing yards	438	99	Charlevoix	0 21 14 13 48
Passing yards	25	116	St. Ignace	0 0 0 0 0

Passes		6-40	18-7	2
Fumbles lost		2	1	
Penalties		5-75	5-52	
Scoring				
1	2	3	4	Total

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Girls win one, lose one in last week's play

The Charlevoix Girls Varsity Basketball team opened last week's play with a victory over the Cheboygan Chiefs, 50-47.

"The girls really played ball," Coach Toni Felter said. "We did a lot more shooting and we hit when we shot. The girls seem to have developed some confidence in their shooting."

"Three girls were in double figures with Sherrie Selissen scoring 22 points and Chris Lehman and Laurie Gibbs each putting in 16 points. Lisa Flower had 12 rebounds for the night.

Charlevoix only scored 1 point in the first period but came back to score 23 points in the second period, 18 in the third and 8 in the last period. Cheboygan scored 10 points in the first quarter, 8 in the second, 14 in the third and 15 in the fourth.

The JV team continued its winning in Thursday's play downing the St. Ignace Saints 43-23.

Klooster continued to lead the pack with 19 points and Melanie Kerridge hit the rim for 14 points. Amy Kroll had seven rebounds.

Coach Wagner said April Meadows played for the injured Klooster and did a good job during the second period. Klooster was back in the game following half time.

The JVs opened the game by scoring 13 points and followed with 14 points in the second period, 12 points in the third and 6 in the fourth.

St. Ignace scored 8 points in the first period, 6 in the second, 3 in the third and 6 in the fourth.

Finishing behind Charlevoix

Cross country team takes league title

The Charlevoix Rayder Cross Country team, coached by Pete Spieser, captured the Michigan-Huron Shores Conference title at St. Ignace Tuesday winning the league meet with a solid 45 points, 20 points better than the second place winner, Petoskey.

In winning the title, Mark Russell placed first with a time of 15:48 to set a new course record. Jeff Drenth came in third behind Peter of Petoskey with a time of 16:08.

The pair, by virtue of placing among the top 10 in the meet, became members of the All-Conference team.

John Fiedoruk with a time of 17:00 placed 13th; Jeff Landon, 17:02, 14th and Jay Swartwout, 17:08, 15th.

Finishing behind Charlevoix

in the meet were Petoskey with 66 points; Rogers City, 67; Gaylord, 82; St. Ignace, 84; Boyne City, 150, and Grayling, 182.

A Junior Varsity meet was also held with Charlevoix placing first with 42 points. Petoskey second with 54 followed by Rogers City and Gaylord with 82 points each.

Grayling, St. Ignace and Boyne City did not field teams but entered individual runners in the meet.

Charlevoix's Clay Parrie, with a time of 17:56 and Brian Thompson with a 17:58 placed one and two in the JV meet.

Charlevoix is entered in the Gaylord Invitational on Tuesday and the Regional Class C meet at Clare on Saturday, Oct. 29.

Junior varsity defeats St. Ignace 22-6

The Charlevoix Rayder Junior Varsity football team came home from the Upper Peninsula victorious on Thursday night. The Rayders defeated St. Ignace 22-6.

The Charlevoix team scored the first touchdown of the game with Dave Elzinga running three yards for the score. The extra point attempt failed when the kick went wide.

St. Ignace came to score in the second quarter on a 40-yard pass play. The Saints attempted to run for a two-point conversion but were stopped by the Rayder defense.

The Rayders came back to score near the end of the second quarter with Bob Russell running two yards for the touchdown. Quarterback Scott Kerridge passed to Russell for the two-point conversion leaving the score 14-6 at the half.

The third quarter was scoreless, but the Rayders got on the scoreboard again during the last quarter of the game. The Rayder defense turned over the ball to the offensive team on the St. Ignace 25 yard line and Steve Daylong went in for the score on an eight yard pass to Kerridge. Kerridge again passed for the two-point conversion, this time to Scott Morgan.

The Rayders defense played a good game making three fumble recoveries and one pass interception, according to Coach Hal Evans. He singled out Phil Morrison as playing a good defensive game. Morrison was injured at the end of the game and was taken to the hospital and released.

A St. Ignace player was also injured and Evans said he wanted to thank Don Trimper, Dave Fowler and Arnie Loper for their assistance in helping the player.

Evans singled out Mike Chappuis as a key to the offensive unit. Chappuis led the line in good blocking for the touchdowns.

scoreboard with four minutes left in the game. The team scored on a 4-yard run.

Coach Chuck Bentley singled out Jeff Drury as a defensive stand out for his two pass interceptions during the game. Bentley also mentioned Jim Baillargeon and Ben Shores, defensive ends, as outstanding players.

On offense, he mentioned Sladek, Zednick, Hoffman and Daylong.

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Parents who take their little ones Trick or Treating Monday evening should use special precautions to help protect them from accidental injury.



It's nearing the "trick or treat" season and that means pumpkins, pumpkins and pumpkins. Did you ever consider shopping around for pumpkins? Many shoppers are not aware that they have two choices when purchasing pumpkins.

There are two varieties of pumpkins - the Jack-o'-lantern and pie pumpkin. The Lantern pumpkins are more hollow in the middle, and the flesh is thinner on the inside. Pie pumpkins are not as hollow and they have a thicker flesh.

When shopping for pumpkins, look for bright-colored ones that are firm and free of blemishes. A fresh pumpkin will keep for about a month if stored in a cool dry place.

Pumpkins can either be baked or steamed. To prepare, cut the pumpkin into small manageable pieces, remove the seeds and stringy pieces. Cube, then peel.

After the pumpkin is cooked, it can be pushed through a sieve to remove remaining fibers. The pumpkin can then be used in pies, breads, soups, puddings or as pumpkin butter. As a vegetable, pumpkin is especially good when mixed with carrots, rutabagas, or half and half with mashed potatoes.

Cooked pumpkin can also be frozen in small portions. A bonus includes the pumpkin seeds. The seeds should be washed first to remove fibers (the stringy substance). Mix two cups of pumpkin seeds with 1½ teaspoons of butter, and 1½ teaspoons of oil. The mixture should then be spread in a shallow pan and toasted about 20 minutes in a 250 degree oven.

complete with songs, dances, costumes and surprises. The children will join together for several songs including: "Halloween Song," "I've Been Working on My Costume," "Ghoul Days," and "It's a Good Old Halloween."

Each grade will also present a special song with the fifth grade singing "Little Barn Owl," the fourth grade singing "Halloween Faces," the third grade singing "Halloween," the second grade singing "Mr. Jack-o'-lantern," and the first grade singing "Twinkle, Twinkle, Twinkle."

Several individual students will also be performing during the program. Nick Swanson and Lily Engelhart will join together to sing "There's a Haunted House," while Tammy Clintworth will sing "The Pumpkin on the Vine."

A trio of Carolyn LeFavre, Cheryl Drewar and John Jaskierski will sing "Around the Block," and six students including Will Syvertson, Beth Holoff, Michelle North, Marc Schroeder, Amanda Detraz and Brian Burke will sing "Halloween Friends."

"Dance Macabre," the dance of the scarecrows, will be performed by Danny Meggison, Phillip Archey, Michael Leyman, Bobby Sharrow, Allison Clock, Kathy Mabree, Kristin Holmes, Jamie Will, Kris Washburn and Doug Holm.

The public is invited to participate in the Halloween festivities at the elementary school.

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Freedman Artcraft may be sold to larger Ziff corporation

Rust Craft Greeting Cards, Inc., which owns Freedman Artcraft Engineering Corporation in Charlevoix, is considering selling out to Ziff Corporation.

Jack Grubaugh, president of Freedman Artcraft, said a tender offer made by Ziff Corp. to Rust Craft is currently under consideration by the Rust Craft shareholders, the Federal Securities Commission and the Federal Communications Commission (FCC). All three groups must approve the sale before it can be finalized.

The FCC is involved in the transaction because Rust Craft owns several radio and television stations and has interests in Telecommunications, Inc., which has cable television operations in addition to its line of greeting cards and related products, Grubaugh said.

Ziff is a private corporation whose chief holding is Ziff-Davis Publishing Company, magazine publisher. The company publishes such magazines as "Photography" and other similar publications.

The Freedman official said the Charlevoix Company, which also has a plant in California, would continue to operate as it always had following the completion of the current transaction.

Freedman Artcraft was founded in Charlevoix in 1946 by the late Gordon Freedman. The company manufactures greeting cards, record album and other types of display cases and stands for many major corporations in the country including Walt Disney Productions.

The products manufactured in Charlevoix and California are shipped around the world.

The Charlevoix plant employs 175 people at its location by the Charlevoix Municipal Airport.

The company was purchased by Rust Craft Greeting Cards, Inc., in October, 1972.



New Around Town

THE OFFICERS and crew of the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Mesquite are back. The 50 man crew will be aboard the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Mesquite until the overhaul of the Sundew is completed next July. The officers and crew have been gone since August 1, when they took the Sundew to a Maryland shipyard.

Christmas ideas galore at hospital Showcase

By Fran Martin
Charlevoix Hospital Guild members have something special for you with their special pre-holiday gift showing, Nov. 9 and 10.

Mrs. William Squire of Boyne City, guild president, says the volunteer group will be staging a special showing of new and different gift items.

The Showcase, the gift shop in the lobby of the hospital, will be open from 9 a.m. until 8 p.m. on both these days for the benefit of those who want to do their Christmas shopping early.

"By patronizing the pre-holiday sale next week, you will not only be completing your Christmas shopping list, you will, through the Guild, be supporting the Charlevoix Area Hospital, one of the most important institutions in your community," Mrs. Squire added.

Mrs. William Fochman and Mrs. Gordon I. Freedman have been searching since spring for the cute and clever as well as the staid and practical gift ideas. Besides larger toys there are countless items suitable as stocking stuffers.

There are nail kits, wallets, glass cases and key chains for men, magnifiers, jewelry of every description for the Miss or Missus of all ages, stationary and note paper, bed caddies, colorful trays, Advent calendars, always a treat at holiday time as children count off the days till Christmas, book marks, bed socks, clever wooden dolls from Poland, wooden Christmas ornaments that make fine family gifts...the list goes on and on.

"You name it, we have it... something," Mrs. Fochman said of the stock that has been purchased for the showing next week.

The Showcase is operated by the Women's Guild as a fund-raising project with all the proceeds going to support the hospital through the purchase of furnishings, equipment and the renovation of furnishings that have seen better days.

In addition, the Guild makes layettes for mothers who need them, make puppets and pillows for the pediatric department, tray favors for patients in addition to fulfilling numerous volunteer obligations members have accepted. The Guild also offers nursing scholarships as well as scholarships to persons entering the health field.

Gregory Justis of the Legal Services of Northern Michigan says he expects a ruling on the Charlevoix Apartment injunction some time this week. He told the Courier that despite what the landlords stated in a letter to the tenants, the U.S. District Court in Grand Rapids did not refuse to issue an injunction in the case, but instead the Court indicated a decision on the injunction would be forthcoming in 30 days. The hearing was held September 28.

The case involves a rent increase dispute, with Legal Services claiming that tenants of the apartment complex were denied their constitutional rights when their rents were increased 25 percent March 1 because they weren't given a chance to submit input about the proposed rent hike.

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Holiday Fare

MRS. WILLIAM FOCHMAN surrounds four-year old Suzanne Aull with some of the soft, cuddly toys that will be among the many gift items to be offered for sale at the annual pre-holiday showing at The Showcase, the gift shop sponsored by the Women's Guild of the Charlevoix Area Hospital. Suzanne is the daughter of the Richard Aulls.

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Community Calendar

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Tuesday, Nov. 1
 Girls' Basketball: Charlevoix at Gaylord 6:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Area Historical Society will meet at the Community Room, First State Bank, 8 p.m. Reg. Sharkey of Petoskey, newspaper columnist and naturalist, will speak on the passenger pigeon in relation to the white man. American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m.

Women of the Church of God will meet at Fellowship Hall 7:30 p.m. Hostess: Mrs. Howard Strubers.

Wednesday, Nov. 2
 Freshmen football: Charlevoix at Petoskey 6:30 p.m.

Community Church of God Sault-Casselle Luncheon and Christmas Bazaar at Fellowship Hall, Bazaar: 10 a.m.-4 p.m. Luncheon: 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Donations: \$2.50, adults; \$1.00 children under 12 years; pre-schoolers, no charge.

Northwood United Methodist Women will meet with Mrs. George Severson 7:30 p.m. Coast Guard Wives will meet with Mrs. Robert Miller, 410 E. Upright, 7:30 p.m.

Scouting Club will meet at Airport Hanger Tach room 8 p.m.

Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational Church will meet at 1:30 p.m. for annual Thank Offering Tea at 4 p.m.

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 Football: Charlevoix at Petoskey 8 p.m. Final game of the season.

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the home of Mrs. Jeffrey Porter; Program: film strip, "Togetherness," and Mrs. Floyd Chamberlain will report on the recent giving and the project for the year; Devotions: Mrs. Carl Kohler; co-hostesses: Hospitality committee.

Charlevoix Chapter No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, order installation at the Masonic Temple 8 p.m.

Little Flower Guild will meet at St. Mary's School Hall 8 p.m. Sister Lucy Ann, coordinator for the C.C.D., will be the guest speaker.

TOPS will meet at undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. for weight-in; business meeting, 6:30 p.m.

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Charlevoix County Planning Commission will meet at 7:30 p.m. at the county building annex.

Charlevoix Rod and Gun Club will meet at 6:30 p.m. for a pancake supper at the clubhouse. Business meeting will follow at 8 p.m.

Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Services Board will meet at 4 p.m. at Administrative office, 325 E. Lake St., Petoskey, 8 p.m.

V.F.W. Auxiliary will meet at post home 8 p.m. Hostesses: Mrs. Pauline Russell and Mrs. Marie Itabach.

Ann Landers, widely known columnist, will appear at a \$50 a plate dinner at the Grey Gables Inn at 6:30 p.m. and at

the high school gym at 8:30 p.m. under the sponsorship of the Chip Counseling Center.

Northwest Reunion, No. 3433 will meet at the Charlevoix County Sheriff Department, Grant St., 8 p.m. Nomination of new officers.

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Thursday, Nov. 24
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Friday, Nov. 25
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Saturday, Nov. 26
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Sunday, Nov. 27
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Monday, Nov. 28
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Tuesday, Nov. 29
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Wednesday, Nov. 30
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83-year-old woman crochets

Lace making still a thriving art in Ellsworth

By NANCY JARVIS

The age old art of handma lace is alive and thriving in Ellsworth where a kind, humble woman named Mrs. James (Alice) Ruis keeps her hands busy for the love of her church, not for profit.

The 83-year-old woman crochets lovely, delicate lace designs that adorn the edges of handkerchiefs, pillow cases and classic furniture scarves. She often uses lavender variegated thread to add hints of color to her work.

"I don't want people to think I'm boasting about my work, but I want more work because I love it I can do," Mrs. Ruis said.

"And does she ever. She said she sold over \$100 worth of lace at the Alwood Reformed Church bazaar several weeks ago, which represents everything she had for sale. She

donates all of the money she makes to the church, including the earnings from the items she sells from her home. The church, in turn, uses the money to finance its missions.

Mrs. Ruis uses several different patterns in her lace making and says the possibilities for different designs are endless.

"I only do a few patterns now because I don't want to use directions," she said. She still has an 80-year-old white handkerchief with a special pattern design even though the years have developed tiny holes.

"It's an old, old pattern that I haven't made for years but I keep it because I love the pattern so much," she said. In addition to her lace work, Mrs. Ruis also does embroidery work. Knits mittens, booties and matching

hot and cold sets and crochets edging on pot holders she makes from wash cloths.

"I do it because I love to work with my hands," Mrs. Ruis said.

Her home, located within the village limits of Ellsworth, remains one of a childhood visit to Grandma's. She keeps it neat and clean with the furniture brightly polished and decorated with her lace scarves. Her windows glow with sheer ruffled curtains and her many live plants add an air of freshness. The chime of her antique shelf clock warns the house.

She welcomes her visitors with a cup of hot coffee and homemade date cookies. Soon she brings out a tin box filled with "my old relics" as she calls them, which are small samples of her lace work.

many turning yellow with age. An average sized woman who wears her silver grey hair up in a braided knot on the back of her head, she often humbly bows her head when she talks about her hand work. And then she is smiling and her blue eyes seem to dance behind her grey framed glasses. Her pink freckled skin is marked with the lines of age.

Born in the Netherlands, Mrs. Ruis came to the United States in 1901 when she was seven years old. Her family immediately settled in Ellsworth and she has lived there ever since.

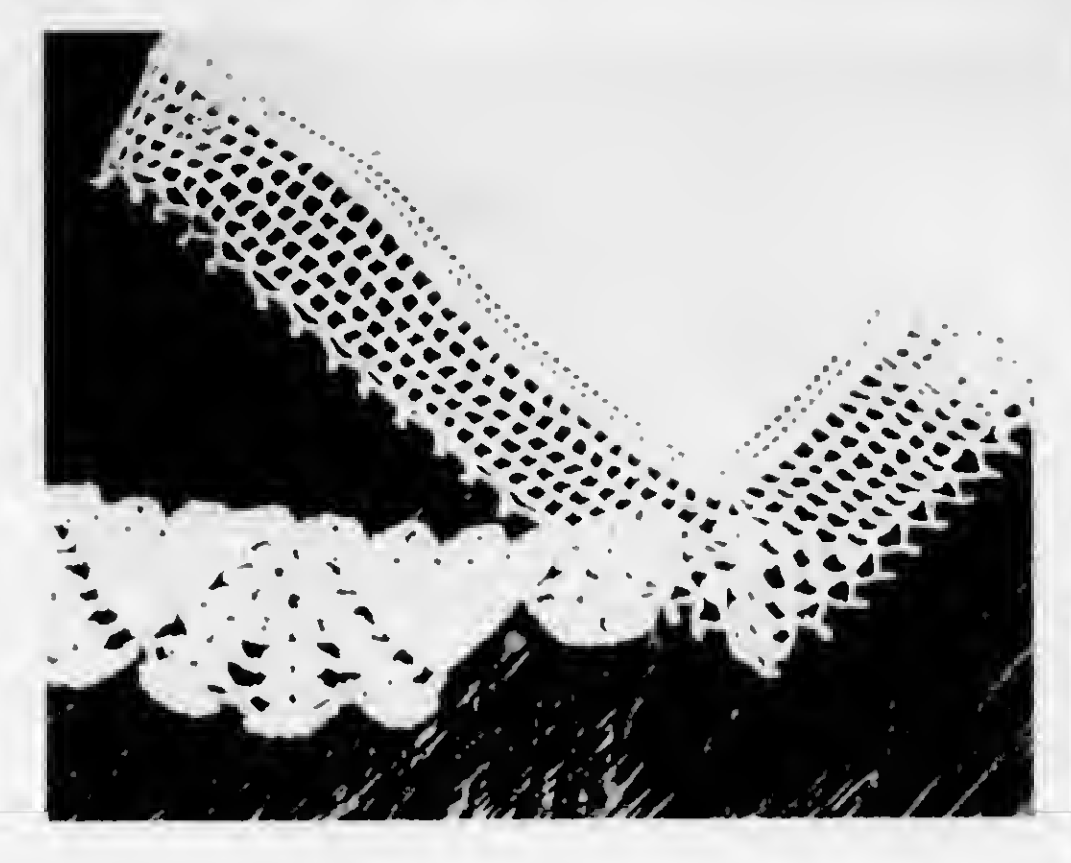
"I recall a little of the old place," she said, remembering the country where she was born. "We lived in a little village in a house right by a dike. The dike was covered by

a hand operated bridge to let the boats through."

Her nephew in California, Mrs. Ruis said, recently traveled to the Netherlands and found the house she was born in still standing. She said he told her the bridge is there and it is still hand operated as it was before.

Mrs. Ruis is one of a family of ten children. There are now only two still alive. Her sister lives within walking distance of her home and her son and grandson run the same garage in Ellsworth that her husband bought just after they were married. Her husband is dead now, but she has her two children five grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

"Love my family," she said with a smile and spoke of knitted slippers, mittens and Sunday afternoon dinners.



Knudson retires from Will-Flow

Before Knudson joined Will-Flow, he spent 11 years farming the 60 acre surrounding his home on Old M-66.

"We grew a little bit of everything," Knudson said. "And we had some cattle, too."

"But it got to the point where I either had to become a farm laborer or call it quits."

Knudson worked for several other local companies, too. He spent six years working for the East Jordan Iron Works and he spent six years on the Great Lakes steamships before he was married.

He also worked for the Charlevoix Picking Company where he learned the skills for one of his hobbies—pickle making.

This year, Knudson made three large barrels of dill pickles which he divides up into quart and gallon jars and gives to friends. He grows most of his own pickle cucumbers, although this year a fellow employee at Will-Flow donated five bushels of cukes to the cause.

"How many pickles does Knudson eat?"

"Oh, about a quart," he laughed. "I give most of them away."

Knudson said he didn't have any special plans for his retirement except to finish up some projects around the house that his wife had been bugging him to do.

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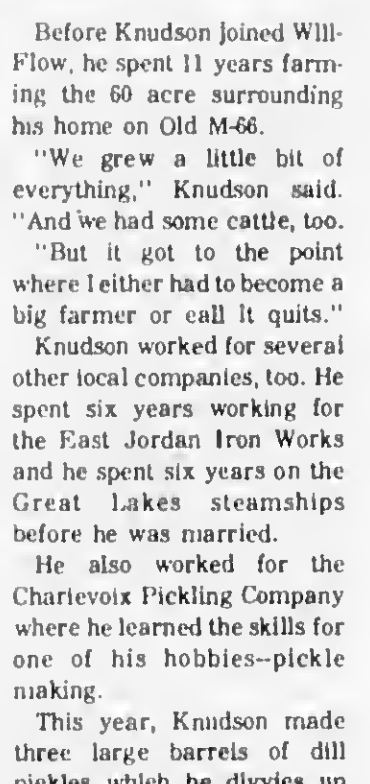
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Emmet County's junk not wanted

Charlevoix County doesn't want Emmet County to dump its solid waste (garbage and rubbish) in the Charlevoix land fill.

This was made clear last week when the Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners passed a resolution pointing to the fact that over two years ago they presented the Department of Natural

Resources with their own solid waste disposal plan which would use the only land fill in the county and did not provide for use of the fill by any other county.

The commissioners resolved that "the Emmet County Board of Commissioners respect our plan to the extent that any plans presently considered by the

debate is "Resolved: The federal government should guarantee comprehensive medical care for all citizens in the United States." Both the varsity and novice teams started collecting evidence and writing cases this summer with the help of Ann Marie Watson, who attended state debate camp at Northern Michigan University for several weeks during the summer.

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similar problems for Charlevoix County."

Emmet County is looking for a land fill site outside its own borders because no agreement can be reached as to where it should be located within the county.

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Careers gain new limelight

During the week of Nov. 6-12, all juniors and seniors at the Charlevoix High School will have an opportunity to participate in a speed career guidance and planning program.

The program is designed to help young adults make better decisions about their educational and career plans. In fact, a national survey shows that juniors rank "help with career planning" as their most important need.

School counselor Charles Bentley explained that each participating student completes the Career Planning Program assessment instrument, which measures his or her career related interests, experiences, abilities and plans. The information is then developed into a report to

help each student relate this information about himself or herself to career options and the world of work. With each report, participants will receive a planning booklet, in which they will find tips on how to explore various careers, where to find career references and how to learn the requirements for specific jobs. They will also receive a Career Education newspaper that will offer job market projections locally, statewide and nationally. It will also list an outline of job finding skills such as how to write a resume and how to have a successful job interview.

The career planning program also has some special features for those going into higher education after high school. It relates

various careers to specific post-secondary majors and gives students a more specific realm from which to choose a post-secondary school. Students will also get an estimate of the score they might achieve on the State of Michigan Scholarship Test, in which 28,000 students qualified for scholarships. There is also a section devoted to financial aids, how to apply, the various kinds of assistance available and who qualifies for aid.

Approximately 52 percent of the class of 1977 of the Charlevoix High School said they were planning to attend some sort of school or college after high school, Bentley said. Thirty-eight percent planned to enter four-year programs; 14 percent technical vocational program.

African pastor plans visit to Charlevoix

The Reverend B. K. Dladla, pastor of a Congregational Church in Durban, South Africa, will preach in the First Congregational Church of Charlevoix next Sunday, November 6, at 11 a.m.

Dladla is Moderator of the Congregational Churches of the Union of South Africa, Rhodesia, Botswana, and Southwest Africa. He will be in Michigan in connection with the annual meeting of the United Church of Christ Board for World Ministries, to be held in Grand Rapids from November 13 to 18.

In addition to this Sunday morning engagement, Dladla will speak to the Charlevoix Kiwanis and Lions Clubs on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

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Editorials/Opinions

Congress sells out to oil companies

We hope the shortsighted members of Congress who apparently have sided with the powerful oil and gas lobby in gutting President Carter's energy conservation proposals are on the mailing list of the Institute for Environmental Studies at the University of Wisconsin at Madison. But, we don't expect they are or that it would actually make any difference.

The institute recently published a report that ought to be considered seriously by anyone concerned with our dwindling energy resources. The report, compiled by a group of university researchers, says Americans could cut their energy consumption by 64 percent and still have full employment. The researchers describe a future in which full employment and energy conservation will go hand in hand.

What a contrast to the arguments of the Washington lobbyists who have managed to cripple several major energy conservation proposals on the grounds that changes in our consumption patterns will cause a loss of jobs.

The researchers see an acceleration of the already apparent migration of people away from large cities into smaller cities. At the same time, they expect the declining metropolitan areas will begin to divide and rebuild themselves into a number of distinct smaller cities.

This is an historical irony in some of the predictions. The report suggests that in this low-energy future food production will become more localized as the high cost of transportation

forces farmers and industrialists to concentrate on source of food.

This local self-sufficiency is a page out of the past. It is a mandatory, but common way of life in many lesser developed nations. We have become so sophisticated in our food production that we are totally dependent on a complicated, far-flung and costly transportation system.

It is a system that sends peas and corn from Michigan to California and brings back lettuce and grapes.

Contrast this energy-gorging food distribution system with that being employed in Peoples Republic of China, for example. China is generally thought to be smothered with population problems.

Paul H. Williams, UW plant pathologist, who spent a month in China earlier this summer as part of an American agricultural mission, has reported on the widespread dependence on locally produced foods in that age-old civilization.

Nobody expects the U.S. to be transformed into a push-cart economy, but the university environmental report cautions that while people will not be deprived of autos, they will be expensive to operate and not really necessary for day-to-day activities.

We strongly urge you to put the nation's energy situation at the top of your list of public concerns. At the same time, as that you take it upon yourselves to write your national legislators and tell them not to buckle under to the powerful gas and oil lobby.



"Don't involve me in your petty bickering!"

Clockwise by Bob Clock

I'm not sure how - or even if - we should celebrate the birthdays of such inanimate objects as the Mackinac Bridge. After all, they have a definite advantage in the age department over us mere mortals.

This week, for example, Big Mac is celebrating its 20th anniversary. And there seems to be little doubt that in 100 years she will celebrate her 120th anniversary and in 2177 she will mark 220 years of dominance over the Straits.

None of us can say that. But rather than begrudge Big Mac her due from the temporal quarter, I suppose I should be satisfied to be among those who remember Northern Michigan before the bridge was constructed. There are quite a few of us around today, but our number is dwindling with every passing year.

Remember very clearly being told in my Michigan Geography class in grade school that construction of a bridge over the Straits of Mackinac was an impossibility - and I suppose in the 1930's it was.

In the first place, the Straits are too wide. In the second place, they are too deep.

And in the third place, wind, waves and ice would never allow for the construction of anything in the Straits of Mackinac.

In those days, building a bridge at Mackinac was in the same category as flying to the moon, so far as the daily press was concerned. We knew it couldn't be done, but it was fun to talk about.

Every so often one of the papers would interview some flea-brained dreamer who thought the bridge could be floated on a million oil drums or suspended from helium balloons. No one ever considered building the bridge on towers anchored to the bottom of the Straits, because the bottom generally was considered to be an unknown quantity.

After my first visit to the Straits in 1974, I was struck by the fact that the bridge was not only a major tourist attraction in the area ever since.

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Paula Holmes... Speaking Her Mind

It's always fun to chat with my mother on the telephone because she never fails to have something new and exciting to share with me.

A recent phone call was no disappointment as mother really threw me for a loop this time when she announced: "You have a new adopted brother."

As far as I knew, my parents were satisfied with their four children, although I have heard them campaign for grandchildren on occasion. I knew also that they felt the house getting a little empty with my youngest brother in the middle of his senior year at high school and full of big plans for college. But I didn't think they were so desperate that they would adopt another child.

"I have a what?" I yelled incredulously into the phone as I wondered why I hadn't been consulted on such a major decision.

"Well, he's a Swedish foreign exchange student that we're going to have live with us during the school year," mother explained during the initial shock.

Still surprised, I asked how they could get an exchange student when the school year had already started. I knew that the two exchange students in Charlevoix, Pedro Armengol and Maria Aronson, had arrived in the area in August.

Neither said that their exchange

student had been living with a family with very young children. He didn't want to move out of the school district but he needed a new home, so the family took him in.

"Actually, your brother told him to be glad to have him," Mom related. "He just sort of brought him home in a day."

I knew there had to be more to the story than that. My brother just doesn't bring anybody home. And I was right. "Well, you know, swimming season coming up," Mom continued. "We (that's the exchange student) holds Swedish national record for long distance swimming. Jeff and the other members of the team really wanted to keep him at the school."

On top of that, a Danish exchange student also visiting the Lansing area this year is attending my brother's high school. He just happens to be a diver who has won a few medals himself.

It looks like Eastern High School should be able to hold onto its league champion swim title this year since no one can draw from international talent, mother said.

I agreed, but one thing was bugging me. "Is the Danish exchange student staying with you, too," I asked. "Not yet," Mom replied. "Swim on."

They are nowadays. Did you see Joan of Arc carrying a Gospel to war? Did Pochontas live around a pouch to match her moccasins? And I don't know where Lady Godiva carried her credit cards, but it wasn't in a handbag. I would have noticed.

Believe me, there is nothing that detracts from a woman's aura of mystery and intrigue like wearing a black suede over-the-shoulder bag with a pale blue bathing suit.

I think it's time we women stopped carrying supplies for the entire family. If children don't have room to carry their own toys, if men don't have pockets in their pants, tough.

Things are clearly out of control. I didn't mind rummaging through my bag for the ring at the wedding ceremony. I didn't raise my voice when I went to surgery with a tote bag over my chest. But the other day, I realized things had gone too far. My husband said, "These Life Savers are stuck together. Where do you have them?" "When I went to the sauna..." "You didn't?"

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COURIER: What did you do for a living after you grew up?

HAMLIN: I ran a grocery store. But I sold it in 1928 and moved to Elkhardt, Indiana and bought another store there. Then, after 17 years I came back to Charlevoix.

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COURIER: Tell us about your family.

HAMLIN: I was married to Cleo Ulrich and we had two daughters and a son. Naomi Plunk and Janice Stamp both live in Elkhardt and Alcedo lives in Portage. After Cleo died I married Ellen Koseala who had come to Charlevoix to be superintendent of nurses at the old hospital. Ellen and I have one daughter, Virginia Cummings who lives in Norwood. I also have eight grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

COURIER: How do you spend your time now?

HAMLIN: I used to do a lot of work at the Episcopal Church. I'm the oldest member there. Now Ellen is the one who does the church work. I take care of the garden and yard, paint, and do other things around the house.

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Service pins were awarded those employees who have worked for Freedman 15 years or more.

Receiving recognition were:

Russ Bolser, 18 years;
Leonard Hosier, 18 years;
Casey Harthorn, 17 years;

Leslie Brown, 15 years;
James Waller, 15 years;
Joe Powell, 21 years;
Josephine Stutzman, 19 years;
Irwin Holschek, 22 years;
Eugene Bergmann, 23 years;
Dewey Bruce, Sr., 24 years;
Virginia Hoffman, 25 years;
Charles Bergmann, 27 years;
John Swanson, 28 years;
George Lusk, 28 years;
Warren G. Allison, 30 years;
Bob Pearl, 31 years and Charles Meier, 31 years.

Retirees from the company are Alvin Sheppard, Clayton Trimble, Richard Potter, Bud Heise, Keith Wagner, Walter Harty, Sr., Robert Holschek, Clifford Reich, LaVern McGowan, Frank Kubicek, Lester Smith, George Courtney, Lyman Matthews, Harold Miller, Shirley Johnston, Alfred Blake, and Josephine Stutzman.



RETIREES HONORED last week included Lyman Matthews (front row, 1 to 4), Clayton Trimble and Clifford Reich. In the back row are Frank Kubicek, Walter Harty, Josephine Stutzman and LaVern McGowan.



Located in one of Charlevoix's more desirable subdivisions - Sugar Bush, is this attractive well built home, waiting for its first owner. Consisting of three bedrooms, two full baths, utility room, workshop, full basement, two car garage, zoned heat, new kitchen appliances, new carpeting...all this and other desirable features situated on a wooded 1/2 acre lot. Market priced at \$49,900. Call for your personal showing.

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CHARLEVOIX COUNCIL MINUTES

The Common Council of the City of Charlevoix met on the above date and time with Mayor Hansen presiding. Aldermen present: Whitley, Erber, Morris, and Wood. Absent: Aldermen Wallace and Plumm.

The Minutes of the October 3, 1977 regular meeting and the minutes of the special meeting of October 10, 1977 were approved as presented in writing and as recorded in the Council Minutes Book.

Council recessed to the Board of Appeals to discuss a variance requested by Jill Ross for a 4'6" penetration of the west side yard setback at her home at 119 E. Huribut.

Roll call of the Council was again taken with Councilmen Whitley, Erber, Morris, and Wood present. Absent: Aldermen Wallace and Plumm.

Motion was made by Alderman Wood and supported by Alderman Morris that a contract be entered into with Warren Belding to maintain the Charlevoix Golf Course from April 1, 1978 to October 31, 1978. Motion was adopted by the following yeas and nays: Yeas: Aldermen Whitley, Erber, Morris, and Wood. Nays: None. Absent: Aldermen Wallace and Plumm.

Moved by Alderman Morris and supported by Alderman Wood that the City purchase "Seasons Greetings" signs to be hung at the north and south entrances to the City during the Christmas season at an approximate cost of \$2,200. Motion was defeated by the following yeas and nays: Yeas: Aldermen Morris and Wood. Nays: Aldermen Whitley and Erber, and Mayor Hansen. Absent: Aldermen Wallace and Plumm.

The following Resolution was offered and moved for its adoption by Alderman Erber and supported by Alderman Wood.

RESOLUTION 77-10-1

WHEREAS, it is the public purpose of the State of Michigan and its political subdivisions to provide housing for its citizens of low and moderate income, with such purpose and policy being enunciated in Act Number 346 of the Public Acts of 1966 of the State of Michigan, as amended, and

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Charlevoix couple exchanges vows

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The bride's mother is Mrs. Caciile J. Haley of Bellevue, and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. William Habel, Sr. of Charlevoix.

The Reverend Earnest Knight performed the double-ring ceremony before 75 guests.

For her wedding, the bride chose a high-collared ivory gown fashioned with lace and a veil that tiered down to

below her waist. Her bouquet consisted of 12 miniature yellow roses with baby's breath and English ivy. She was given in marriage by Oana Honeysett of Charlevoix.

The bride was escorted by Anne Fielder of Charlevoix, who played "A Time for Us" from Love Story and "The Theme from the Godfather."

Janice Carrel of Battle Creek served as maid of honor. She wore a rose-colored gown and carried a long-stemmed yellow rose. Billie Jean Habel of Charlevoix, wearing a white printed dress with yellow roses, was flower girl, and William E. Habel,

III, was ring bearer. Dean Michael Madsen of Traverse City served as best man, and Alan Habel and William F. Habel, II, were ushers.

Mrs. Haley chose a long brown print sleeveless gown for her daughter's wedding. Mrs. Habel wore a long blue gown trimmed with lace. Following the wedding

ceremony, a reception was held in advance, given by the bride and bridegroom. Mrs. Bertha Potter served as hostess and Brenda Honeysett cut the wedding cake.

The newlyweds are at home in Charlevoix, where the groom is employed at the Willow Corporation and the bride is admitting and outpatient clerk at the Charlevoix Area Hospital.

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Paul Osterberg marries Paula Merritt

Paula Lynn Merritt and Paul Osterberg were married October 22 in St. Mary's Catholic Church by Father R. Dale Mazoon.

The double-ring afternoon ceremony was performed before an altar decorated with fall flowers.

The bride, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry L. Vining of Hollywood, Florida, was given in marriage by her father. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Osterberg of Charlevoix.

The bride's gown was fashioned of Venise Lace, with a scooped neckline, sheer sleeves, and a full train. She wore a matching fingertip veil and carried a cascade of yellow roses and white mums.

Music for the ceremony was provided by organist Marina LaBlanc, who played a traditional wedding march and recessional, as well as "Never My Love."

Lynn Marie Feeh of Lansing served the bride as maid of

honor, and Carole Osterberg and Debbie Jones were bridesmaids. They wore identical gowns of three-tier yellow chiffon with floral prints and picture hats with yellow ribbons. They carried bouquets of daisies and mums in fall colors.

Mark Merritt served the bridegroom as best man, John and Brian Osterberg were groomsmen, and Jeff Lachman and Randy Goss were ushers.

Following the ceremony, a reception was given at the Charlevoix Yacht Club by the bride's parents. The groom's parents hosted the rehearsal dinner the evening before the wedding at the Weatherhome Inn.

Following a short stay at Shanty Creek, the newlyweds are at home in Charlevoix.

Out-of-town guests attended the wedding from Iron Mountain, Marquette, Detroit, Florida, and Ohio.

Charlevoix women's club plans 'Quilt Designing' meeting

"Quilt Designing" will be the subject of the next meeting of the Charlevoix Women's Club, to be held November 15 at 8 p.m. in the party room of LaCroft Condominium.

Mrs. Edward (Anne) Thurston of Boyne City will

demonstrate and show samples of her American Patchwork Quilting which she markets in this country and abroad.

Mrs. Thurston is a graduate of Fresno State College in Fine Arts and Education. She also studied at Ohio State

University, the Museum of Art in Toledo, and North Central Michigan College. She has taught at the college, high school, and elementary school level and does commercial art and consulting.

Members are asked to bring any of their own modern or

antique quilts to add to the display.

"Life members of the Women's Club will be honored at this meeting. Anyone needing transportation should contact a member of the Executive Committee.

Hostesses for the evening will be Mrs. William Brady and Mrs. Harry R. Custer.

Silver Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. John Klooster celebrated their silver wedding anniversary at an open house held Saturday at Fellowship Hall of the Com-



Mr. and Mrs. John Klooster

munity Reformed Church. Hosting the event attended by more than 150 relatives and friends were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Vandenberg of Romeo, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Vandenberg of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas (Janice) Medox of Ocatu, Ga., and Mr. and Mrs. Michael (Doris) Delmott of Rochester. Also present were their six grandchildren.

Mr. Klooster and the former Mrs. Ann DeGroot Vandenberg were married in Charlevoix on Oct. 24, 1952, and have always resided here. Mr. Klooster is employed at the Penn-Olex Cement Co. of Petoskey. Mrs. Klooster is employed as the billing clerk for the Charlevoix Utility Department.

Marriages

The following marriage licenses were issued recently by the Charlevoix County Clerk:

Allen R. Bergmann, 20, Charlevoix, and Kathleen D. Smith, 16, Charlevoix.

Michael L. Breetz, 26, Charlevoix, and LuAnn Wolschliager, 21, Charlevoix.

Milton M. Richardson, 61, Charlevoix, and Marguerita E. Peary, 62, Melbourne, Florida.

James L. Habel, 26, Charlevoix, and Tosca C. Haley, 18, Charlevoix.

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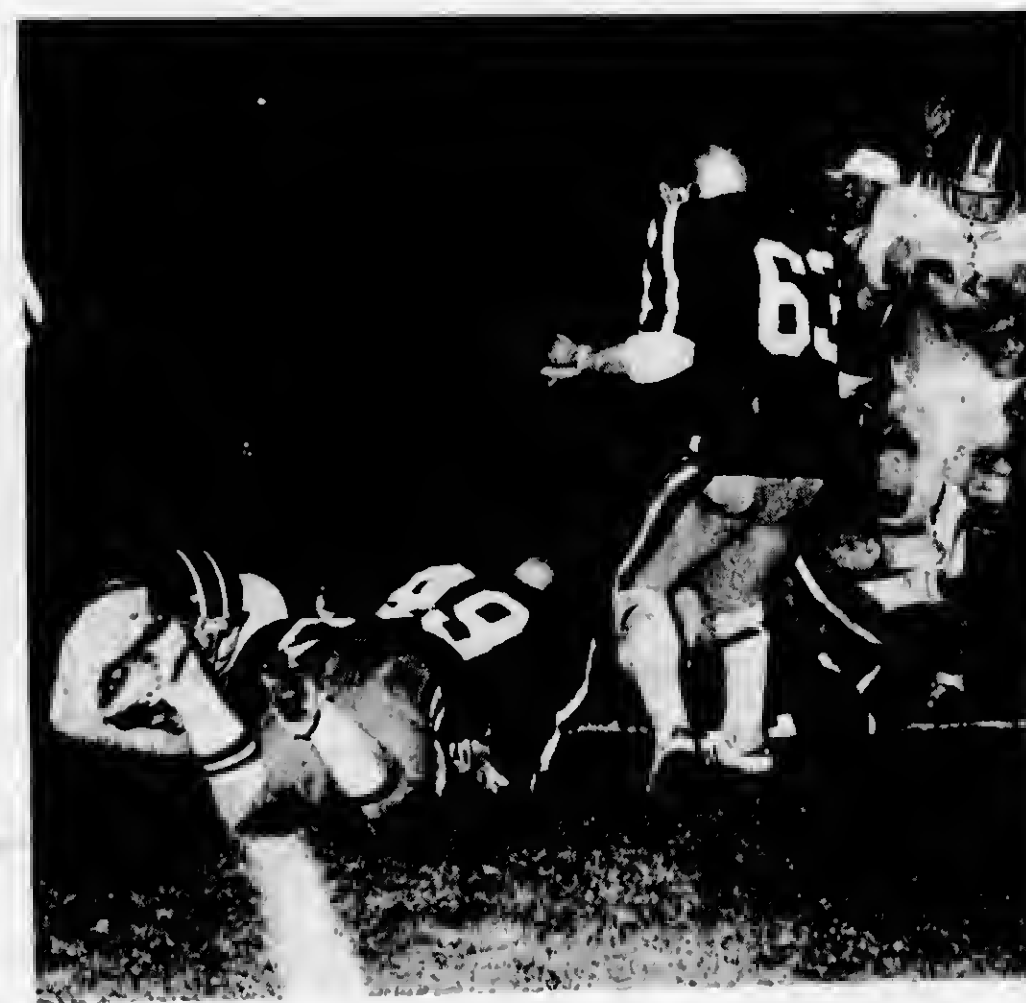
END NEIL Dziedzic (88) picks up a punt for more yardage in the Rayders drive against the Ramblers.



TOM JONES (74) gained 20 yards helping the Charlevoix Red Rayders move a step closer to a 1977 Michigan High School playoff berth, as they demolished cross-country rival Boyne City, 34 to 6.



RAYDER JEFF Krueger made a spectacular showing last Friday gaining 155 yards to make 1,102 yards for the season.



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Charlevoix romps over Boyne City at Kipke Field

By BILL MERCER
Charlevoix's Red Rayder football team moved a step closer to a 1977 Michigan High School playoff berth, as they demolished cross-country rival Boyne City, 34-6, before a homefield crowd last Friday night. This victory, coupled with number one ranked Negaunee's loss to Norway, should boost the Rayders both in the playoff picture and the state rankings.

The contest was really much closer than the score might indicate, as Charlevoix built a decisive 28-0 first quarter lead and then appeared to become extremely lousy. The usual "crunch of pads and enthusiasm for victory seemed to leave the players after they had gained such a large advantage over hapless Boyne City.

Two turnovers and an exciting 42 yard run by Greg Krueger accounted for the first three Charlevoix scores. Punt receiver Neil Dziedzic closed out the initial quarter of play by crossing the goal line with 24 seconds on the clock following another brilliant punt return. This is Dziedzic's

third punt return to the end zone and credit must be given to the blocking of Erik Lundteigen, Bruce Avery, Jerry Sladek and the other members of the punt return team. Charlevoix scored following the first kickoff of the game. Quarterback Jim Alger guided the team to the Ramblers 42 yard line when Krueger broke loose for his touchdown run. Guy Carter's point after kick was good, giving the Rayders a 7-0 lead barely 3 minutes into the ball game.

Four minutes later Pat Klooster grabbed a Boyne City pass and returned the interception 78 yards for Charlevoix's second score. Again Carter connected, making the score 14-0.

On the series of downs following the kickoff, Lundteigen gathered in a Rambler fumble on the Boyne City 23 yard line. Four plays later, Krueger scored his second touchdown of the evening from 7 yards out. Carter converting his twelfth point after kick in a row and the Rayder's lead climbed to 21-0. This set the stage for Dziedzic's punt return. Boyne City was forced to kick after

Lundteigen sacked the Ramblers quarterback deep in the backfield.

With the comfortable lead tucked under their belts, the Rayder's began playing like grandpas after Sunday driver. They fell asleep. The Ramblers were unable to stage a comeback mainly through the play of Klooster, Tom Jones, Kerry Speer, Jim Elzinga and Barry Potter as these players led the defensive unit in stopping the numerous attempts by the visitors. Boyne City had a full 14 more offensive plays than did Charlevoix.

Neither team scored in the second quarter, as the two squads both played give-away football. Boyne City drove to the Charlevoix 31 yard line before giving the ball over and the Rayders countered by moving to the visitors 15 yard line before they gave it up. Interceptions by Boyne's Pat Anzell and Charlevoix's Elzinga ended two additional scoring drives.

The third and fourth quarters looked like repeats of the second stanza. Charlevoix gave up a fumble shortly after

the kickoff and Boyne City converted it into their only score of the evening. The damage was done when Rambler quarterback Tom Jodway hit teammate Tom Dressel in the end zone for the touchdown.

Charlevoix countered that score early in the final period, when Alger found Elzinga at the two yard line. Good effort by the Rayder back carried him into the endzone. Carter's point after kick was wide, stopping his conversion kick sting at thirteen in a row.

Along the way, Potter picked up a Rambler fumble to stop one drive after senior defensive end for left nailed the visitors quarterback for a loss.

The game ended with Boyne City in possession, desperately trying to stage a comeback. The final score Charlevoix 31, Ramblers 6.

An important side note to this game was the 134 yards gained by Krueger. This offensive output moved the senior back to 1102 total yards gained this season. He accomplished the magic 1000 yard mark on 156 carry's, an

average of 6.4 yards per carry. The most recent Charlevoix athlete to match this mark was Randy Williams (1040 yards) in 1975. This Friday Charlevoix

travels to Petoskey for the final game of the regular 1977 season. A victory against the Northmen would give Charlevoix an undefeated season and undisputed

possession of the Michigan-Illion Shores league trophy. Petoskey is sure to be high for this game, hoping to play the spoiler role on their home field.

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Winners

The Charlevoix Rayder Cross Country team placed second in Class C regional competition at Clare Saturday to qualify for the state meet to be Saturday.

The host team, Clare, captured the regional title with a strong 41 points. The Rayders trailed with a weak 116 points. Other area teams among the top 10 were Rogers City in sixth place with 177 points and Boyne City in ninth with 266 points.

Mark Russell was the top runner for Charlevoix, placing second with a time of 15:54. The winning time was 15:42 set by Dave Foster of Clare.

Jeff Drenth placed ninth with a time of 16:16; Jeff Landon, 22nd, 16:55; John Fiedorek, 32nd, 17:10 and Jay Swartwout, 51st, 17:37.

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Before meeting Ski and Shore in the finals, East Jordan defeated the Circus Shop and Harbor Springs. On the way to the finals, Ski and Shore defeated Alanson and North Central Christian Academy. Other teams in the tournament were Boyne Falls, Boyne City, and Leutheuser's. Leading scorers were Ivan Castle of East Jordan, five goals; Scott Kelly of Ski and Shore, four goals; Matt Koontz of East Jordan, three goals; and Scott McCauley of North Central Christian Academy and Ken Johnson of Harbor Springs, two goals each.

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Girls split

The Charlevoix girls basketball team split this week, winning by a score of 48-41 over Grayling and losing to Boyne City 61-52.

In their meeting with Grayling, the girls got off to a slow start, trailing 16-7 at the quarter but went ahead 26-24 at halftime and held the lead 34 to 28 going into the final period.

In this meeting, Sherrie Selassen paced the team with 17 points with Laurie Gibbs adding 10 points. Sherrie Reed had 13 for Grayling.

The Charlevoix JV squad came through with a 37-21 win over the visiting JV's. On Thursday, the visiting Boyne City five edged to a 14-13 first period lead but dumped in 21 points in the

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WEDNESDAY NITE LADIES Oct. 26, 1977					
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Gas Heat Installation	195	125			
Edward's IGA	186	134			
Ron's Transmission	180	140			
Oleson's Food Store	180	140			
Wharfside Market	179	141			
American Mold	174	146			
Hopkins' & Pottery	166	154			
Birds Beauty Shoppe	165	155			
Staley's Grocery	165	155			
Medusa Cement	151	159			
Lake Construction	153	167			
Louise's Realty Shoppe	151	169			
Cinema III	140	180			
Realt Drug	132	188			
Hoskins	118	202			
Argonne Super Club	115	205			
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Jane Bogart	568				
Arlene Blissett	539				
Sally Gier	503				
Rev Sladek	501				

Obituary

Mrs. Patrick Bonner

St. James, Beaver Island - Mrs. Patrick (Rose L.) Bonner, 80, who died Oct. 24 in a Grand Rapids Nursing Home, were held Oct. 26 at Holy Cross Church. The Rev. Alvin Yard, O.F.M., officiated. Interment was in Holy Cross cemetery.

Mrs. Bonner, the former Rose L. Boyle was born in Escanaba Sept. 3, 1897, and came to Beaver Island with her parents as a child. In 1916,

she was married to Patrick Bonner. They always made their home on Beaver Island. Mr. Bonner preceded her in death in October 1973. She was a member of Holy Cross church.

Surviving are two sons, John P. of Milford, Conn., and Robert H. of Lansing; one daughter, Mrs. Ronald (Mary) Antrim of Grand Rapids; eight grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Volleyball opens

The three volleyball leagues, sponsored by the City Recreation Department, will open their seasons next week at the elementary school gym.

The seven team men's league will play on Tuesday night; the 12 team mixed league on Wednesday and Thursday and the women's league on Monday night. The latter will not play their opening game until Monday, Nov. 7.

The schedule for the first week of play follows:

Men's League

Tuesday, Nov. 1

7:00 p.m. Odds v. Ends vs. Blue Machine
8:00 p.m. Spikers vs. Rugby Rogues
9:00 p.m. Village Car Care v. Swanson's K & D

+denotes defending champions

Women's League

Wednesday, Nov. 2

7:00 p.m. Spikers vs. Bartlett's Decorator Center
8:00 p.m. Village Car Care v. Blue Machine
9:00 p.m. Swanson's v. Rugby Rogues

Mixed League

Wednesday, Nov. 2

7:00 p.m. TT Fogal vs. LaBelkisks
8:00 p.m. Grin'n Bear II vs. Hawley's Raiders
9:00 p.m. Freedman's vs. The Clothing Co.

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Obituary

Mrs. Audrey N. Plave

Funeral services for Mrs. Audrey N. Plave, 57, who died Friday at her home in Charlevoix, will be held at the Norwood United Methodist church at 1:30 p.m. Tuesday.

The Rev. Daniel Miner of East Jordan will officiate. Interment will be in Brookside cemetery.

Mrs. Plave, the former Audrey N. Brown, was born in River Rouge, Mich. 15, 1920. On Oct. 1, 1940, she was married to Anthony P. Plave at Napoleon, Ohio. They made their home in Dearborn Heights until moving to their home in Banks township in Antrim county in 1971. She was a member of the Norwood United Methodist church.

She is survived by her

husband; three sons, Andre P. of South Lyons, Mark A. of Dearborn Heights and Todd J. of Banks township; six grandchildren; two brothers, Charles and Olson of San Jose, Calif.; and two sisters, Mrs. Henry Osborn and Mrs. Michael Serras of Stockton, Calif.

The body is of the Winchester Funeral Home.

Ernest C. Heller
Funeral services for Ernest C. Heller, 79, who died Friday at the Charlevoix Area Hospital where he had been a patient for one day, were held Tuesday morning at Brookside cemetery. The Rev. Raymond Giffin officiated.

Born in Youngstown, Ohio, May 8, 1898, Mr. Heller was a graduate of Ryan High School.

There and a 1919 graduate of Purdue University where he was a varsity football player. A construction engineer by profession, he was associated with the Heller Brothers Co. of Youngstown. He was a veteran of World War I having served in Europe as a Captain with the U.S. Army. He was a member and former deacon of the First Christian Church and American Legion Post No. 15 of Youngstown. He was affiliated with Theta Xi fraternity in 1930 he was married to the former Helene Stette at Youngstown where they lived until moving to Charlevoix in 1941. She was a member of St. Mary's church. Surviving are her husband; a son, Gerald E. of Charlevoix; one daughter, Mrs. Bruce (Deanna) Vanderveer of St. Joseph and five grandchildren.

The Rosary was recited at the Winchester Funeral Home Sunday evening.

Mrs. Gerald D. Left
Funeral services for Mrs. Gerald D. (Eleanor V.) Left, 73, who died Friday at the Charlevoix Area Hospital where she had been a patient for 11 days, were held Monday at St. Mary's church. Rev. R. Dale Magoon officiated. Interment was in St. Mary's cemetery.

The former Eleanor V. Feterelise was born in Chicago Aug. 16, 1904. On Sept. 12, 1931 she was married to Mr. Left in Chicago where they lived until moving to Charlevoix in 1941. She was a member of St. Mary's church. Surviving are her husband; a son, Gerald E. of Charlevoix; one daughter, Mrs. Bruce (Deanna) Vanderveer of St. Joseph and five grandchildren.

The Rosary was recited at the Winchester Funeral Home Sunday evening.

NOTICE TO MARION TOWNSHIP RESIDENTS

Notice is hereby given that our regular township board meeting will be held Nov. 8th, 1977 at 8 p.m. in the township hall. We will hold public hearing on proposed use of Federal Revenue Sharing Entertainment period nine.

Tracy Curtis Township Clerk

TAKE NOTICE

That the County of Antrim, Michigan, a Municipal Corporation will receive bids for:

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Bids are to be submitted for full size cars with a minimum wheel base of 116", one to be delivered Jan. 1978 and one in May, 1978.

Bids will be received until November 9, 1977, at 4:00 p.m. and will be opened at 11:00 a.m. on November 10, 1977.

Bids should be addressed to Laura Dunson, Co. Clerk, and shall be in writing. The envelope containing the bid should be marked "Bid for Automobiles." Specifications are available at the County Clerk's office.

The County reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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THE "PINE LAKE", one of the first lumber carriers on Round Lake propelled by steam, is shown here at the dock of the Charlevoix Lumber Company. The lumber company, the oldest business in Charlevoix, recently ceased operating. (Photo from "Bob Miles' Charlevoix - A Century in Pictures")



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Developers reactions mixed to lake association stand

The reaction of developers to the Wallou Lake Association stand on the use of water front property has been a mixed bag so far.

Lake association executive director Warren Parker said that developers have not approached the association with comments since it ran newspaper advertisements in all area papers stating its opposition to funnel or corridor development.

The lake association defines funnel development as a situation where lake front property is purchased not to build a cottage on, but to help sell large numbers of adjacent lots or condominiums which are not on the lake shore. The group feels this creates pressures on the lake far greater than the pressures created by single family lake front cottages.

While no developers have approached the lake association, those contacted by the Charlevoix Courier had many things to say about the association's action.

Dick George of Ski and Shore, Inc., said the lake association's stand is just another set of regulations that will discourage developers from coming into the area.

"You wouldn't believe the number of agencies that you have to go through in order to get approval to start a development," George pointed out. "You have to go through the township board or city council, planning commission, health department, road commission and so on."

"The developer today recognizes he has to have a better mousetrap in order to attract buyers. But if you throttle him with all these regulations and reviews, there's no sense in him designing the development. It takes all of the creativity and imagination out of it."

George stressed that development by itself is not bad.

"Developers are not up here to screw the people," he said. "They just want to do business. The fact that they are developing lake front property doesn't mean they are bad."

The developer said he didn't feel funnel development was a bad concept. He pointed out that there are several public access points on the lakes in the area and those are really funnel developments, too, for people living near them.

Joe Zullo, a developer who was involved in a suit with the Three Lakes Association over his development Paradise Estates on Torch Lake, said he couldn't quarrel with the ideas of lake associations who are trying to preserve the integrity and water quality of the lakes.

"I think it is much better for the lake association to make it known that they oppose certain types of development or that they would like to see certain things done in developments than for them to wait until the developer has gotten all the approvals he needs and then take him to court," Zullo said.

"It's a little difficult for the developer to work with the lake association if he doesn't know what they are thinking," but Zullo feels that the regulation for developers should come from governmental agencies, not private lake associations.

Bill Mercer, real estate salesman and former county planner, applauded the lake association on its stand, but he felt they should go one step further.

"I think the intent is good, but the approach is wrong," Mercer said. "They should also be gathering up money for tests on the lake to determine how much pressure and new development it can stand."

Mercer said a total indepth study would give the lake association some backing for its stand and some credibility among developers.



ASSISTANT COACH Plas Presnell gives head coach Don Carvay a bear hug following the Charlevoix Rayders defeat of the Petoskey Northmen Friday night. See more pictures on page 8.

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School Board to set priorities

By FRANK MARTIN

Charlevoix School officials and members of the board of education are scheduled to meet Monday with Manson Jackson and Kane representatives to set priorities for the renovation program at the Charlevoix Middle School.

Supt. Gordon W. VanWieren advised the board members, at the regular meeting Monday night, that the architects would be here on that date to discuss the plumbing, electrical and heating projects that will be included in this year's plans for the program.

Efforts are being made to get the wheels rolling so the board can advertise for bids for work to begin by May 1. This is a part of the program at the middle school being financed by a 1.0 mill tax levy for five years.

The board is also scheduled to hear a report on an independent engineering survey made by a Traverse City firm this week, Sept. VanWieren said.

Numerous reports were heard at Monday's meeting. Vane Smith, high school principal, reported that doors for the high school had been ordered but could not be delivered until January.

Betty Potter of the elementary school reported on the Stranding program in use in the third, fourth and fifth grade. She exhibited the "Tippers" and number

Rayder Victory

The Charlevoix Rayder varsity football team came through in a tight spot to claim the third Michigan Huron Shores Conference title of the year Friday night as they downed Petoskey 20-19.

The standings look like this:

School	Wins	Losses
CHARLEVOIX	7	0
Gaylord	5	2
Petoskey	4	3
Chicokeyan	4	3
St. Ignace	4	3
Boysie City	3	4
Togers City	1	6
Grayling	0	7

The cross country and golf teams also captured conference titles this fall.

Put up toys at K-5 school Parents gather for 'playground raising'

It was something like the barn raisings of the old days.

All the ingredients were there. Neighbors from throughout the community gathered together bringing their energy and enthusiasm and set about getting the project done.

Only in this case the project was erecting new playground equipment at the Charlevoix Elementary School instead of a barn on a neighbor's farm. And the neighbors were parents and teachers of elementary school students.

The group, clad in work clothes and toting their own socket wrenches, crescent wrenches and bracing materials, assembled bright and early Saturday morning and began putting together eight different pieces of equipment.

The playground equipment, which included a three-piece unit consisting of a slide, ladder and house, a log house for climbing, hand rings, two buck abseils, a type of teeter-totter; and a circular swing set, were purchased with money raised by the one mill recently approved by the school district voters for operational funds.

The eight pieces cost a total of \$4,486 and were badly needed at the school.

"The new equipment will help us, but we really need even more for the number of children we have at the school," Superintendent Gordon Van Wieren explained.

In addition to the parents and teachers who gathered to help, Wain Electric donated the use of portable generators and Charlevoix Redi-Mix donated time and labor for the pouring of cement to hold the toys in place. Charlevoix Redi-Mix also donated the cement for the new basketball courts at the elementary school.

The "playground raising" was one of the first projects organized by the newly formed Parents Council, which is designed to help the school out in whatever way it can. Patty Muma organized the volunteers.

Others who worked during the day included: Donald Volsin, Don Norman, Austin Rexier, Melvyn Thayer, John Houtling, Stan Martin, Chuck Wright, John Popp, David Phillips, Jan McKay, Marilyn Aull, Henry Wagner, Maureen LaBlance, Robert Hill, Dwight Detrac, Sue Dixon, John Dixon, Jerry Muma, Barbara Fortin, Roy Fortin, Bill Roloff and Ivan Whitthoff.

Anyone who is interested in participating in future projects or in joining the Parents Council should contact the elementary school office for more information.



BARB STEELE wields a mean wrench as she volunteered her help to put together new playground equipment at the Charlevoix Elementary School last Saturday. The project was one of the first organized by the new Parents Council at the school.

NOTICE

NORWOOD TOWNSHIP

A public hearing for Norwood Township will be held on Wednesday, November 16, 1977 at 7:30 in the township hall for the purpose of a special use permit for Mr. and Mrs. Norman Brumm to construct a storage building of 1680 sq. ft.

Doris Pearl
Zoning Adm.

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6. Northside building sites: two of them! Each 110' x 135'. One wooded, one cleared. Close to the elementary school and Lake Michigan access. As Northside building sites are in demand and the supply is short, see these immediately. Land contract terms available.
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Editorials/Opinions

Rezoning Hiller property can add to beauty, economy of community

An important zoning decision is currently before the Charlevoix Common Council. It is a decision that may affect the future of the entire central business district of Charlevoix and the future of Round Lake.

Ward Walstrom, a Harbor Springs marina operator, has asked the common council to rezone the Charlevoix Lumber Company property on Round Lake and Michigan Avenue from Commercial-1 to Marina Industrial.

In his proposed plans for the development of the Round Lake frontage, Walstrom indicated he will keep all of the buildings presently on the site and will construct three additional buildings. The project will also involve the construction of five piers on Round Lake ranging in length from 100 feet near the east property line to 40 feet near the Pine River channel entrance.

The docks would provide 10 wells or space for 10 large boats or 20 small boats to dock. However, most of the docking will be in special storage buildings on the property.

The smaller boats will be removed from the water when they are not in use and stored in the buildings on the property. Many marinas in larger waterfront communities are providing this type of service and the Walstroms see it as the wave of the future and as an answer to decreasing water front property for marina use in the Northern Michigan area.

The question that faces common council members and city residents with Walstrom's rezoning request is: What is a good and proper use for the lake front property on Round Lake or on any lake front property in the city?

Common council and city residents should evaluate whether or not the city needs another marina, or more condominiums or more hotels or motels and what type of pressures these developments would place on Round Lake.

A study of these elements will reveal many reasons for rezoning the property. Charlevoix has long been

known for its superb natural protected harbor and for the quaint French fishing village image that the central business district projects.

Summer after summer landlubber tourists return to the community to visit the shops and to take a walking tour of the boats docked along Round Lake. Increased docking on the lake will only add to the charm of the city and extend the docking area.

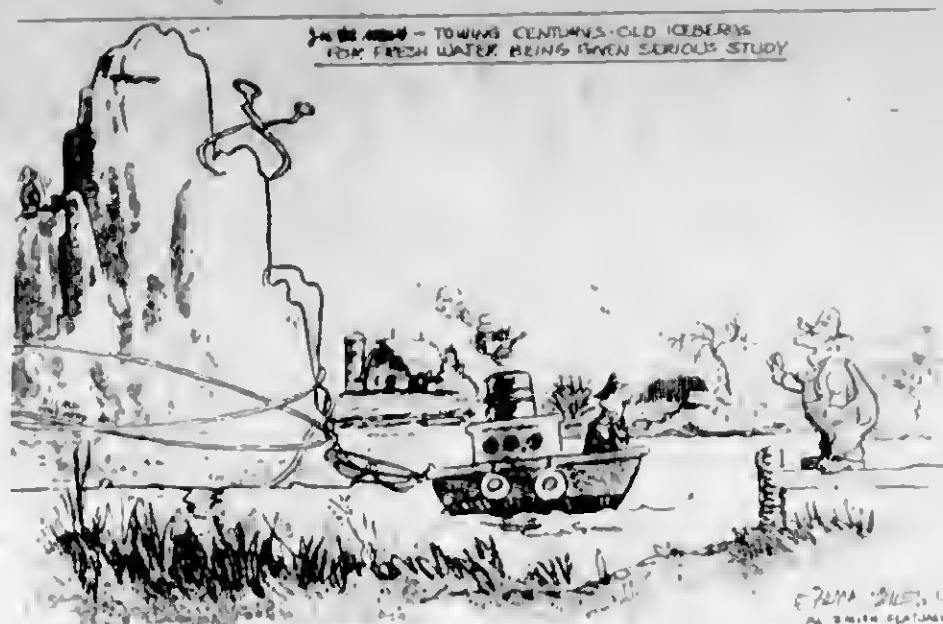
And even though the Walstroms' proposal will only provide 10 additional wells for docking space, the proposed dock storage area will relieve the pressure caused by the smaller boats on the municipal docks and other private marinas on Round Lake and allow more space for larger vessels.

Also, the addition of another marina to Round Lake could open the lake front area to the development of a series of marine stores, charter boat areas and other services that are connected with the harbor and water front. With careful planning by city officials and current property owners of Round Lake frontage, the area could be artfully designed as a tourist attraction and a sales area.

Condominiums and motels or hotels would not have the same attraction for tourists that a planned development of the water front would have. And, the water front has the added advantage of attracting both boaters and nonboaters while the other types of developments that could go on Round Lake would most likely attract only one group.

Many other parcels of land in the city and the surrounding area that are not quite as unique as the Round Lake frontage would also be suitable for development of condominiums and motels or hotels, whereas only Round Lake could house the marina operation proposed by the Walstroms.

A new marina would be a nice addition to Round Lake and to the city.



Paula Holmes...

...Speaking Her Mind

I suffered a little cultural shock last week when I took my vacation in New York City.

It was the classic story of the country bumpkin visiting the Big Apple. I think I spent most of my time trying to scrape my chin off the sidewalk because everything I saw just amazed me and caused my mouth to fall open with surprise. You can really get isolated up here in God's country.

And it isn't that I've never been to NYC before, this trip was my third visit to the city, but I was still amazed with what I found. I recovered quickly, however, and by the end of the trip I felt quite at home there.

In fact, one woman, obviously an outsider, even asked me for directions to the nearest postoffice. Boy, was I pleased.

Actually, it really doesn't take more than a day to get acclimated to big city life. But those first few hours are real zingers.

My New York adventure started when I stepped off the plane at LaGuardia Airport and onto a Carey bus for a ride downtown (or Midtown as the New Yorkers call it) to catch a cab to my friend's apartment. In the middle of a traffic jam, the bus driver, complete with the Bronx accent that everyone identifies with New York, got up and warned us about fake taxi drivers.

"Those people milling around the offering to help you aren't taxi drivers," the bus driver explained carefully. "Our drivers are too lazy to get out of their cars."

Following that announcement, I warily approached a cab and proceeded to my friend's apartment. I took the elevator 18 floors to her flat, deposited my suitcase and went out for lunch.

As I stood in the elevator lobby with another resident of the building, I began chuckling to myself about the elevator. The young man quickly explained that this apartment had one of the fastest elevators in the city and several of them.

I explained that I wasn't being impatient, but that it had just occurred to me that I came from a town that didn't even have an elevator. He rolled his eyes in disbelief.

Out on the street, I began looking in one of the hodge pods I had seen in the street corners from the bus window. I thought it would be great to have a first lunch in New York at something that was so typical of New York. I searched and searched but couldn't find any of the carts that had seemed so abundant earlier.

Finally I began looking at restaurants and settled for the Burger King for my first New York meal. Well, I thought to myself, New York isn't so bad, it's just like home.



Clockwise

by Bob Clock

The death of Guy Lombardo Sunday in Houston was reminding to music lovers everywhere because it means the era of singable, danceable music is just about over.

Rock 'n' roll has stormed the rumparts and has conquered most of the civilized world. But here and there stands a staunch pocket of resistance, fighting the tide with melodious choruses of "Up the Lazy River" and "Moulin Rouge."

Such a man as Guy Lombardo, who unashamedly admitted that his Royal Canadians played "the sweetest music this side of heaven."

Guy, in fact, was a little too sweet for some of us, with muted trumpets and trombones playing stellar roles in every competition. But as his compeers dropped away one by one, Guy began to sound better and better.

Finally he and Lawrence Welk stood alone against a rag-tag army of Beatles and Led Zeppelins. Now Welk, whose music also has improved as the number of traditionalists has decreased, is all we have between us and the unholy nervous clatter that tries to pass itself off as music today.

When Welk goes, we might as well fold up our tents and go with him, because there will be little left to live for. And I'm not even a Lawrence Welk fan.

Sometimes I think — and this is as paranoid as all get out — that there has been a gigantic conspiracy abroad in the land for 25 years to deprive me of the kind of music I like. I can see the disc jockeys, radio station owners, record moguls and performers all putting their heads together and agreeing only to record and play music designed to drive me straight up the wall.

Oh, they still play "straight" music, but they do it when they know I'm not listening. Every once in a while, for no reason at all, I will start humming the "Three O'Clock in the Morning" to myself. I figure a radio station somewhere — maybe in far-off Gaylord — is playing it and I am picking it up on my fillings. Listen! Now they're playing "Is It True What They Say About Dixie?" Would you care to dance?

I tell you it's sick, sick, sick, but how else are the music lovers of yesterday to cope with the cacophony that masquerades as "music" today? Everytime I turn on the radio or listen to a juke box I feel as though I have suddenly been transported to another planet in a different universe.

Of course, we are extremely fortunate that the music of the past is still being played. I am not one of the strong souls of today's rock 'n' roll singers. If it were, the parents of America would rise up en masse and turn off radios. Let me explain.

A few years ago, I began to hear what seemed to be the same song played several different times. I wasn't quite sure at first, because they all sound pretty much alike. Then I began to catch a word here and a phrase there and the groaning and heavy breathing of the artist. When I put them all together, they did not spell "M-O-T-H-E-R." If I hadn't been alone in the car I would have crawled under the dashboard.

But, as I said, dirty lyrics are really no problem, because the music is generally so loud and poorly performed that the message of the song — if there is one — is lost.

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Teacher Feature

...Pete Spieles

By PEG OHLE

Pete Spieles teaches General Biology and Advanced Biology in the Charlevoix High School. He is also Cross Country coach.

This week the Courier talks with Pete Spieles about his teaching career, his hobbies and sports activities.

"General Biology gives kids a foundation in biological sciences," Spieles says. "We start with inorganic substances such as carbon, hydrogen, and nitrogen, and go on to organic substances and plants through photosynthesis to cell processes and build to viruses and bacteria, through botany (the plant world) and biology (the animal world)."

"We study all systems of the human body, including reproduction during the embryonic stage. And what do students get out of it? They get an awareness of the environment and their place in it," Spieles explains.

The Advanced Biology course is geared to students going into one of the biological sciences such as wild life

management or something in the medical field — any pursuit dealing with life. It is mostly human physiology — functions of the system.

"The first semester we do a unit in field botany (plant identification) in which we cover 80 to 100 local plants. We also do a unit in water quality," Spieles says.

The teacher tries to make Advanced Biology a lab type class, but the school is badly in need of a biology lab, he points out. "The room is not really set up for a lab-oriented teaching program," he says.

Following the units on field botany and water quality, there is one on zoology and two on human biology.

Spieles teaches five classes which average 26 students, about half boys and half girls.

Charlevoix High School requires one science course for graduation. Choices, besides Biology, are Physics, Chemistry, Conservation and Natural Resources and Mini Science (for freshmen).

Biology seems to be a favorite subject for 10th graders, since 120 of the 150 approximately 150 10th graders are taking the course.

He later earned a Master's degree in Elementary Education at Northern Michigan University and is presently working on a Master's degree in Biology at Central Michigan University.

He came to Charlevoix ten years ago, starting at the Middle School, where he taught Science to fifth and sixth graders. He took a year out while in college to teach nine children in a one room school on Bois Blanc Island.

After graduation, he taught Science for a year in a Junior High School in Dundee, and also coached football, basketball, and baseball. His next job was in a K-8 school in Getzville in the Upper Peninsula, where he was principal and teacher.

Following this assignment, Spieles received his Master's degree and came to Charlevoix.

Spieles and his wife, Alessandra, live in Charlevoix Township with their three children, Angela is a high school freshman and twins John and Curtis are in the seventh grade.

Summers bring a variety of activities to Spieles. For the

last two years he has run the Native American camp at Wilderness State Park, where the campers learn about their heritage and culture. For several summers he has worked on painting the Mackinac Bridge, a job that follows naturally since he worked on its construction for two years after he finished high school.

Sports activities for Spieles include scuba diving, softball, hunting, cross country skiing, and running.

He has no wish for Charlevoix High School boys' "I would like to see Charlevoix have a baseball team. Kids coming out for Little League are all through playing. A high school team could pick them up and keep them going."

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Charlevoix Area Hospital

receives two-year accreditation

Charlevoix Area Hospital has received a two-year accreditation from the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals (JCAH).

The hospital, which has been accredited since 1962 by the JCAH received the maximum accreditation award for its performance.

A survey of the hospital this summer, conducted by the JCAH, found that the hospital's performance was excellent in all areas.

The JCAH is an international organization that accredits hospitals and health care organizations. It is a non-profit, non-governmental organization.

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area of directing nursing care, the administrator reported. The survey, which took place on a working day, was followed by a critique session where members of the hospital board, the staff and the administration met with the JCAH team.

Krueger called this a "great one-on-one opportunity. They pointed out areas needing work and offered guidelines and suggestions. It's an educational process," Krueger observed.

When the JCAH team left Charlevoix Area Hospital, they prepared a report to the Joint Commission, which reviewed the report and, in turn, gave the Charlevoix Area Hospital the maximum accreditation, two years.

Charlevoix Area Hospital is one of approximately 4800

general hospitals in the United States which have earned this recognition. There are more than 7150 hospitals in the nation.

The Joint Commission began in 1916 under the auspices of the American College of Surgeons. It was incorporated in 1951 with the report of its present member organizations: The American College of Surgeons, the American Hospital Association and the American Medical Association. JCAH is a Chicago-based, non-governmental, not-for-profit, organization.

Charlevoix Area Hospital's current accreditation is from August 1977 to August 1979, at which time the team will be invited to return to the hospital to renew the accreditation.

Area homemakers, grocers taking

phosphate ban in stride

By NANCY JARVIS

The Michigan ban on phosphates in laundry detergents has been in effect for one month now and contrary to popular belief, most manufacturers' claims, most people seem to be taking the ban in stride.

Before the phosphate ban became rule, the Soap and Detergent Association contended that homemakers would be unhappy with the results of their wash in phosphate free detergents. The association claimed the whites would look grey and colors would be dull.

Not true say many of the women contacted. "I don't notice any difference in wash results no matter what I switched to," said Mrs. Ronald Simpson, a former phosphate detergent user.

"It's a lot cleaner," added the mother of two children. Mrs. Janet Carrecki, said she too has been using no phosphate detergent for one year and has no complaints.

"I noticed the no phosphate detergent didn't seem to try to get rid of stains," she said. "It works fine."

even on the children's clothes."

One woman, who preferred to be identified as "a concerned citizen" rather than by name, said she changed her detergent before the ban because she wanted to help the condition of the lakes.

"I studied eutrophication in biology and I think it's everybody's duty to do what it takes to make a difference," she said.

Eutrophication is the accelerated aging of a lake shown by excessive growth of algae and other aquatic plants. This results in taste and odor problems and the formation of surface scum inhibiting both essential and recreational lake uses.

Eventually, the increased algae lowers the oxygen content of the water.

Increasing evidence of this aging has been identified in about 40 percent of Michigan's 2,000 inland lakes as well as Saginaw and Green Bays, Lakes Ontario and Erie and as far north as Lake Superior around Marquette and Munising. Department of Natural Resources studies show.

So, the Natural Resources Commission banned phosphates in detergents through an administrative rule change last August, effective November 1. In an

effort to reduce the main cause of stimulating nutrient-rich water, the state automatically set the phosphate free detergents to their stores.

"Everything seems to be running really smooth," said Harold Miller, assistant manager of Glen's in East Jordan. "Most of the new products are on the shelves. There's no ordering hassles for us, the warehouse just substitutes the low phosphate products."

"There were a few people hoarding what products were left though," Miller said.

Dick Edwards, owner of Edwards IGA in Charlevoix said he hasn't received any comments or questions from customers and hasn't been relayed any either.

"There haven't been any comments that I know of," he said. "There's nothing significant that has been mentioned to me."

So the next time you go to buy your favorite detergent, don't be surprised if it's still there. Many manufacturers make a no-phosphate detergent and they often seemed to affect the detergent supplies in area grocery stores and supermarkets.

All said the ban has not been difficult. It hasn't created any unusual problems or generated any customer comment.

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Ballots mailed for chamber vote on new directors

Ballots will go in the mail this week to members of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce members who will elect four directors to the governing board of the chamber. Mrs. Jacquie Merta, executive secretary, has announced.

Nominated to fill the vacancies are Richard Pallas, Dr. Reed Freidinger, William Rodolf, Clement J. Wagner, Jack Uhrick, Steve Ager, Terry Edger and Louis Mettler.

The terms of Don Volson, Elbert Kaiser, Andrew Carey

and Terry Edger, who was named to fill an expired term and who is now a candidate for a full term of three years, expire at this time.

Other members of the board of directors are Gene Steele, president William Kitefick, first vice president; Gary Bailey, second vice president; and Ken Winter, treasurer.

Also serving as directors are: Peter Pace, David Phillips, Norman Works and Earl Muma.

Deadline for returning the ballots is Jan. 1, 1978, Mrs. Merta said.

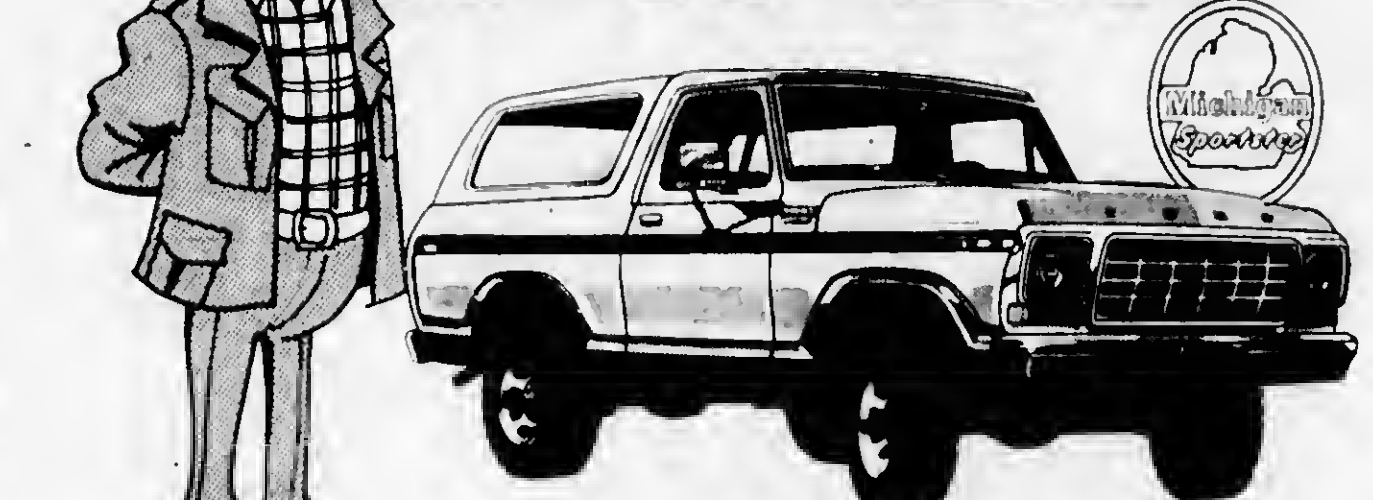
Art fair committee donates encyclopedia

The Charlevoix Waterfront Art Fair Committee has donated a copy of "The Britannica Encyclopedia of American Art" to the

Charlevoix Public Library. The presentation was made in memory of the late Peg Driggett, who was a long-time member of the Committee.

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Band members go all out

Special effects spark spirit

By LAURA GLASS

When the Charlevoix Rayder Marching Band started across the field for their post game show last Friday, school pride and a victory spirit shone from every member.

That's what the band runs on—school pride. Its shows, full of special effects and personalized touches, are designed to rouse the crowd's school spirit.

The special effects people include not just band director Gary Stutzman and his assistant David Riley, but many of the band members themselves. The flag corps choreographs their own movements and dances.

"We all put in our ideas to make up the routines, then sometimes Mr. Stutzman or Mr. Riley gives us their

suggestions," Jody Hicks, a member of the corps, said.

The flag corps includes: Jody, Terri Bradley, Sherrie Mol, Connie Left, Kim Sehnackenberg, Lynn DeMoore, Debbie Gatten, Sue Miller, Jansen Boal, Peggy Hosmer, Kim Jones and Tammy Helms.

All of these girls attended a camp at Northern Michigan University along with the rifle corps and drum major Steve Landon where they learned new ideas for routines and other drills.

"It was hard work, but I'm glad we went because we learned a lot," Jody said.

The flag practice probably the most of any of the band members. Many times they stay after school to work on routines, they also practice with the band in the mornings

before school starts and regularly on Monday nights from 6 to 9 p.m.

"I've really had fun on the flag corps even though sometimes practices are a pain. I feel really confident about what I'm doing, and really proud when I'm out there," Jody said.

It's no wonder they always look so sharp.

Another special effects group is the rifle corps. This group helps give the color guard a precise touch. The rifle girls are, Laurie Celner, Penny Kane, Debbie Potter and Darlene Smailley. The corps is new this year and very impressive. The idea went over so well that next year Stutzman plans to increase it to six rifles.

The corps members also choreograph their own routines.

"We all work together and make up our routines. It's really fun," Penny Kane said.

Since the corps is new this year, the members got to design their own uniforms. They wear white turtlenecks and maroon gauchos. Next year they want to get vests to match.

The girls practice with the band many times after school. "We practice hard because we started the corps this year and we are proud of it," Penny said.

Steven Landon has a hard job, too. Being drum major takes a lot of work. He helps write routines and gives suggestions for the band. He also directs the band during the show and makes up his own routines.

One of the routines Landon wrote was for the flag corps during the "Star Wars" song.

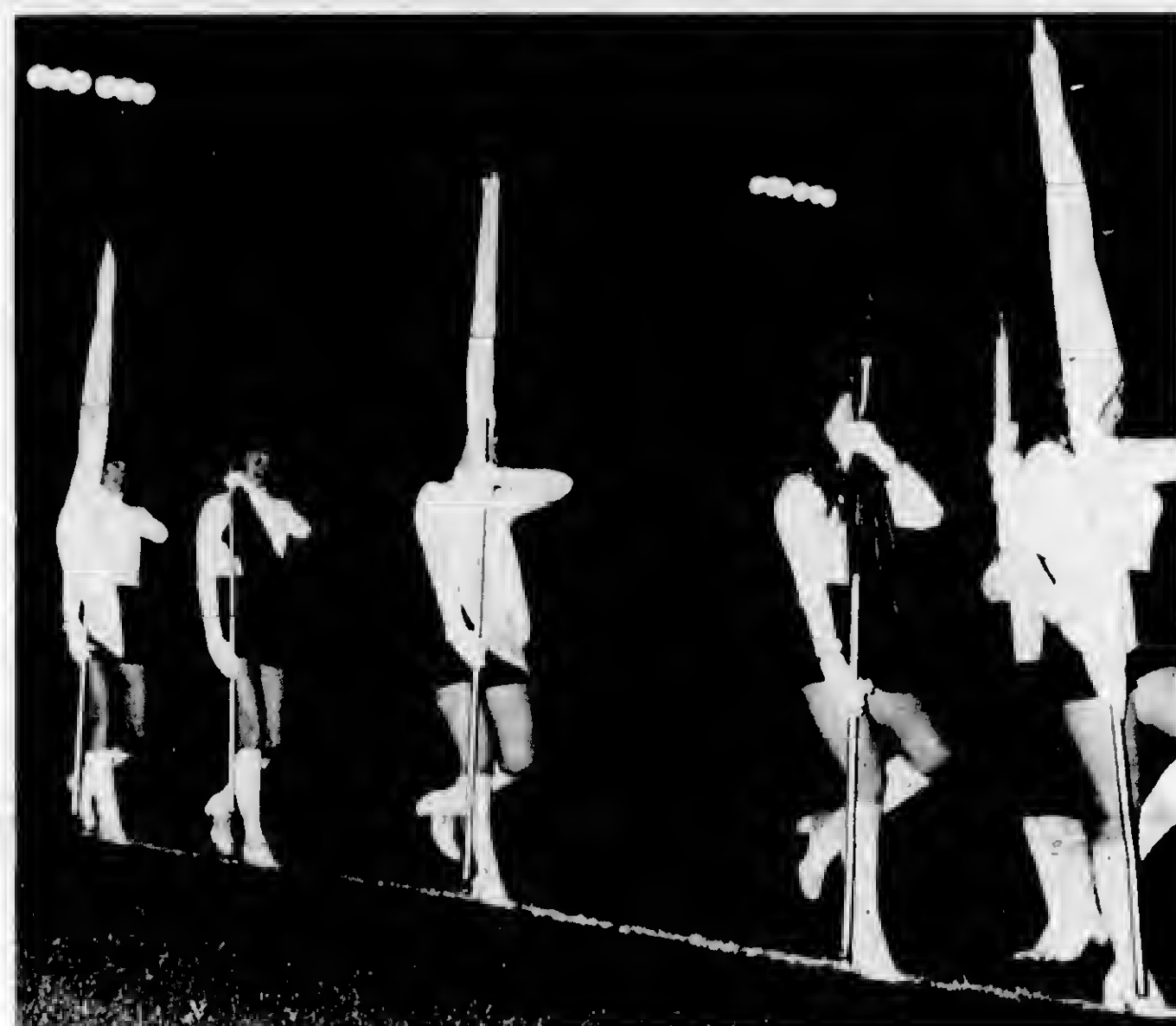
Landon also attended the band camp at Northern Michigan University during the summer where he marched off with first place over 27 other drum majors that attended the camp. But even as good as he is, Landon still gets nervous.

"Usually before we start, I'm a little nervous, but once we're rolling, we all work together and my nervousness is gone."

The golden girl Brenda Boss also attended a summer camp for twirlers in Ohio. The camps were paid for by the students and the Lions, Kiwanis and other service clubs in the community.



GOLDEN GIRL Brenda Boss and Drum Major Steve Landon finish up a routine they have perfected this season with the marching band. The special effects groups add much to the band's presentation.



THE FLAG corps members work hard to get to the point where their routines are effortless. This means many long hours of practice early in the morning and late at night.

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On Monday, Dec. 12, 1977 to Qualified Electors of the City of Charlevoix, Michigan.

NOTICE is hereby given that in conformity with "Michigan Election Law" 1, the undersigned Clerk, will open and close the polls and a local election, the day of, any election, special or official primary, the date, location for election, the name of any candidate, not already recorded who may apply to the clerk for such a registration. Provided however, that 1. The election is on or before the registration during the time interval between the Thirtieth Day before any election. Special or official primary election and the day of the election.

MONDAY, NOV. 14, 1977, THE LAST DAY FOR REGISTRATION, FROM 8 A.M. TO 8 P.M. ON SAID DAY FOR THE PURPOSE OF REVIEWING THE REGISTRATION AND REGISTERING SUCH OF THE QUALIFIED ELECTORS AS SHALL PROPERLY APPLY THEREFOR.

The name of any person who is a resident of the precinct of the election and is entitled to vote at such election, shall be entered in the Registration book.

July D. Przybylski
City Clerk
Charlevoix, Michigan

CHARLEVOIX COUNCIL MINUTES

The Common Council of the City of Charlevoix met on the above date and time with Mayor Hansen presiding. Aldermen present: Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, Wood, and Whitley. Absent: None.

The Minutes of the October 17, 1977 regular meeting and the Minutes of the October 17, 1977 Board of Appeals Meeting were approved as presented in writing and as recorded in the Council Minutes Book.

Mr. Ward of Ward's Boats and Boats appeared before Council to ask if any decision had been made regarding zoning of waterfront property in the City. He was advised that the Zoning Committee is studying the matter and that no firm decision has been made.

Louis McKenzie appeared before Council to request combining lots 14 and 15 of Clifford's Addition to the City of Charlevoix into a single lot to be known as lot 15 of Clifford's Addition. The City Attorney advised Mr. McKenzie that Council has no control over this matter and that a new deed must be drawn up and filed with the Register of Deeds to combine the two lots.

John Campbell of the Shade Tree Commission appeared before Council to outline the Commission's proposed budget for 1977-78. He also reported that the trees planted

this year had better than a 97 percent rate of survival.

Moved by Alderman Wallace and supported by Alderman Plumm to approve the site plan as presented by Cross Fisheries of 209 Belvedere Avenue for construction of a new smoke house. Motion was approved by the following yeas and nays: Yeas: Aldermen Wallace, Morris, Plumm, Wood, and Whitley. Nays: Alderman Erber. Absent: None.

Motion was offered by Alderman Morris and supported by Alderman Plumm that the City accept the bid submitted by Geraldine L. Brady of 731 Mercer Blvd., Charlevoix, Michigan in the amount of \$4,000 for the property offered for bids and opened this thirty-first day of October, 1977, and that the Mayor and the City Clerk are instructed to execute a warranty deed to the purchaser, this being the only bid submitted by the due date.

Motion was approved by the following yeas and nays: Yeas: Aldermen Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, Wood, and Whitley. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Council discussed a tax relief program now available to industries. Hater Industries had inquired about the program and the City Attorney was instructed to research the program.

OCTOBER 31, 1977
8:00 p.m.

The Utilities Committee will meet Thursday, November 3, 1977 to discuss electric rates. The Committee will make their recommendations to the Council and discuss the matter further at the next Committee of the Whole meeting.

Council agreed to purchase an engine for the plow truck at the Airport at a cost of \$750, as recommended by the Airport Manager and the City Administrator. Council also agreed to complete specifications for a new snow plow truck.

Council discussed a request for a sewer extension on Sheridan Road to service a new home being built on the Swanson property and the Don Whitley home. Council delayed any action on this matter until they have more information on the proposed project.

The Finance Committee having examined bills totaling \$52,856.12 find them correct and recommended the bills be allowed. Moved by Alderman Plumm and supported by Alderman Erber that the bills be allowed and orders drawn for their amounts. Motion was adopted by the following yeas and nays: Yeas: Aldermen Erber, Wallace, Morris, Plumm, Wood, and Whitley. Nays: None. Absent: None.

Council adjourned.
July D. Przybylski, City Clerk

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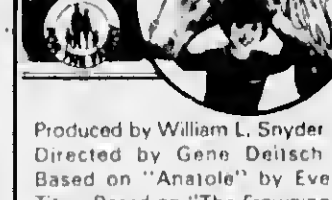
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DENNIS WHITLEY (73), Jim Elzinga (11), Dan Wiklanski (77), Greg Krueger (40) and Darrin VanLoos (62) rush off the field at the end of the game shouting.

"We're Number 1!" Charlevoix defeated Petoskey in a squeaker, 20-19.

Rayders are Number 1!



GREG KRUEGER (40) rushes around an end for this carry. Krueger rushed for 1-293 yards during the season and carried for over 200 yards in one game.



STEVE MIELKE runs through an area made by his fellow members of the Charlevoix Rayder Cross Country team as five students prepared to run the game ball to Petoskey for the Charlevoix-Petoskey game Friday night. The cross country team, which captured the conference title, was hoping to raise the spirits of the football team so that they would capture a title, too. From left to right are: Michael Martin, Scott Swanson, Mielke, Jeff Peters and Tim Hiller.



TOM JONES (45) in a new jersey carries the ball toward the goal line. Jones was instrumental in the Rayder's last series which put them ahead of the Northmen 20-19.



DARRIN VANLOO (62) grabs a Petoskey player and pulls him to the ground as teammate, Jim Elzinga (11) comes over to assist.

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Whew! Charlevoix 20, Pet. 19

By BILL MERCER

Charlevoix 20, Petoskey 19. What more needs to be said? The game was an exciting display of high school football, with the Rayders showing a lot of heart in their ability to come from behind to win.

From the moment the Hayder Marching Band entered the field to the pre-game fight song serenade of the football team, the fans packed in the Petoskey High School stadium knew that this was an important contest. More than an undisputed conference championship and a possible state playoff were at stake for the two teams, it was a matter of pride, too.

Parents, students, sports boosters and fans from all around the area had been talking about the upcoming game the entire week, and both teams performed well in the hard-fought clash. Size, speed and good coaching gave Charlevoix the victory but Petoskey had little to be ashamed about.

From the beginning of the game, it appeared that perhaps Charlevoix might have been too high for the contest. After receiving the opening kickoff, the Rayders moved for one first down but were forced to punt on the next series.

Throughout the season, Greg Krueger has booted high punts with good distance. This time his kick sailed low and short. Charlevoix's punt team had little time to get down the field to stop the return as a result. Taking advantage of this small error, Petoskey's

Jeff Walker gathered up the 31-yard punt and ran 72 yards along the sidelines in front of the Charlevoix fans for a home team touchdown. With less than four minutes gone in the game, Petoskey had taken a 6-0 lead over the favored Rayders.

Later in the first quarter, Krueger again booted a short punt, this one going out-of-bounds on the Charlevoix 40-yard line. This punt went a bare 24 yards, substantially under his season average of 39 yards.

Petoskey's quarterback Bob Johns put together an eight play drive resulting in an 8-yard touchdown run by Eric Swenson. The defense almost prevented this score when Darrin VanLoos stopped Johns in the backfield on a fourth down try, but a Rayder penalty gave the Northmen the yardage needed for a first down.

Mark Bloch's conversion kick was ruled good and with the first quarter about to end, Charlevoix found themselves trailing, 13-6.

Late in the first half, Charlevoix did put together a sustained drive. After getting good field position on the 50-yard line, quarterback Jim Alger picked up three first downs to move the ball to the Northmen's 11-yard line, before Petoskey's Jeff Vratnina stepped in front of a Charlevoix pass on the 1-yard line. This drive featured an excellent run by Jim Elzinga for 12 yards and a pair of Alger passes for 15 more yards.

not made available to Coach Pete Spieles before he and his team left the meet Saturday by finishing 14th in the Class B division was yet to be run.

Coach Spieles said he was satisfied with the team's performance although he would like to have been better. He added, however,

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several times in the last few minutes.

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The Rayders will meet Cheboygan at home Thursday.

Cross country team finishes in 15th place at state meet

The Charlevoix Rayder Cross Country team wrapped up its 1977 season Saturday by finishing 14th in the Class B State Meet at Sturgis.

Mark Russell placed 25th among the many entries with a time of 16:22 and Jeff Drenth 30th with a time of 16:26.

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The Petoskey interception allowed the Northmen to go into the locker room with their 13-0 lead intact. Charlevoix supporters were worried that this time the Rayder's ability to come back might not be enough to catch the high flying Northmen.

If the half time score caused some dismay, what Petoskey did with the second half kickoff created near panic on the Rayder sidelines. With less than two minutes gone in the last 24 minutes of Charlevoix's 1977 football season, Petoskey's Sulo Otto took a handoff from Johns and ran 52 yards for the third Northmen touchdown.

On the all important point after touchdown, Petoskey Coach Barry Aspenleiter decided to try for two points. Throughout the Rayder's fine season, the defense has stood the test and this time they were there again. Led by VanLoos, who played a fine game, the defensive unit stopped the Petoskey conversion attempt short of the goal line. Getting up from the tackle were the familiar names of Tom Jones, Kip Cinnamon, Barry Potter, Krueger, Pat Klooster, Joe Left and Wayne Hoffman.

With the fans calling for revenge and the halting words of Coach Don Carey and assistants Plas Presnel and Roger Gowell ringing in their ears, the Charlevoix players began their march back to victory. Each and every member of the team had to find inside himself something a little extra in order to

achieve a victory.

To begin the comeback, Alger went to his passing arm and his pass receiving duo of Elzinga and Neil Dziedzie. Starting on his own 39-yard line the senior quarterback moved 61 yards in seven plays to convert the Rayder's first score. A phenomenal catch by Dziedzie on the Petoskey 20-yard line, followed three plays later by Elzinga stealing a pass from a defender in the endzone gave Charlevoix the touchdown.

A little over 20 minutes of football remained to be played when the Rayders were unable to convert the point after attempt, cutting the deficit to 19-6.

Charlevoix's fans then watched in dismay as the two teams battled back and forth down the field neither able to mount a successful drive. As the clock ticked on, it looked bad for Charlevoix.

However, Alger again found his passing arm and at 11:33 to play in the game, he hit Dziedzie deep and the senior receiver carried 57 yards for the second Charlevoix touchdown.

This time the steady Guy Carter came in to kick the extra point and the gap was narrowed to 19-13.

On the next series, Charlevoix found themselves on their own 19-yard line. A little less than 9 minutes to play, Petoskey was looking for the deep pass. Alger went to his playbook and used everyone in the backfield to move the team down the field.

Wild shouts from the Charlevoix sidelines exhorting

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Charlevoix's defense then stopped one drive and then a second when Klooster picked off a Petoskey pass deep in Rayder territory. As he returned the interception, the clock ran out giving the Rayders a 20-19 victory.

The win gave Charlevoix undisputed possession of the Michigan-Huron Shores Conference championship, a fine undefeated season (the first since 1959) and a certain place at or near the top of the Class C High School Football polls.

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Freshmen lose final game to Petoskey squad 44-19

The Charlevoix Freshmen Football Team closed out its season on the losing side, dropping its last game to Petoskey 44-19.

This brings the squad's season record to 1 and 6. But Coach Chuck Bentley said his team has come a long way since last fall and he predicts they will play very well on the junior varsity squad.

"I feel good about our season," Bentley said. "I don't think our record indicates what kind of team these kids are."

"I think they will surprise a lot of people next year. They will do much better as JV's."

During last week's play Charlevoix scored its first touchdown on a 35-yard pass from quarterback Jeff Drury to Paul Hoffman during the

Swanson, Townhouse, Foam win first games in A league

Swansons, Townhouse and Foam Corps opened up the A League Basketball season with victories last week.

Swansons defeated Kadens in the first game of the league season 70-54. Swanson opened the game with a small lead in both the first and second quarters.

However, Swanson opened up their lead in the second half adding 23 points to the score in the third quarter while Kadens only pumped in 12.

Top scorers for Swanson were: Roger Crain, 16; Bruce Meggison, 15; Dave Swanson, 11; and Kevin Swanson, 11.

For Kadens, Mark Guitler and Tim VanAlstine led the group with 12 points apiece and Jeff Bickford had 10 points.

In the second game of the evening, Townhouse defeated Site Planning 58-52. Townhouse held a narrow lead throughout the game and Site Planning could not put the right combination together to break it.

High scorers for Townhouse were: Dan McKenzie, 19; and Clint Berlage, 13. High scorers for Site Planning were: Mike Bode, 14; Paul Osterberg, 12; and Kragg Lieberman, 10.

Foam Corps defeated Bob's Corps 67-42 during overtime in the final game of the evening.

Foam Corps narrowed the lead to 46-42 in the first period of the second half and tied the game up in the last quarter. The team surged ahead in overtime to score 9 points to Bob's 5.

Main scorers for Foam Corps were: Mike Streeter, 23; Randy Holchbeck, 21; and Gary Novotny, 10. Top scorers for Bob's were: Jim Danbert, 20; Ken Derenzy, 15; and Jack Danbert, 10.

First State, Wojan, Tri-City take lead in B league

Tri-City Asphalt opened B League play last Tuesday with a resounding defeat of Medusa 73-37.

Tri-City opened the first quarter by scoring 12 points to Medusa's 7 points. However, the lead widened in the second quarter as Tri-City added another 17 points to the score while Medusa only hit three baskets.

In the third period Tri-City added another 20 points to the score making it 49-25 and then the team added another 24 points in the fourth quarter to make it 73-37.

High scorers for Tri-City were: Dave Norton, 30; Butch Klooser, 18; Leroy Buchanan, 12; and Mike Crain, 11. Medusa's high scorers were: Paul Parrish, 10; and Tom Morrison, 12.

In the second game of the evening the First State Bank won 82-49. The game was a close one until the final period when First State Bank pumped in 19 points to Alray's 6.

High scorers for First State Bank were: Doug Winnell, 20; Dave Novotny, 12; and Joe Beaudoin, 11. Dave Marlinch lead Alray with 14 points and Vince Left had 12.

In the third game of the evening, County Bank won 52-31. County Bank came back strong in the second half of the game, but the team couldn't pump in quite enough points for the victory.

High scorer for Wojan was Don Ward with 16 points and Stan Martin with 14. Larry Skippergohit hit for 15 points and Larry Potter had 10 for County Bank.

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State Wide Realty	21	11	Ron's Transmission	203	157	John Swanson	210	777	
Townhouse	20	12	Oleson's Food Store	197	163	Ted Fether	206		
Bornes	19	13	Hooker's of Petoskey	194	155				
Oleson's	18	14	Staley's Grocery	191	169	GUTTER GALS LEAGUE			
Cass Supply	18	14	Whitfield Market	187	173	November 3, 1977			
Elonga Insurance	17	15	Birdie's Beauty Shoppe	177	183	Argonne	219	141	Marlyn Swanson
Bogert Roofing	16	16	Laurel's Beauty Shoppe	177	183	Mum's Moxie & Things	210	140	John McKay (sub)
Paul Bunyan Lanes	16	16	Medusa Cement	175	185	Gary Gables	193	167	Bette Coen (sub)
Murder's Famous Fudge	16	16	Lake Construction	167	193	Argonne	185	175	Bette Coen (sub)
Swanson	14	18	Cinema III	167	193	Colonial Motel	173	187	Jan McKay (sub)
Julettes	12	20	Hoskins	150	210	Cass Supply	150	200	Marlyn Swanson
Central Drugs	12	20	Realty Drug	145	215	Medusa	150	201	Bonne Dixon
Charlevoix Redi Mix	12	20	Argonne Super Club	123	237	Frederick's	129	231	
Midwest North	10	22	TEAM HIGH SERIES	2943		TEAM HIGH SERIES			
Archway Cookies	10	22	TEAM HIGH GAME	2328		Argonne	2541		
			Lowell's Beauty Shoppe	1042		Medusa	2288		
			Hoskins	1041		Mum's Moxie & Things	2244		
HIGH TEAM SERIES									
Puffs	2551		Individual High Series	1041		TEAM HIGH GAME			
Oleson's	2501		Rita Huskinson	508		Argonne	329	853	849
Swansons	2426		Mary O'Brien	486		Gary Gables	791		
Bornes	2408		Marlyn Swanson (sub)	484		Cass Supply	787		
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Randy DeYoung	248		Nancy Mathews (sub)	477		Argonne	19	17	May O'Brien
Gary Spencer	211		INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME				521		John Bogart
Ron Grueke	208		Mary O'Brien	207		Sally Greer	484		Noreen Sellen
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Frank Brachtlebauer	537		Oleson's	218	232	Bay Shore Steel	23	13	V.I.P.
Gary Spencer	536		Atwood Reformed	217	233	Paul Bunyan Lanes	19	16	Medusa
John Lignell	530		Holm Auto Sales	214	236	Argonne	17	18	Hoskins #2
Julee Lytle	529		St. Mary's	214	236	Kit Carson Lumber	162	190	Hoskins #2
Don Wells	528		Brown Electric	212	238	Peters Electric	158	194	Medusa
Ted Fether	528		TEAM HIGH SERIES	2500		Franks Flowers	155	237	Hoskins #2
Fritz Pullpelt	527		Holm Auto Sales	2500		Edwards IGA	2374		Kit Carson Lumber
Jack Niewander Jr.	527		Oleson's	2466		Edwards IGA	2374		Franks Flowers
Harvey Broadway	521		TEAM HIGH GAME	2336		Kit Carson Lumber	2336		Franks Flowers
Bob Franks	515		Lutheran's	882		Franks Flowers	2304		Kit Carson Lumber
Don Burke	509		Holm Auto Sales	859		Franks Flowers	2304		Kit Carson Lumber
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Santek finishes course

A local realtor has completed a specialized course in real estate planning.

Paul Santek, a salesman with William Bradford Scheld Realtors received a Certificate of Completion upon graduation from the course, "The Art of Real Estate Planning, Course 500," recently given in Flint.

Santek studied various methods of handling and meeting real estate clients' problems during the course and discussed professional approaches to dealing with clients.

"I guess that's why I chose to follow this phase of law enforcement. It gives me a chance to carry on the things I've always enjoyed doing," he said in explaining why he decided to apply for a position with the DNR.

To reach the point in his training where he is now he has had a week of orientation at the Michigan State Police Academy; eight weeks of basic police school at Macomb County Community College to earn certification as a police officer and a concentrated course in precision driving.

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ASSEMBLY OF GOD 203 E. 1st St. 547-8430 Rev. Don Schorsch Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer and Praise Service 7:30 p.m. Evening Service Sunday 7 p.m.									
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ST. MARY'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH Rev. R. Dale Magoni 547-6452 Saf. Night Mass 7:30 Sunday Masses 8:30, 10:30 Masses will be said at the same time on holy days Confession Saturday 4:30 to 5:30									
CHURCH OF CHRIST 812 E. St. East Jordan 536-7933 Bible Study 10 a.m. Worship 11 a.m. Evening Service 6 p.m. Sunday & Wed.									
COMMUNITY REFORMED CHURCH OF CHARLEVOIX Minister: Lory Coates 547-9482 Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. Drive in Service 9:00 a.m. June-Aug Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.									
CHARLEVOIX COURIER Charlevoix									
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105 Lost and Found
LOST - beagle puppy, 4 to 5 months old. Answer to name of Ugs. Charlevoix area. Reward. 547-2566, Steve.

106 Personals
LADY DRIVING to Florida this month. Would like company and someone to share expenses. 547-6847.

107 Services Available
CHARLEVOIX GRAVEL and Dirt Excavating, top soil, septic tank and drain fields, topsoil and fill. 547-2862. (61-9-181)

108 Interior Painting
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113 Telephone Collector
aggressive individual needed by local collection agency covering 6 counties. Salary and commission will depend on experience and ability. See Mr. Leslie, Northern Service Bureau, 425 Michigan St., Petoskey.

114 State Farm Insurance
Companies are seeking an insurance agent for the Charlevoix area. College degree preferred. 2 years training. Salary and commission. Contact Paul Pillsbury, 547-6001, 1101 S. Bridge St., Charlevoix.

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Charlevoix area. Light housekeeping, one day a week. 547-9898.

120 Ambitious Couple
need more income. Unusual opportunity for good earnings. Work together, part-time or full-time. Contact B & Enterprises, P.O. Box 797, Petoskey.

121 Wanted - Apt. house or a house
suitable to convert to apt. Write Box 93, Charlevoix Courier, Charlevoix, MI. 49720. (11-9-387)

122 Farms and Farm Land
FOUR BEDROOM farm house on 80 acres. Barn in good condition. Several other buildings included. House has been remodeled and has Anderson windows, fireplace, 2 1/2 baths, and full basement. SKI & SHORE, 347-7600.

123 Houses for Sale
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124 Real Estate
THREE BEDROOMS, 2-story house, with 2-car garage, on 1 1/4 acres, Village of Nunwood. Priced at \$29,900. 347-2175. (11-2-415)

125 Lake View Lots
on M-66, 2 and 10 acre parcels on Sequanota Rd. \$500 down, balance on land contract. 547-4299.

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conveniently located in downtown Charlevoix. 1 furnished, with outstanding view of Round Lake. One bedroom, living room, dining room and kitchen, glassed-in porch. The other, unfurnished, with view of harbor and Main St. One bedroom, living room, kitchen. No pets or children. Only employed, responsible people will be considered. For appointment call 1-616-842-6114. (11-24fn-601)

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129 Rustic Log home
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130 Large 7 bedroom
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131 Two to 3 bedroom house
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132 Compare three
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133 Grand Rapids businessman
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134 Relocating couple
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Louis E. Mason, 20, Charlevoix, no camp registration posted. Plead guilty. \$25 fine and costs.
Mark E. Smith, 17, Charlevoix, larceny under \$100. Plead guilty. \$105 fine and costs, three days on county work program, restitution to injured party, restoration for court appointed attorney, and one year's probation.
Michael A. Ance, 18, Boyne City, malicious destruction of police property. Examination held, bound over to Circuit Court.
Donald N. Baxter, 17, Boyne City, malicious destruction of police property. Examination held, bound over to Circuit Court.
Thomas Antonio, 22, East Jordan, criminal sexual conduct. Examination held, bound over to Circuit Court.
James A. Cull, 19, armed robbery. Examination held, bound over to Circuit Court.
Robert F. Folsom, 23, Big Rapids, speeding. \$25.
Jerald H. Murdock, 17, Charlevoix, speeding. \$25.
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Girls' Basketball: St. Ignace here 6:30 p.m.
American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m.
Artists North will meet at 8 p.m.

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TOPS will meet at undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 6 p.m. for weigh-in; 6:30 for business meeting.

Thursday, Nov. 17
Girls' Basketball: Charlevoix at Boyne City 6:30

p.m. Christ Episcopal Church Women's Guild annual salad luncheon, bake sale, and Christmas bazaar at church undercroft. Luncheon: 11 a.m. until 2 p.m. Bazaar and bake sale until 2 p.m. Adults: \$2.00; children under five years: \$1.00.

Senior Citizens potluck dinner at high school cafeteria 6 p.m. Robert J. Cook will show slides of his recent trip to Spain.

Big Brothers-Big Sisters will meet at City hall in Charlevoix 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Soil and Water Conservation District Board of Directors will meet at 1:30 p.m. in Cooperative Extension Service Office in Federal Building, Boyne City.

V.F.W. Auxiliary will meet at post home 8 p.m. for a social meeting. Members are asked to bring gift items for children under five years: \$1.00.

Feather party at American Legion post home 7:30 p.m. sponsored by Little Flower Guild of St. Mary's Church.

Friday, Nov. 18
Al-Anon Family Group will meet at 7:30 p.m.



WILLIAM REID, an East Jordan resident, receives the Citizens Award from Charlevoix County Sheriff George Lasater for his quick action in saving an area resident from injury and possible death.

Quick thinking earns East Jordan man award

Quick thinking in a life or death situation won the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department Citizens Award for an East Jordan man recently.

William A. Reid, 21, was recently honored by the sheriff's department for pulling Robert Snyder to safety from a car that was about to catch on fire.

Reid attributed his ability to react quickly in the situation to the fact that he had been in some serious accidents himself and so he was familiar with the situation and knew what to do.

Sheriff Lasater said Snyder had been attempting to pass a car when the car wandered over into the left lane forcing Snyder onto the shoulder of the road. He then lost control of the car and ran into a tree.

Reid, a resident of East Jordan, is employed by East Jordan Plastics.

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The number of felony arrests so far for the year has tripled over the number for the same time in 1976 increasing from 14 to 43 arrests.

There were 12 felony arrests during October this year and only two during October 1976.

Misdemeanor arrests have also increased for the year with 103 people arrested so far this year and 93 arrested at this time last year.

Sheriff's deputies made nine misdemeanor arrests last month. Eleven such arrests were made in October 1976.

Sheriff George Lasater credited the additional training and the eagerness of the deputies to solve crimes with the increase in the number of felony arrests by the department.

He added that a good working relationship with the county prosecuting attorney's office and the district court had also helped to encourage sheriff's deputies to work toward felony arrests.

The monthly report also showed an increase in the number of complaints received by the sheriff's office. So far this year the department has received 2,174 complaints or about 2.5 times as many as the 855 complaints that were received last year.

The department received 185 complaints last month and only 84 in October 1976.

Sheriff Lasater said the new substation in Boyne Falls had led to part of the increase in complaints being received by the department because it made the sheriff's department more visible and it made people more aware of the department.

Other statistics compiled for the month and so far this year also show increases. The number of traffic arrests has jumped from 144 at this time last year to 450 so far this year. The number of traffic warnings has jumped from 156 at this time last year to 317 so far this year.

The number of general arrests has also increased from 129 last year at this time to 446 so far this year.

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Ski team schedules swap of skis, poles for Sunday

Got some old skis or ski boots that you would like to trade in for larger or newer models? Then the Charlevoix High School ski team has a deal for you.

The ski team will be holding its annual ski swap from noon to 6 p.m. Sunday at the Charlevoix High School Cafeteria. Proceeds from the event will be used to support ski team activities.

"All types of used winter sports equipment will be on sale during the swap," Mike Bonello, ski coach, explained. "This is an excellent way to get larger sized skis and boots for children without having to invest a lot of money and you can sell the old set, too."

Members of the Boyer ski team and coaching staff will be on hand during the swap to help people determine sizes of the downhill and cross country skis, poles and boots and ice skates and football shoes.

In addition to holding the swap, the ski team will show ski movies and serve hot cider to customers.

The high school cafeteria will be open from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday and from 9 a.m. to noon Sunday so area residents can bring in equipment for the swap.

People wishing to sell equipment during the swap should have an idea of the price they want to charge when they bring the equipment in, Bonello said.

"We will be charging people \$2 to enter equipment in the swap and the ski team will take a 15 percent commission on the sale," the coach said. "This is our major fundraising event of the year."

"We will give the person selling the equipment complimentary certificates for discounts on lift tickets at Nubs Nubs in addition to the money we make on the sale of their equipment."

Who wants you to think they will? And why?

The new charter specifies that "rates and charges of any municipal utility for the furnishing of services shall be no higher than necessary to cover the costs of such utility, including depreciation, capital improvements, and the creating and maintaining of an emergency fund." No more building up of utility department surpluses to be siphoned into the general fund in lieu of taxes. Or using tax money to subsidize utilities, either.

Eliminating such transfers and limiting rates and charges should ease everybody's utility bills, not raise them.

It's been said that the new charter will change government "from a direct citizen input to a strict drive input." What about that?

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East Jordan man recalls lumbering days

By NANCY JARVIS

"They were proud to be lumberjacks. My dad was exceptionally proud. He was proud he could teach me something. It was a tradition and you were making yourself better all the time. They could do it good and they knew it and they were proud of it."

Laments Solon (Bud) Barnes, Jr. about the bygone days of the lumbering industry here in Michigan.

"The story I tell is a memory about days I now miss and partly of a past I never had a chance to know," the East Jordan resident said.

Though Barnes spent the first sixteen years of his life living in lumber camps throughout the state, he now expresses sadness and loss about not seeing the birth of the industry. But he has his own fond memories as well as colorful tales, passed on from his grandfather to his father and then to him, about the 1880's when lumbering was at its peak.

Barnes, who now lives in East Jordan with his wife, Linda, and three children, was born in Frederic in 1925. His father was 40 when he married, having spent his young years lumbering in Michigan, Minnesota, Wisconsin and Montana and the Dakotas.

"In the old days it was usually just men," Barnes said, remembering what his father had told him. He said the "jacks" lifestyle was not unlike that of army men. They lived in shanties, 80 feet long and 30 feet wide, which were simple wood frame buildings covered with tarpaper. The men slept in bunks that were stacked two beds high.

For heat, there were two or three pot belly stoves. Also supplied were clothes lines where the men would hang their socks.

"They were real smelly all the time," he said, chucking. "And there were cracks in the floor," he continues. "The guys would chew snuff and spit and hit the cracks in the floor."

A typical day for the jacks began at 4 a.m. They would be awakened by the foreman, who would sometimes play tricks on them.

"If it was an exceptionally cold day, he would come in with just his shirt on, with the sleeves rolled up, telling the men what a nice day it was," Barnes said.

The men would then get out a hearty breakfast of sour dough pancakes, fried potatoes, salt pork and good strong coffee. And there was always a dish of sugar cookies, big ones, about one inch thick and five inches across.

"The men had a certain sort that they always sat in and sitting in the wrong place meant trouble. 'And as you ate, you kept quiet, you didn't speak,'" Barnes said.

After breakfast, the men would go out into the woods and cut their strip of trees that had already been marked off. It was usually about 150 feet across, representing 80 to 120 logs.

"They would try to cut 30 to 40 extra logs each day because you had to have the same amount on rainy days too," Barnes said.

Work continued from sunup till sundown and the lunch of beans and biscuits was brought out to the men to save time.

After the days work, the men would call dreys or walk back to camp and change into dry clothes.

Supper was served at a particular time. Says Barnes: "Depending on how the cook was, sometimes he would eat at a certain time so you'd be there or you wouldn't eat."

Dishes consisting of deer meat or deer steak, potatoes, dumplings and sometimes rice with blackstrap molasses were the usual meals.

Harnes, whose mother was a

camp cook and father a teamster, said the lumber camps were pretty much limited to the bare essentials. The ones he lived in always had a cook's shanty where the men ate, a blacksmith shop, a harness shed, the bunk house and a barn where the horses were kept. The barn, he said, was always the nicest building because lumberjacks treasured the hard working animals. Indeed, the industry depended on horses to pull dreys piled high with logs.

The camps always had a company store too, where the men could charge woollens, cigarettes, candy and other such things. These stores were owned by the company, which preferred the men buy on credit rather than with cash.

"They liked you to do this (charge) because they liked to have you owe money all the time and keep working; you couldn't quit," Barnes said.

The logging work was done mainly in the winter because it was easier to transport the logs. A unique system was developed where ice covered paths were used to slide the logs to their desired location.

There was a jack in charge of brushing and watering down the path each night.

Barnes said the jacks were often hired on for one season so they moved around a lot. After the season, when the break came, they would all head to the nearest bar, "and have themselves a good old time."

The lumbering days are now over and have been for quite some time. Barnes said he continued to cut logs on the side until he was working for an electric subcontractor.

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Editorials/Opinions

Shade tree project important for city

Frills. A lot of people seem to be quite upset these days about taxpayers dollars going to support frills.

Complaints are aired daily in the coffee shops and restaurants around Charlevoix about this program and that program in the schools, city or townships that is unnecessary and unneeded because it's just a darn frill.

How can we afford to pay for these things when we are faced with ever increasing utility costs, ever increasing taxes and ever increasing inflation? the arguers ask. We've got to stop wasting our money on frills.

Unfortunately, anything that pertains to beauty or esthetic improvement is often classified as a frill before the program is thoroughly examined.

One such program that has been wrongly classified as a frill and therefore, unnecessary, is the Shade Tree Program. At a first glance a program to ensure that the city has shade trees does seem a little silly, but upon examination it becomes apparent that trees are important to the community.

As a tourist community, and Charlevoix is fast becoming a year round tourist spot, the city has to be very careful of its appearance in order to maintain its beauty and attractiveness to tourists. The trees within the city are slowly dying off and need to be replaced as they succumb to old age or else the city will

soon be left nude.

The trees serve another purpose, too. Along the open sections of the city at the north and south entrances, the trees will serve as windbreakers and will prevent erosion as well as provide an attractive entrance to the community.

And as soaring utility costs make it too expensive to operate air conditioning units, trees will become an important source of shade and protection from summer sun in the community.

Trees are also important factors in maintaining a balance of nature in the city. They provide homes and food for many animals and insects that are necessary for pest control and pollination of plants.

The Shade Tree Program as proposed by the Charlevoix Shade Tree Commission is a well thought out plan spread over 10 years. Each street in the city has been surveyed and plans have been made to make sure that trees will be growing everywhere in the city and providing beauty as well as an important resource.

The Shade Tree Commission has taken steps to purchase trees as inexpensively as possible. Each year plans call to purchase young trees and place them in nurseries until they are big enough to be transplanted to city streets.

The program has been well thought out and while it will provide beauty for our city, that doesn't necessarily mean it is a frill.

Parking lot planning should be coordinated

Winter is here and with it comes a solution to the parking problem in the City of Charlevoix—fewer cars.

But, before we know it, it will be summer and the parking problem will rear its ugly head again. Now is the perfect time to take a look at the city parking situation and take some positive steps toward relieving some of the congestion and the scramble for parking that people complain about during the summer.

It would be a good project for the Parking Authority. A survey should be made of available parking spaces and of the signs directing people to parking lots.

The parking authority could also survey area businesses and churches about their future plans for the construction of parking lots for their own use. Many organizations are currently planning the

construction of parking lots. Together the parking authority, the city and the private businesses could work out a comprehensive plan to coordinate efforts for providing parking in the downtown area.

In the past the Michigan Department of State Highways and Transportation has indicated that it might prohibit parking on Bridge Street. Charlevoix should be prepared for that possibility by providing the same number of parking spaces in other areas.

If a survey of parking needs concludes that there is adequate parking space available in the downtown area, perhaps the parking authority could institute a signing program that would direct shoppers and visitors to the parking lot areas. This would make shopping and visiting Charlevoix much more pleasant.

Now is the time for action.

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"WOULD YOU SETTLE FOR SOME BEANS I HAPPEN TO HAVE HERE."



Clockwise
by Bob Clock

It is strange how the habits of a lifetime can be changed in only a few months. Or perhaps weeks, in some cases.

Take coffee, for example. Up until the Great Coffee Sindle last year, I think I was fairly typical of most Americans when it came to coffee consumption. I had a cup or two for breakfast, took a thermos of it to work to see me through the morning and had coffee for lunch and again in the middle of the afternoon. After supper I started drinking coffee in earnest until bedtime.

Then, suddenly, the coffee growers and processors decided they weren't getting enough for their product. True, there had been a frost in South America and some coffee trees were lost. So it was convenient to blame the first price increases on bad weather. Everyone would understand.

And we did. If the bean crop were short, of course prices would go up. We grumbled, but we still bought coffee. But when the money started rolling in, the growers and producers decided they had discovered a vast new source of unearned wealth. With the world hooked on coffee, why not give it a try?

So coffee price increases became a weekly event at the supermarket as growers and producers sat back and rubbed their hands gleefully. The goose of coffee addiction was finally laying golden eggs.

But they were wrong. Coffee, most of us have discovered, is scarcely addictive at all. Oh, it still tastes good. But so does tea, which is enjoying an unprecedented burst of popularity in America.

When I was a youngster, my Anglo-American family drank a great deal of tea and I felt vaguely uncomfortable about it because it seemed almost subversive. After all, wasn't it the Americans who threw British tea into Boston Harbor at the start of the Revolution?

When World War II started and coffee was rationed, it became quite fashionable to drink tea. And after the Battle of Britain, the stigma that had formerly attached itself to tea had

disappeared. The coffee boycott is beginning to be felt. Coffee prices are starting to fall. Producers and growers are starting to panic as profits dry up. Unless I'm badly mistaken, the world coffee market will never again be what it was a few short months ago.

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If it Fitz
by Jim Fitzgerald

WASHINGTON—I sat in the White House and looked Jimmy Carter right in the eye.

He looked away. I wasn't surprised. From the way I was waving my pitching arm over my head, coming from way behind my right ear, the president could tell I wanted to play hardball.

Jimmy Carter's game is softball, usually played with the Whitehouse Press Corps, which pitches underhanded. He knew he wasn't in shape to bat against a hard-throwing columnist from Detroit. So he ignored me.

I spent a day in the White House to take part in something called Regional Columnists Briefing. Thirty columnists from all over the nation were invited to hear wise words spoken by President Carter and several members of his staff. I was the Michigan representative.

You have a right to ask the same surprised question I heard from my family and friends: "Why did the White House pick YOU?"

The implication of the question is as plain as it is nasty. There are hundreds of heavier columnists in Michigan;

practically vanished. "If the British drink it, it has to be good."

We drank lots of tea during the war, although one popular pre-war variety—Japanese green—dropped from sight and has never really made a comeback.

But when coffee again became available in quantity, Americans bought it and drank it in quantity. More than any thing else, an abundance of coffee meant the war was over.

However, since the recent upheaval in the coffee market, I am beginning to wonder if the coffee merchants haven't lost a huge share of their customers—this time for good. Those of us who have switched to tea as our main beverage of the day have found it more than just a change-of-pace drink. We are experimenting with different varieties of tea and are learning to appreciate a wide range of subtle and not-so-subtle flavors.

Unlike coffee, tea can taste like everything from stinky, well-aged Scotch whiskey (Lapsang Souchong) to a British herb garden (Earl Grey). We also are learning that different varieties of tea go with different meals. Of course, our "bar-tea" is Orange Pekoe (purchased in Canadian gauge bags). We have also found that Spartan meat has a fine, brisk flavor fresh from the thermos. Furthermore, it is easy to fix when minutes count in the morning.

With the increase in tea consumption, many restaurants have also come to grips with proper tea-serving. Most of the customers are no longer satisfied with a tea bag in a pot of tepid water. The pot has to be heated first with scalding water which is then discarded. The tea itself is made with a second infusion of boiling water. The two infusions make all the difference in the world.

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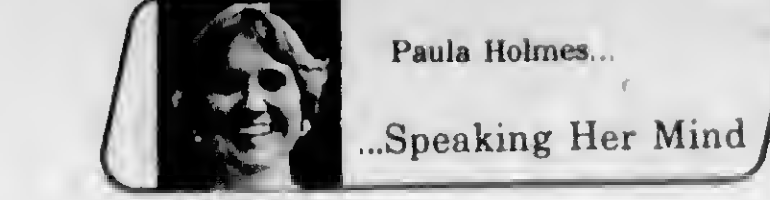
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Paula Holmes...
...Speaking Her Mind

It's hard to believe that football season has really come to an end. I guess time flies when you're having fun.

Last September when I was looking over the schedule for the season, I thought it would be one of the longest nine weeks of my life. I was really a greenhorn that day in August when I walked up to head coach Don Carey and asked for some help in covering the football team and its games.

I have always been a football fan, particularly when Michigan State University football is concerned. But somehow I never really learned any of the terms or plays that are connected with the game.

Oh, I know what a quarterback and a tackle are, but ask me to describe or name a play formation and I'm lost. Coach Carey gave me a rule book, which I studied like a textbook hoping it would prepare me for the games. And in a way it did, but there was no way that any book could have prepared me for what I learned this season.

The first thing I learned was that if you are going to photograph football games you have to have nerves of steel. As I watched the team I learned that no one could be a star or gain 200 yards or catch a pass without good blocking from his teammates.

And I also learned that it takes team work for the football players to come to each game with a winning attitude. The fans, combined with the band and members of other fall sports teams, joined together to help the football team keep their momentum up and their spirits high.

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Erma Bombeck

Writing is lonely.

I guess I never realized how much until I found myself saying to my tropical fish yesterday, "Whataya want to eat, Lester, the Panama Canal or Liz Taylor's Avon lady?"

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Meet Charlevoix

...Reverend Roger Ames

Reverend Roger Ames is the new minister of Christ Episcopal Church in Charlevoix. The Courier talks with him this week to learn about the man, his church, and some of his ideas about today's Christian religion.

COURIER: Where were you before you came to Charlevoix?

AMES: I came from Evanston, Illinois, where I studied for three years at Seabury-Western Seminary.

Before that, I was director of admissions at The Defiance College in Defiance, Ohio, and before that I worked in sales and marketing for the Aero Corporation, industrial manufacturers.

COURIER: Where did you go to high school and college?

AMES: I went to high school in Bryan, Ohio, where I was born, and did my undergraduate work at Denison University, where I majored in political science.

COURIER: What made you decide to enter the ministry?

AMES: While at Defiance College, the directions of my life changed. I became involved as a layman in interdenominational work in the city—the renewal movement, etc. Then I went through the channels of the Episcopal structure to be sure that was what I wanted to do.

COURIER: Then Charlevoix is your first church?

AMES: No, my first full charge was in the summer between my junior and senior years at the seminary, when I had a mission outside of Akron. It was a great experience, finding a place to meet (in a fire house) and setting up the program. Now they are on the way to having their own church and priest. Another summer I was a chaplain-intern in Alexian Brothers Medical Facility outside of Chicago. That was a great experience, too.

COURIER: Do you have a family?

AMES: Yes, my wife, Grettle, and I have two children. Amanda is 11 and Christopher is 5. We live at 218 Belvedere Avenue.

COURIER: Is yours the only Episcopal Church in Charlevoix County?

AMES: Yes, but we have several members from East Jordan, a few from Boyne City, and some from Ironton, Bay Shore, and Torch Lake.

COURIER: What is your church attendance?

AMES: In the summer it averages 75 to 100 and in the winter, 60 to 75.

COURIER: How old is the church?

AMES: The building was put up some time in the 1880's and the congregation is about 25 years older.

COURIER: Do you have any specific plans for the church?

AMES: It is a mission church, meaning it is not self-supporting, and our goal, within the next three to five years, is to achieve parish status.

COURIER: You have been doing some remodeling at the

church, haven't you?

AMES: Yes, when we sold the vickerage in January, we had some free funds so we painted the church, including the red doors, remodeled the sacristy, and put in a new conference room. Before Christmas we will have a new furnace, and next spring we will have new steps with lower rises, and will do some decorating.

COURIER: What about new church programs?

AMES: We have re-convened the church school. We now have church school on Wednesday evenings. The kids seem to enjoy it and we have more time for lessons, crafts, and play. It also allows people who help in the church school to be in church Sunday as families. The 11 o'clock service is family-oriented and we still have the nursery. We have started a Thursday evening seminar called "Life in the Spirit". It is a Bible study program including prayer and praise and oriented to the current spiritual renewal going on in the churches. It is ecumenical in nature and open to the entire community. We are



Rev. Roger Ames

seems to be a growing out-pouring of the higher spirit—such as healing, the laying on of hands. There also seems to be a growing unity in the church, a strong unity at the grass roots level. They are suggesting outside structures and there is a re-emphasis on evangelism and the importance of Bible study. I am very much pleased.

COURIER: What is your own philosophy of religion?

AMES: My own background of personal experience has led me to put emphasis on those things generally designated as spiritual renewal. I believe there is a new era coming in the church, that evangelism is gaining a higher priority, as well as charismatic renewal (the gift of the spirit). There

EDITOR'S NOTE: The Courier would appreciate any suggestions of names of people in the Charlevoix area who would be interesting to interview for this column.

MESC giving more attention to unemployment recipients

People receiving unemployment insurance benefits are now receiving more attention from the Michigan Employment Security Commission (MESC).

Through MESC's new program, Eligibility Review Program (ERP) unemployed people whose jobs have disappeared are being helped to explore allied fields in which their experience and qualifications may lead to employment.

Under the ERP, each claimant has a sit-down interview with a MESC interviewer who reviews the claimant's eligibility and helps devise a "work search plan". The plan is based on three factors: experience, work available in the area, and prevailing wage rates.

The interviewer then advises the claimant what types of employers to contact and which types of jobs he or she could reasonably apply for.

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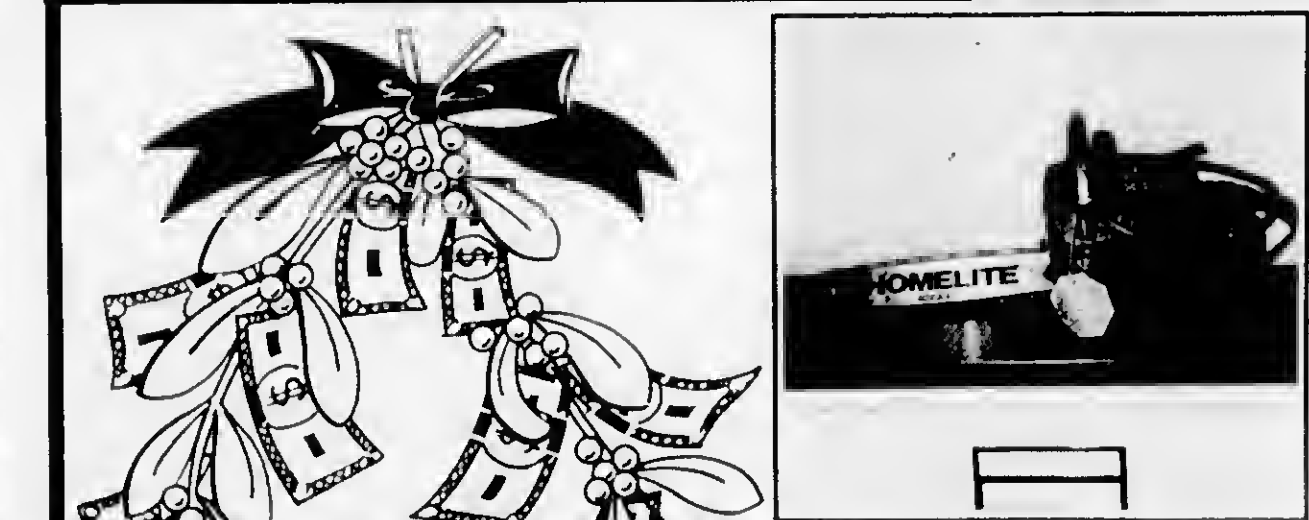
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Farmer loan deadline extended until Dec. 2

The deadline for applying for farm emergency loans through the Farmers Home Administration (FmHA) has been extended to Dec. 2 for farmers in Charlevoix, Emmet and Cheboygan counties.

The extension has been ordered for applications for drought or other emergency loans providing the loans are based on disasters that have occurred on or after July 1, 1976.

Farmers lacking other sources of credit may apply to FmHA for loans to offset losses or to revive farming operations. Emergency loan applications from farmers in Charlevoix, Emmet and Cheboygan counties can be obtained by contacting Duane Field at the area office at 822 Charlevoix Ave. in Petoskey.



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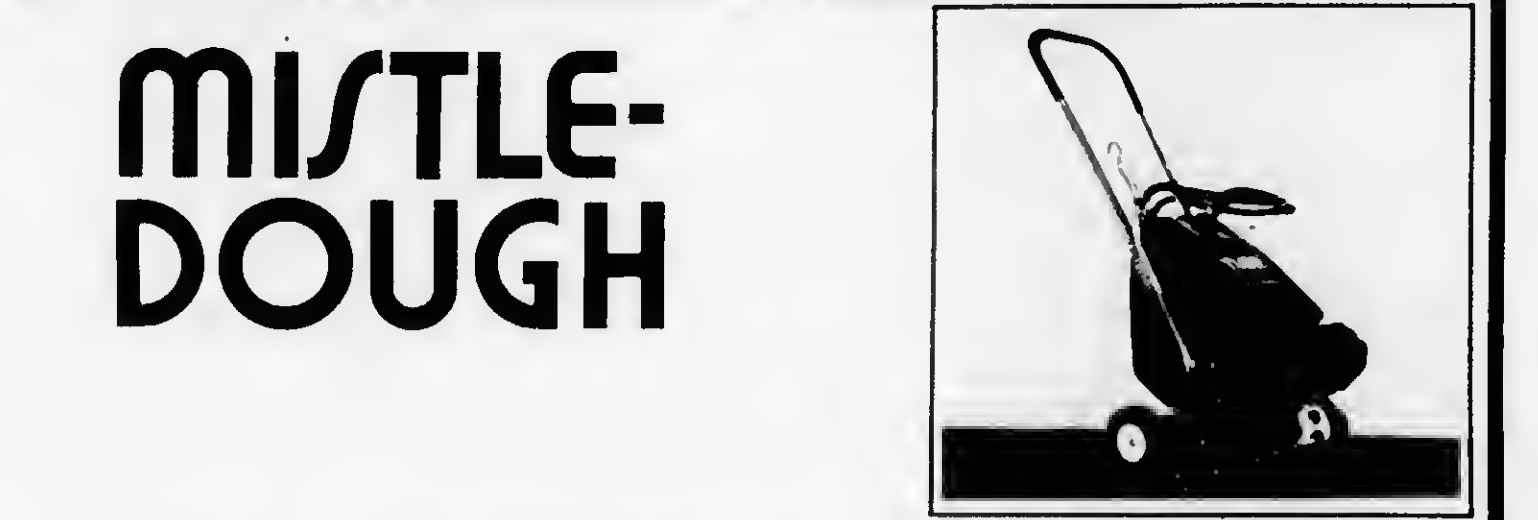
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Rep. Philip Ruppe visits area

The U.S. Congress may approve an energy program by the end of the month, according to U.S. Rep. Philip Ruppe, R-Houghton. But, the House of Representatives and the Senate are still miles apart in any agreement on the various energy bills, Ruppe said as he addressed students at Charlevoix High School Wednesday morning.

Ruppe said the House has taken the position that prices should be set on natural gas

and the Senate has taken a stand to remove price controls on natural gas. The representative said he believed the two houses would reach a compromise which will include set prices and incentives to drill for the gas, too.

"The costs will be high no matter what is settled on," the representative warned.

The legislator said it is a well head tax is imposed, as President Jimmy Carter has proposed, that there will

probably be rebates to homeowners and small business to help them cover the high cost of natural gas used for heating.

Ruppe said the lobbying on the various bills had been intense.

"Virtually everyone has a stake in the energy bill and they are all trying to get their opinions through to the legislators," Ruppe said.

The congressman also announced that hearings on the Indian hunting and fishing rights question will be held in January in the Charlevoix-Petoskey area. Ruppe said the hearings will be held in order to collect data on what the losses will be in the state due to unlimited Indian fishing rights.

He said the fishing issue was

one that should be settled in the courts and then the management details should be worked out between the state and federal governments.

On the topic of social security, Ruppe said that he had supported a House bill that proposed fund rate increases in the 1980s, but he said he had reservations about any bill that would change the ratio of payments by the employer.

"I don't think the small businessman could stand a change in the ratio," Ruppe said. "They could be paying as much as \$5,000 per person and that just isn't feasible."

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57 buildings permits issued to county residents

By PEG OHLE

Fifty-seven building permits were issued by the Charlevoix County Department of Building Inspection during the month of October. Total cost of building covered by the permits is \$1,995,841.

These figures compare with 78 permits covering \$633,204

worth of building during the same period last year.

The largest building for which a permit was issued is the new Top O' Michigan REA building in Boyne City, which will cost \$1,029,000.

Total cost of new commercial buildings covered by the month's permits is \$1,359,560. Additions to

commercial buildings amount to \$116,500, and remodeling of commercial buildings amounts to \$22,820.

New residential buildings amount to \$423,566, and additions to and remodeling of residences account for another \$28,260. Garages and out-buildings will cost \$44,305.

Probate judge seeks approval for juvenile services director

Probate Judge John T. Murphy last week asked the

Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners to approve the appointment of a Director of Juvenile Court Services and an In-Home Juvenile worker.

He told the Commissioners that Emmet County had approved the hiring of people to fill these jobs at a salary of \$10,000 each, a large part of which would be paid for by the State. The judge further stated that he had in mind Mrs. Betty Litzner, former Juvenile Officer in Charlevoix County, to fill the Director's job.

Mrs. Litzner would be in charge of juvenile services in Charlevoix and Emmet Counties. The In-Home

worker would work with families of juvenile delinquents in an attempt to keep them out of foster or correctional homes.

Murphy pointed out that since Charlevoix and Emmet Counties are in a resort area they attract more runaways, isolated cottages tempt more breakings and enterings, more people move here to get their already-troubled children out of the city, and seasonal employment creates family financial burdens which can cause children to get into trouble.

The Commissioners have not yet taken action on Murphy's request.

Rabies shot clinic slated Dec. 3 here

A clinic for inoculating county dogs with rabies vaccine will be held at the Charlevoix County Sheriff's garage in Charlevoix on December 3 from two to four o'clock.

Another clinic is scheduled for the same date, from 10 to 12 o'clock, in the East Jordan City garage, and on December 10 from 10 to 12 o'clock in the County Road Commission garage in Boyne City.

The County Cooperative Extension Service will arrange the clinics, and the vaccine will be administered by a veterinarian.

Ironton Ferry closes for the season, gets overhaul, inspection

The Ironton Ferry ceased operation last Thursday and will be in dry dock until next April.

Coast Guard regulations require an overhaul of the ferry every five years, and this is the year that the overhaul must be made. In addition to the general overhaul, new engines will be

installed this year. The work will be done by the T.C. Wysocki Marina in Traverse City, where the ferry will be towed.

From the first of the year through October 16, 40,376 vehicles crossed the South Arm on the ferry. Revenues during this period amounted to \$27,671.

Sheriff's department to get two new cruisers from Boyne City dealer

The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department will soon have two new cruisers.

The contract was awarded to Jack's Auto Sales of Boyne City after sealed bids were opened last week. Jack's will

turnish the two "police packages", one Plymouth Fury and one Plymouth Volare, for \$6,485.15.

Other bids, one Dodge, one Ford, and one Chevrolet, ranged as high as \$9,600.



Eye Opener

SOME MIDNIGHT artists created this eye opening sign on Waller Road in Charlevoix Township. And who knows, it could be a toad crossing as the street is surrounded by woods in that area.

Salary schedule set for county officials

The 1978 salary schedule for elected and appointed officials in Charlevoix County was approved by the Board of Commissioners last week. Overall, the schedule represents an increase of seven per cent over 1977.

A comparison of the salaries of top officials for the two years follows:

1978	1977
District Probate Judge (County's Share at Wage)	\$ 2,820.00 2,561.50
County Clerk	13,055.00 12,200.00
Register of Deeds & Abstractor	13,055.00 12,200.00
Prosecuting Attorney	26,750.00 23,100.00
Civil Defense Director (1)	9,200.00 5,160.00

Equalization	14,340.00	13,400.00
Director	13,085.00	12,200.00
County Treasurer	15,790.00	14,700.00
Sheriff	14,600.00	13,650.00
Under-Sheriff	12,890.00	11,860.00
Building Maintenance Man	10,700.00	10,700.00
County Planner (2)	13,200.00	15,200.00
Building Code Official	12,890.00	11,860.00
County Drain Commissioner (no fees)	3,285.00	3,050.00
County Board of Commissioners (per month)	140.00	140.00
(1) From part time to full time		
(2) New employee.		



CHARLEVOIX HOSPITAL employees honored for five years of service were: (left to right front row) Marianne Coopers, Joan Sorenson, Jeanne Cavitch, Jean Graves, and Joan Gigg. In the back row are: Cindy Rus, Mary Terryberry, Camille Greene, Esther Brown and Jay Oliver. Oliver was honored for 20 years of service at the hospital.



SEVERAL CHARLEVOIX AREA Hospital employees were recently honored on the completion of their first year of service. Pictured in the front row are: (left to right) Earl Perault, Fran White, Jennie Myers, Maureen McLeod, Gustavo Bidart and Ann Evans. In the back row are: Barney Roeters, Marge McLennan, Jean VanStedum, Eileen Danbert, Larry Jacobs and Tom Hodgkinson, Jr.

Charlevoix Area Hospital honors employees for service

The Charlevoix Area Hospital honored 41 employees last week for their service to the organization.

Employees were given one-year, five-year and 20-year pins, marking the number of years they have been employed by the hospital. Tom Carey, president of the hospital board, and Richard Krueger, hospital administrator, presented the awards during the annual ceremony.

Jay Oliver, orderly, was

given a 20-year pin for his devoted service to the hospital and its patients.

Those receiving five-year pins were: Esther Brown, nurses aide; Marianne Coppins, dietary; Jean Graves, desk clerk; Barb Gross, nurses aide; Cindy Huis, LPN; Joan Sorenson, R.N.; Jeanne Cavitch, housekeeping; Joan Gigg, physical therapy; Camille Greene, business office; and Mary Terryberry, R.N.

Employees receiving first

year pins were: Mike Bonello, RN-anesthetist; Gus Bidart, dietary; Jean Brock, LPN; Julie Cuk, RN; Marianne Cox, coronary care; Marianne Curtis, admitting; Patty Egler, dietary; Sheila Essenberg, business office; Ann Evans, nurses aide; Greg Fverts, dietary; and Ann Graves, X-ray.

Others receiving one-year pins were: Sue Greene, nurses aide; Tom Hodgkinson, janitor; Cheryl Jacobs,

inhalation therapy; Larry Jacobs, inhalation therapy; Debbie Kloster, nurses aide; Maureen McLeod, RN, Marge McLennan, RN; Jenny Myers, RN; Barb Papineau, RN; Earl Perault, business office; Sandy Pitcher, OR tech; Barney Roeters, purchasing; John Rybecki, dietary; Linda Snyder, RN; Joan Strawbridge, RN-anesthetist; Eileen Danbert, business office; Jean VanStedum, business office; and Grace Weidenaur, RN.

Artists North plan tour, sale Nov. 25-27

The 4th Annual Christmas Tour and Sale sponsored by Artists North will be held November 25, 26, and 27.

The artists will open their studios to the public from 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. on those days. Maps for the tour will be available at the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce or from Marci Brown, 401 Alice Street, phone 547-4843, or from Sue Bolt's Grange Hall Pottery, phone 547-4855.

On exhibition and for sale

will be macrame, ceramics, paintings, stained glass, wood carvings, jewelry, weaving, prints, and drawings. The work is all done by artists and craftsmen living and working in Northern Michigan.

Artists North is an organization open to all artists, craftsmen, and everyone interested in supporting the arts. The group meets once a month to hear talks by artists pursuing various art endeavors.

Thanksgiving service slated Nov. 23

The annual Union Thanksgiving Service sponsored by the Charlevoix Ministerial Association will be held at the First Congregational Church at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Nov. 23.

The Rev. Ernest Knight of the Church at the Nararene will deliver the Thanksgiving Message.

Special music will be

presented by a Community Choir under the direction of Mrs. Robert Tollas.

The offering at the service will be shared by two groups with the first \$50.00 going to the Chaplaincy program at the Grandview Medical Care Facility and the remainder to the Community Christmas project.

Worshippers from all churches are invited to attend this special service of thanksgiving.



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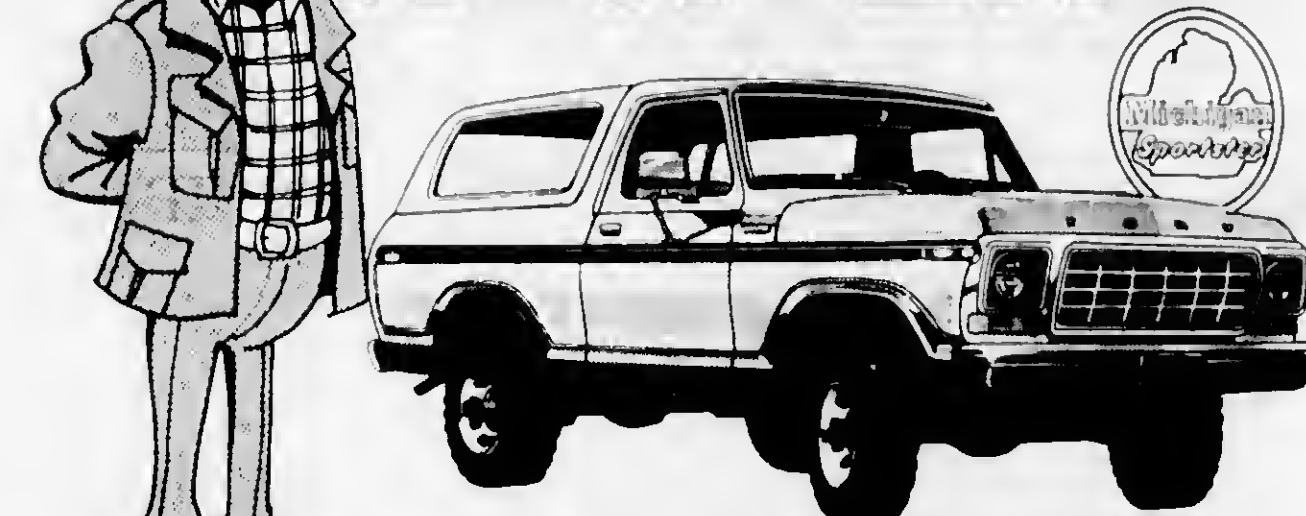
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JUST A FEW games are left in the 1977 basketball season for the Charlevoix Rayder Girls Varsity team. Tournaments will begin following Thanksgiving. Members of this year's varsity squad are: (from left to right) Sue Hodge, Jackie

Paul, Marie Buday, Jorallyn Goss, Marie Aronson, Coach Toni Felter, Laurie Gibbs, Teresa Bears, Sherrie Selissen, Chris Lehman and Kris Fiedler.

Girls work hard on basketball



IT WAS A MAD scramble for the ball by the Rayders as they attempted to make a basket in the last minutes of their game against Cheboygan last week. Cheboygan won the contest 63-31.



JERALLYN GOSS (34) rushes in for the rebound during the Charlevoix-Cheboygan game last week. Charlevoix meets St. Ignace at home Tuesday and Boyne City Ramblers in Boyne City Thursday.



THE RAYDER JUNIOR varsity basketball squad is having an excellent season this year and has compiled a 12-1 record. Members of the team are: (front row, left to right) Angie Spieles, Lisa Sandahl, Melinda Klooster, Teresa Norrot, Melanie

Kerridge, and Maria Martin. In the second row are: Kristen Lighell, Laurie Anderson, Shari Jones, Amy Kroll, April Meadows, Nancy Cluk and Janet Pence.

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Football season over, but statistics remain

By BILL MERCER

The 1977 Charlevoix High School football season is over. And with its passing goes the exciting Friday night gridiron spectacles under the lights at Kipke Field or the travel to foreign territory to watch the Rayders do battle against distant opponents.

Gone is the thrill of the Rayder Marching Band's exuberant entrances and dazzling half time shows. Preserved in the memories of the fans are the fourth quarter heroics in the Gaylord, Cheboygan, Grayling and Petoskey games.

But what a season it was. The Michigan-Huron Shores Conference trophy, a place in the top five Class C rankings in the entire state of Michigan, and a close race to the finish.

For a spot in the state playoffs. Unfortunately, some little computer gnome kept the Rayders from entering the Class C battle to the Silver Dome. A small blemish on an otherwise grand season.

Who will forget the crushing tackles of defensive linemen Tom Jones, Kip Cinnamon and Barry Potter, the excitement generated by the runs of Greg Krueger and Kevin Kratt and the passes caught by Nell Dziedic and Jim Elzinga, the blocks executed on punt returns by Erik Lundieigen, Jerry Sladek and Bruce Avery, and perhaps most memorable, the extra point kicks by Guy Carter which contributed significantly to the victories in Cheboygan and Petoskey.

Particular individual team leaders can be determined

through the use of statistical analysis. But Krueger, Kratt, Jim Alger and Carter will all confirm that it took good snaps by center Greg Loper to start the Rayder machine and tireless locking by guards Avery and Sladek, tackles Potter and Cinnamon and ends Dziedic and Joe Left to keep it running smoothly.

Krueger took top statistical honors this year. For the season, the senior backfield man gained 1,198 total yards, a modern day Rayder record. His 74 points on the season led the team in scoring and 182 total carries, which gained an average of 6.6 yards a carry, also were team records.

Quarterback Alger registered a good year as well. His 11 touchdown passes in league play led the conference in that category. Even though

he only scored two touchdowns on his own, his passes accounted for 70 big Rayder points.

Dziedic also figured high in the scoring column. Three punt returns for touchdowns plus four TD catches and one extra point pass reception accounted for his second place finish in the scoring race.

Scraper-of-the-year title must go to Elzinga. His aggressive play, especially the pass stolen from the Petokey defensive back to score the first Charlevoix touchdown in the last game of the season, must not go unrecognized. While Elzinga did not score in the first four Charlevoix games, he came on strong at the end of the season to tally 36 points.

Little halfback Kratt also performed well as the season

progressed. Although he scored twice in the Benzie Central game, his other 15 points came at crucial times in other Rayder wins. Many times he almost broke open for scores on kickoff returns.

The statistics cannot show the backfield blocking of Lundieigen and Jones, which so often opened huge holes for Krueger and Kratt.

At the completion of all of the drives for touchdowns, after the six points had been marked on the scoreboard, the fan's attention focused on the player, point after kicker Carter. During the course of the season, the senior halfback converted 21 of 29 conversion kicks, a hefty 724 percentage. His points, even though they were made one at a time, helped produce victories in the close Cheboygan

and Petoskey contests. Also, his string of 13 in a row over three games must be a Charlevoix High School record.

How about the defensive squad. Led by senior co-captains Jones and Cinnamon, the entire defensive unit deserves praise. While they sometimes scared the devil out of hometown fans, assistant coach Plas Presnell's troops came out fighting when the chips were down.

Opponents were only able to score seven points against Charlevoix in the fourth quarters of all nine games, while the Rayders were

putting 103 points on the scoreboard.

Highlights of defensive play included 17 intercepted passes and 19 recovered fumbles, one important field goal block by Darrin VanLoon in the Cheboygan game, safeties by Cinnamon, Left and Jones and a key game ending interception by Pat Klooster in Petoskey.

Jones, Potter, Elzinga, Lundieigen, Klooster, Krueger, Cinnamon, Left, Wayne Hoffman, VanLoon, Kerry Speer, Dziedic, Craig Boss, and Doug Buday all scored high in the team defensive rankings.

Last, but certainly not least

in the statistics, is the place kicking by Bob Warner. Many times Charlevoix was put in good field position by Warner's deep kicks.

The same can be said for Krueger's punting. Over the season, the senior averaged more than 34 yards a kick also contributing to good Rayder field position.

While there were many stars, the undefeatable season must really be attributed to a total team effort. Coach Don Carey was able to produce excellent performances from numerous players and he and his staff are to be congratulated on a fine 1977 football season.

Girls varsity basketball team drops game to hot Cheboygan

The Charlevoix Rayder Varsity Basketball team dropped its game last week to a hot Cheboygan team. The Cheboygan Chiefs scored 63 points to the Rayders 31.

Coach Toni Felter said the two teams started out the game with a fairly close score, although Cheboygan was in

the lead 10-5.

In the second period, however, Cheboygan surged ahead leaving the Rayders trailing 33-10. The score was widened in the third quarter to 49-16 in favor of Cheboygan.

Coach Felter said Jorallyn Goss played good defensive and offense and Laurie Gibbs

continued to be tough on the backboards pulling down 20 rebounds.

But the Rayders' shooting was cold.

"We just didn't get any shots off," Coach Felter said. "And the percentage was low, too."

"It was a flat night. Both

teams looked sluggish in the first half, but Cheboygan picked up."

Sherrie Selissen was the high point maker with 9 and Laurie Gibbs had 8.

The Rayders meet St. Ignace and Boyne City this week and then end the season Nov. 22 with a game against Petokey.

Tournaments will begin Nov. 28 in Elk Rapids. Teams participating in the tourney are Benzie-Benzie Central, Elk Rapids, Kalkaska, Traverse City St. Francis, Boyne City and East Jordan as well as Charlevoix.

The drawing to set up the playing schedule will be held Nov. 22.

JV basketball team extends winning streak to 12-1 for season

The Charlevoix Rayder Junior Varsity basketball team continued its winning streak last week with a close victory over the Cheboygan JV, 29-22.

The Rayders started out great guns scoring 18 points to

Cheboygan's 6. At the half the score was Charlevoix 24, Cheboygan 8.

But the second half was a whole different story. The Rayders only jumped in 5 more points during the entire half while Cheboygan's score

steadily climbed.

"They couldn't do anything wrong in the first half," Coach Henry Wagner said. "I don't know what happened during the second half. They were really cold."

Wagner said that Lisa

Sandahl played an excellent defensive game and has averaged about five steals a game. Amy Kroll has also improved tremendously through the season, Wagner said.

Melinda Klooster, who

pumped in 10 points, Teresa Norrot who had 9 and Melanie Kerridge with 8 points continue to be the nucleus of the team, Wagner said.

The JV's now have a 12-1 record for the season with three games left to play.

Tri-City, Wojan Aluminum, First State Bank win second round of games in B League play

Tri-City Asphalt, Wojan Aluminum and First State Bank continued their winning streaks last week as they defeated their opponents in B League Basketball action sponsored by the Charlevoix Recreation Department.

Tri-City met Alray Cottages in the first game of the week and the two teams stayed within six points of each other ending the half with Tri-City at 26 and Alray at 20.

In the third period Tri-City shot up to 41 points while Alray only added six points for a total of 26 points in that quarter. The game ended with a score of 69-40 in favor of Tri-City.

Top point makers for Tri-City were Dave Norton, 22, Butch Klooster, 13, Mike Crain, 12, and Ed Holm, 10. Vince Left had 10 points for Alray.

Don Ward had 13 points and Stan Martin, 12, for Wojan. Bob Holtzman had 5 points for Medusa.

Kadens joins winners circle this week in A League action

Townhouse and Swansons continued in their winning ways while Kadens joined the winners circle for the first time this season in last week's Charlevoix Recreation Department A League Basketball action.

Townhouse opened league play last week with a 76-44 defeat of Bob's Sunoco. The game was fairly close during the first half with Townhouse taking a small lead in the first period 14-11 which widened in the second period to 34-28.

Townhouse broke the game wide open in the second half when the team pumped in 22 points in the third period and Bob's Sunoco only hit for four points. Townhouse added another 20 points in the final period while the opponents only added six more baskets to their score.

Top scorers for Townhouse were Spook Coleman, 20; Dan McKenzie, 12; Jerome Harris, 12; and Clint Berlage, 10. Jim Danbert has 12 points for Bob's Sunoco.

In the second game Kadens earned its first win of the year by defeating Foam Corps in a close one, 76-71.

Foam Corps opened the

game with a seven-point lead 28-15 in the first period. The team then froze up not making any baskets in the second period as Kadens added 20 points to its score.

In the second half, Foam Corps came back to bring the score to 58-44 in the third period in favor of Kadens and then tied it up 69-69 in the fourth period.

Site Planning took the lead in the first period 14-11 but then was left behind in the second period as Swansons changed the score in its favor 30-25.

Swansons continued to lead in the second half with a third period score of 48-30 and then the final score of 71-51.

The high point men for Swansons were Roger Crain, 25; Bruce Meggison, 19; and Casey Culbertson, 12.

For Site Planning, Tim Carey and Dennis Combie each had 10 points.

However, the team could only hit the basket for two points during the overtime as Kadens pitched in seven points and won the game.

High scorers for Kadens were Al Looze, 14; Jeff Belford, 14; Chuck Stanek, 17;

Holecheck had 15, Gary Hice, 11; and Dale Boss, 14.

In the final game of the evening Swansons buried Site Planning 71-51.

Charlevoix Recreation Department
Volleyball Schedules
Men's League
Tuesday, Nov. 15
7:00 p.m. Village Car Club vs. Oldies in Ends
8:00 p.m. Swanson's K & D vs. Bartlett's
9:00 p.m. Rugby Rogues vs. Blue Machine
Wednesday, Nov. 22
6:00 p.m. Swanson's vs. Spikers
7:00 p.m. Rugby Rogues vs. Odds in Ends
8:00 p.m. Blue Machine vs. Bartlett's
Mixed League
7:00 p.m. Out of Site vs. Hui
8:00 p.m. TT Fogal vs. Freedman's
9:00 p.m. Lions vs. Gun and Beer
Wednesday, Nov. 23
7:00 p.m. Dodges vs. LaBaskis
8:00 p.m. Righteous vs. Hawley's Raiders
9:00 p.m. Medusa vs. Clothing Co.
Women's League
Action suspended until Nov. 30
Charlevoix Independent Basketball Schedule
B League
Tuesday, Nov. 16
6:30 p.m. Tri-City Asphalt vs. First State Bank
7:30 p.m. County State Bank vs. Medusa
8:30 p.m. Wojan Aluminum vs. Alray Cottages
Action will be suspended until Nov. 30 because of the Thanksgiving holiday
A League
Thursday, Nov. 17
6:30 p.m. Swanson's K & D vs. Foam Corps
7:30 p.m. Bob's Sunoco vs. Site Planning Development
8:30 p.m. Townhouse vs. Kadens
Action will be suspended until Dec. 1 because of holiday

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Charlevoix music trio captures Grange title

By FRANK MARTIN
It's off to the Deep South Wednesday for Jasper and the Tag-Alongs, a Charlevoix musical trio, that will be competing for national honors at the annual convention of the National Grange Association being held at Greensboro, N.C., this week.

The trio is composed of Jasper Warner, baritone and leader of the group, Bill Stevens who plays the guitar and Mrs. Leon Pease the piano. Warner is a veteran musician who played with a family group for years while Stevens and Mrs. Pease are the real amateurs of the group, according to the latter.

All are members of the

Barnard Grange where they do most of their playing. "We just play for fun. Most of the time it's at Grange parties where we play for dancing. What kind of music do we play? Square dance music, waltzes, foxtrots and other round dance music. I guess you'd say anything but rock. That came after our time," Mrs. Pease said.

She went on to say that since they'd won the amateur talent show at the State Grange meeting held at Gaylord recently, they'd had all kinds of offers.

"But we all have full time jobs that take our time so we can't accept these offers to play at various events. It's fluttering to know that people



A CHARLEVOIX GROUP won the state Grange talent contest recently. The group, Jasper and His Tag-Alongs is composed of (from right to left) Jasper Warner, Mrs. Leon Pease and Bill Stevens, all members of the Barnard Grange.

Park stage group working hard toward expansion of unit

The Charlevoix Park Stage Committee is moving right along in its attempt to finish the expansion and construction of the stage and bandshell in East Park.

To date the committee has received more than \$1,000 in contributions toward the expansion and improvement of the stage.

"This puts us in a good position," Clarence Odmark, chairman of the group, explained. "We now have enough money to go to an architect and ask him to draw up some plans so we can get an estimate of the total cost of the project."

After getting an estimate of the total cost of the project and approval from the Charlevoix Common Council, the committee expects to hold a fund-raising campaign to raise most of the money for the project.

Members of the committee are currently looking into private grants that the committee might be able to receive for the construction of the project. The committee has also asked common council to look into applying for grants for the project.

In addition, Odmark said

Alvin Hanger has agreed to contribute his time toward the project in getting the plans off the ground.

Odmark said Robert Burns was filing incorporation papers for the group so that it could file for tax exempt status for all contributions made to the park stage fund.

Ralph Hamilton is also working closely with the group in getting its tax exempt status and its solicitation license cleared up.

Soil borings have been completed on the site and the committee hopes to have drawings and a site plan completed soon, Odmark said.

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No meet set with ousted administrator

A meeting between ousted City Administrator Allen Sandberg and Charlevoix Common Council and Mayor Edward Hansen did not occur Monday night and it does not seem likely that it will occur.

meeting to establish a mutual understanding with the council about the dismissal and an awareness of his need for extensive time to seek a new position.

"I talked with several of the council members about a meeting, but I was not placed on the agenda for the committee of the whole meeting Monday night and I haven't heard anything regarding a meeting," Sandberg said.

The former city administrator, who began working for the city Dec. 1, 1976, said he did not plan to contest his firing.

Sandberg had hoped to have the

"I think the council has kind of made a decision and I don't think they would rescind the dismissal," Sandberg said.

"And the community is not up in arms about the thing, either. I guess some people are pretty upset, but they aren't storming city hall in protest to make them change it."

Sandberg's firing last week came as much of a surprise to the common council members as it did to Sandberg. The council members interviewed by the Charlevoix Courier said they had met in executive session on Nov. 7 following a committee of the whole

meeting and that they had expressed dissatisfaction with Sandberg's performance at that time.

"We talked for eight minutes at the most," one alderman said. "And during that time we agreed that we were unhappy with Allen's performance and that we should look for someone else, but we felt that we should talk with him first."

"We never voted on the matter and we never asked the Mayor to write a letter or fire Allen. We weren't going to handle it this way."

Mayor Hansen, on the other hand, felt the council had indicated they wanted

him to fire Sandberg.

"It came as fairly abrupt to me that council wanted to change administrators," Hansen said following the firing. "But it was the general consensus in the executive session that Sandberg was not doing the job."

"I think council is taking a rational approach to this."

Hansen said that Sandberg was given "terminal leave" which means that he leaves the city employment on a pre-arranged contract. The mayor did not say what the contract was, but according to a copy of a contract given to

the Courier, Sandberg was to receive one and one-half months severance pay if his employment was terminated by the city after the first year. Sandberg has not quite been employed by the city a year.

"He fully understood that if the council wasn't completely satisfied after one year that he would leave," the mayor said. "We had this understanding with him."

Hansen said he had several people in mind that he would suggest the council consider appointing as acting city administrator, but he would not list any names.

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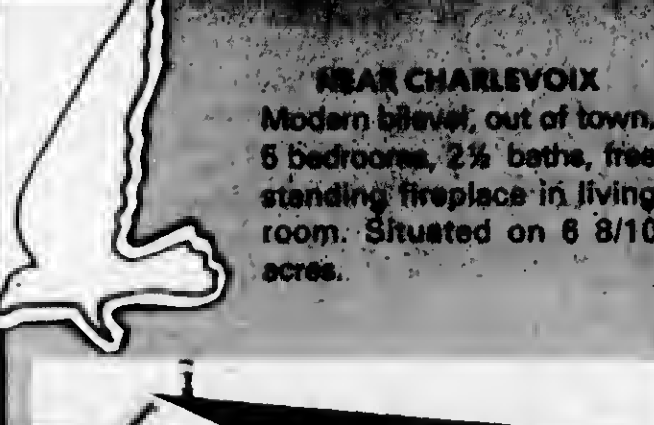
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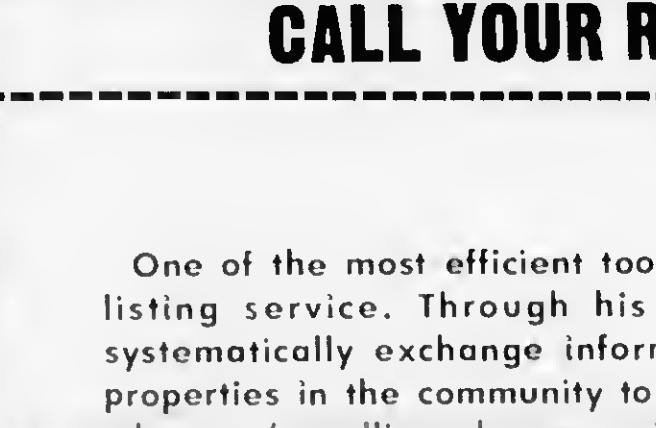
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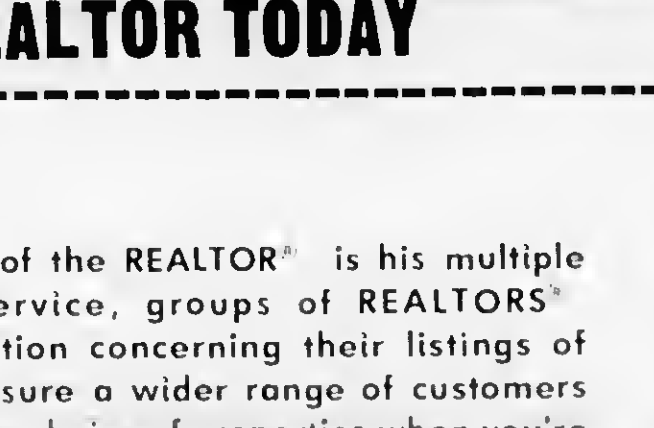
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BOAT COMPANY LEASE RESPONSE

It appears that Mayor Hansen and the Beaver Island Boat Company are again out to take the taxpayers of the city of Charlevoix. A few months ago they wanted to make an even trade of the \$65,000 garage property for a \$200,000 plus lakefront property. That didn't work, so now they want to trade the \$65,000 garage property for a 30-year lease on the lakefront property. This idea is just about as ridiculous as their first proposal. A 30-year lease for \$5,000 would compute to \$2160 per year, which would not even take care of the depreciation on the dock. The mayor and the city council had better get back to earth. Why not offer the boat company a 10-year lease in exchange for their garage property? This would be a yearly rental of \$500, which is still a very low yearly rent for a \$200,000 facility. But, it should at least indicate to the boat company that they are being given a break and that they are still being subsidized to keep them in Charlevoix. Another point that should be kept in mind is that the boat company does not pay any taxes to the city, schools or county on their business personal property, whereas, any other business located in Charlevoix, with the same dollar amount in machinery and equipment, is paying at least \$7000 per year in taxes. So, it is our opinion that, lease or not, the yearly rent on the city docks facility should be raised at least up to \$7000 per year so that the boat company won't be a complete liability to the community. We could also suggest that if the boat company wants to stay in business for 30 years, or for 300 years, for that matter, they should put their money where their mouth is and purchase the Charlevoix Lumber Co. property and have their own docks with adequate parking available for their operations.

WHY NO GOOD WORDS FOR PRESENT CHARTER?

Why doesn't somebody speak a good word for our present City Charter? Those city officials who have worked under the charter know its worth but seemed scared to express their views for fear of alienating a few voters who are working tooth and nail to get that perverted document called New Charter forced on the taxpayers. Admitted that our present charter is old but remember it has served the city through numerous amendments for seventy years or more. The new charter is far, far from perfect and city officials will be forced to make amendments on it before the ink dries. Why should they be forced to go through such a lengthy process again? It doesn't make common sense. For this reason if for no other it would be wise to vote "no" on the new charter.

P.S.



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Second ward group leads petition opposition to shade tree program

By PAULA HOLMES
"We want to make it clear that we're not against the trees," Mrs. Whitley explained.

Mrs. Whitley, along with several other concerned city residents, has been circulating petitions seeking a moratorium on the planting of shade trees in Charlevoix.

The group presented petitions

requesting the moratorium to Charlevoix Common Council Nov. 14. The petitions contained 40 signatures of Second Ward residents. Since then the group has expanded its drive to other sections of the city.

"We talked with everyone who signed the petition," Mrs. Whitley continued. "And they weren't against the program either. They agreed that it was good, but they didn't like the amount of money that the city was spending."

Mrs. Whitley said she and other

members of the group first became concerned about the cost of the shade tree program when they heard about the Charlevoix Shade Tree Commission's 1978 budget request.

The shade tree commission requested \$8,500 for capital acquisition which included the purchase of trees and bronze grates for the planting of trees in the downtown sidewalks and \$5,100 for service connected with the planting and pruning of 430 shade trees next summer.

"When this program was originally started three years ago, it was started as a replacement program for the trees that were being cut down," Ken Whitley, another concerned citizen, pointed out. "This sounds like more than a replacement program. It sounds like it is 20 to 30 times what we need."

"I think this program has snowballed into something that is costing the city a lot of extra money and it's not worth it."

John Campbell, consultant to the shade tree commission explained that a survey of the city showed that 2,300 trees were needed to replace the trees that were being cut down and to plant trees in areas where there weren't any trees such as in the newly developed southwest section of the city.

According to the 10-year plan prepared by Campbell for the city, approximately 230 trees will be planted along city streets each year. However, to keep costs down, Campbell has suggested that the city buy young trees at a cheaper price, plant them in the city nursery for one year and then transplant them along the city streets the next year.

So, the shade tree commission has been fairly successful with its program. This year 97 percent of the Red Oak trees planted survived and 100 percent of the locust trees survived.

However, during 1976, 150 of the 260 trees planted died due to severe drought conditions in the area.

"The program really hasn't been that successful," Billie Smith, another petition circulator, said. "That's why we think there should be a moratorium on the purchase of any more trees until we see what's going to happen with the ones we have now."

Mrs. Smith suggested that the city transplant all of the trees it has in its nursery behind the sewage treatment plant and that it has in Campbell's nursery and see what happens to them before any more trees are purchased.

The group was also concerned that the commission was planting too many trees for the city crews to take care of. However, Campbell said that Bill Brundine and other members of the city street department had assured him that they had no trouble taking care of the 200 plus trees that had been planted this summer and could handle another 200 next year.

Whitley also suggested that the city put the project up for bids to see if it could get any better price on the cost of trees and on the cost of services.

"When thousands of dollars are being spent, you need more than one man's opinion," Whitley said. "And I'm sure there are government services available that could give us the same services for free."

In the meantime, city residents who would like to see the shade tree program continue as it is are beginning to marshal their forces in favor of the program. Preliminary response to a survey made by the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce indicates that businesses are overwhelmingly in favor of planting trees downtown.

In other action, tuition rates, based on a formula set by the State board of education, were set for the current school year. They are \$1,435 for elementary students and \$1,485 for secondary students.

Share your recipes, ideas for a better Christmas

Do you have a favorite recipe or holiday gift or craft idea you would like to share with your friends and neighbors?

If so, the Charlevoix Courier would like to hear from you.

To help our readers with their Christmas preparations, the Courier will be printing a Christmas Recipe and Gift Guide in the Dec. 7 issue.

If you have a favorite recipe, decoration idea or handmade gift suggestion that you would like to share, please bring it in or send it to our offices at 381 Michigan Ave., Charlevoix, by Dec. 2. We will print your suggestions in the recipe and gift

guide for all to share.

Once again this year we will also be printing letters from area children to Santa Claus. The letters will appear in a special section of our Christmas issue which will be printed Dec. 21. All letters should be sent to Santa Claus in care of the Courier office by Dec. 16.

Also this year in the Christmas issue, the Courier would like to print stories about how people living in this area who have different ethnic backgrounds celebrate Christmas. If you would like to share some of the ethnic traditions that you observe at Christmas time, please give the Courier a call at 547-6558 by Dec. 14.

Board discusses school renovation

The Charlevoix Board of Education, at its regular meeting Monday night, discussed the renovation program at the Charlevoix Middle School before deciding to ask their architectural firm, Manson Jackson and Kane, to complete the overall plans for the project before making any decisions regarding the program.

Earlier this year, the voters approved a 1.0 mill levy for five years to underwrite the cost of this project. Ben Morgridge, representing the firm, advised the board that it could only borrow only one year in advance in order to obtain enough money for a

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Tuesday, Nov. 22
Girls Basketball: Potoskey here 8:30 p.m.
Rebekah Lodge No. 293 will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.
St. Mary's School Board will meet at the school hall 8 p.m.

Wednesday, Nov. 23
Union Thanksgiving Service will be held at the First Congregational Church at 7:30 p.m. under sponsorship of the Charlevoix Ministerial Association. Worshipers of all faiths are invited to attend.
Wed. & Thurs., Nov. 24-25
All schools will recess for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Thursday, Nov. 24
Thanksgiving Day... a time for parades, football, turkey and gratitude...

Friday, Nov. 25
Al-Anon Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.

Sunday, Nov. 27
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Monday, Nov. 28
Book Review Group of the Charlevoix Woman's Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Edward K. Shanahan, DeTars Court, 1:30 p.m. to hear Mrs. Kit Carson present a book review of "Tasha... A Story of an Alaskan Teacher". Members and friends are invited to attend.

Boy Scout Troop 11 will hold its annual popcorn sale from 6 to 8 p.m. with Scouts knocking on doors in the community during those hours.

Monday, Nov. 28
Freshman Basketball: Gaylord here 7:30 p.m.
Charlevoix County Chapter, Michigan Township Association, will meet at Northern Michigan Electric Co-op building in Boyne City 8 p.m.

Wrestling, Kalkaska, Bendle Central and Onaway will be in Charlevoix 8:30 p.m.

Wednesday, Nov. 30
Senior citizens in Charlevoix will call 536-7831 to register for Senior Citizens Health Screening. In Boyne City they will register at the Northern Michigan Electric

Thursday, Nov. 30
1977-78 Basketball Season will open with Gaylord here. JV: 8:30 p.m. Varsity: 8 p.m.

Cooperative, in Boyne Falls at the High School and in East Jordan at the Senior Citizens Center between 1 and 3 p.m. Those unable to go to the registration sites may arrange for registration by calling 536-7831. Sponsoring agencies are the Charlevoix County Commission on Aging and the Dept. of Health.

John Friedly \$5 winner. Call 547-6558. Void after 11:30-77.

Hesses move to Arizona

Iannottis purchase Hess Furniture

A Northbrook, Ill. couple has purchased Hess Furniture. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel R. Iannotti recently bought the Bridge Street store, according to George Richardson and Richard Georgi of Ski & Shore Properties commercial investment department, who handled the transaction.

The store was purchased from the Hess family. Ralph Hess, Jr., has managed the business, which he helped establish with his father, Ralph Hess, Sr., in 1949. Mrs. Iannotti will become the new manager of the store while Iannotti joins the commercial investment division of Ski & Shore Properties.

Mrs. Iannotti said the couple is not planning any employee changes at the store, but will be adding to the list of quality brand name furniture stocked in the store.

The new manager of Hess Furniture was associated with Puncoc of Potoskey as an interior decorator and has also operated boutiques, apparel shops and gift shops.

The Iannottis are not new to Northern Michigan. They were the builders and developers of Schuss Mountain ski resort in Bellaire when it started 14 years ago. Iannotti has been president of Schuss Mountain, Inc., chairman of the board and general manager. He remains a stockholder in the corporation.

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Parents Council planning Christmas bazaar Dec. 18

The Parent's Advisory Council at the Charlevoix Elementary School needs some help.

The group is planning to hold a bazaar at the elementary school from 2 to 5 p.m. Dec. 18 and they need Christmas gift and craft items and baked goods to sell.

"We are asking all parents, grandparents and interested citizens to contribute their time and talents to making items for the bazaar," Patty Muma, chairman of the event, explained.

"Even the elementary school children are helping by making useful, decorative items to sell at the bazaar."

Mrs. Muma said the committee was planning to make the bazaar a fun afternoon for the entire family. In addition to the gift and craft items that will be on sale, an old fashioned cake walk will also be held and clowns and Santa Claus will be present to add to the fun. The button machine will also be on hand along with hot dogs and popcorn for people who have the munchies.

Bazaar items may be sent to the elementary school from now until Dec. 17 when the bazaar will be set up.

"We need help to make this project a success," Mrs. Muma said. "We want to use the money raised at the bazaar to purchase needed equipment for the elementary school."

"We've had a good response from area businesses and from private citizens who have contributed to the project," Seese said. "They agree with the project and are happy to help us."

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Stroud proposal may be first step to merger

By PAULA HOLMES

As surely as winter comes after fall, talk of merger between the City of Charlevoix and Charlevoix Township comes after a few months silence.

Talk of merger came up again last week in coffee shops throughout the city and even at the Charlevoix Common Council meeting as word of Charlevoix Township Supervisor Oscar Stroud's proposed merger plan leaked out.

"If you were to take a poll in the township today, I think you would find that about 90 percent of the residents are against merger," Stroud said as he began to discuss his plan.

"This proposal is just an individual talking about what the township might consider. I'm not speaking for the township."

So why did he present the plan to Alderman Ray Wood and Mayor Edward Hansen over coffee?

"In the first place, the city has a petition before the county (board of) commissioners asking for a vote on the merger. The county has the authority to make the township hold an election."

Secondly, merger is a problem that can't be overlooked. As our population grows and other things happen, we are going to have to talk about merger if we want to or not.

"So we might as well get together and see if we can't settle this thing so that everyone is satisfied. It's

something township residents better think about."

Stroud is proposing a five-year plan for merger. Under his plan, a city council would be set up with three representatives from the city and three representatives from the township. These six people would oversee all merger activities.

During the five years, the taxes in the township would remain the same, which is not over three mills. All tax money raised from township residents would continue to be spent in the township just as city tax money would be spent in the city.

"This way the township could finish up any projects it has started such as the recreation construction program," Stroud explained. "It's only fair that we should

pay for that and not ask the city to finish it up."

Also during the five year period, the city would work on some kind of deal with REA for the purchase of all electric lines in the township. The water systems would also be connected during that time. The two fire departments would also continue to operate with their own officers and men, but they would go to the same fires.

"At the end of five years enough men will have dropped out that the two departments will be able to merge into one solid unit," Stroud speculated. "Also by that time they will know each other well enough to be able to form one group."

Stroud said the main concern of township residents about a merger is that they will lose representation and that the city only wants the township for additional tax revenue.

"The people really have quite a bit to say about how money is spent on where it is spent and they don't want to lose that when they merge with the city," Stroud said. "The township residents are concerned they won't get a fair shake if they merge."

Stroud felt there should be a provision, however, that if at the end of five years the merger conditions weren't being met, the township residents would hold an election and elect a new board.

"The five years will give us time to get climatized and we would find out whether it's going to work or not," Stroud pointed out.

Alderman Wood enthusiastically received the proposed merger plan.

"There's so much to be gained by a merger," Wood said. "We're all friends anyway. We don't know where property lines are and we

don't think of people as township or city."

"There's just good logic in uniting."

The common council member said Stroud's plan seemed to be well thought out. "I can't contribute any new ideas to the plan," Wood said. "I would be willing to go almost 100 percent with what he is suggesting."

Wood said he had heard some opposition to the make up of the council with three members from the city and three from the township, but he felt that a compromise could be worked out if city and township representatives would sit down together and talk about the proposal.

Mayor Hansen said he supported a merger and that he believed it would be better for both township and city residents if they did merge together. But he was wary of any written proposal for merger.

"Everybody always wants everything cast in bronze," Hansen said. "And you just can't do that."

CHARLEVOIX COURIER

The Second Front Page

REACT fund drive for CBs passes half-way point

A fund drive for the purchase of 10 CB (citizens band) radios and antennas for school buses operated by the Charlevoix School District is more than half-way to its goal.

Northeastern REACT (Radio Emergency Associated Citizens Team) No. 3433, which is conducting the fund drive, has collected \$500 toward its goal of \$900, according to Bill Seese, treasurer of the 22-member group.

"We've had a good response from area businesses and from private citizens who have contributed to the project," Seese said. "They agree with the project and are happy to help us."

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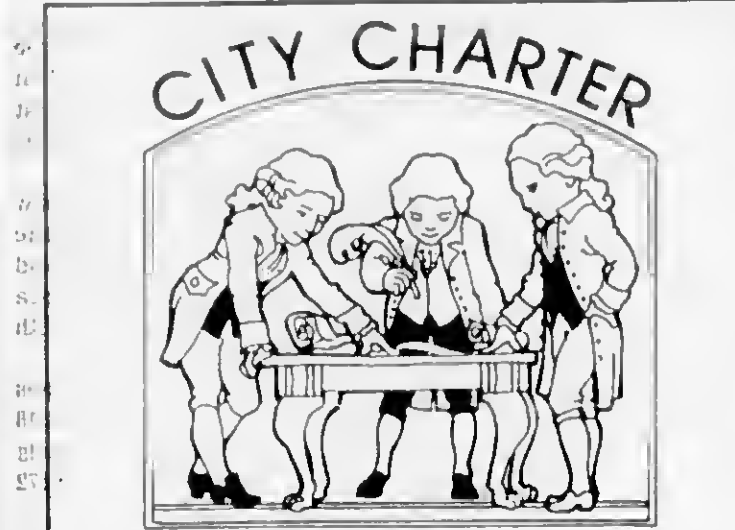
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CITY CHARTER COMMISSION

Questions-Answers

Why is the Charter Commission waiting until November 23 to publish the minute changes made in the second draft of the new City Charter?

The question seems to hint darkly at shenanigans by the Charter Commission. The simple fact is that state law specifies that a proposed charter be published in its entirety no earlier than four weeks and no later than two weeks before the December 12 election. The Commission is merely complying with this legal requirement.

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Editorials/Opinions

Mayor's abrupt firing of city administrator raises many questions

Politics took Charlevoix by storm last week as Mayor Edward Hansen exercised his rights under the Fourth Class Cities Act and fired city administrator Allen Sandberg.

Sandberg's dismissal was greeted with surprise by most of the common council members, although they did indicate that they had been dissatisfied with the administrator's performance.

The council members said they had expressed their displeasure to the mayor during a brief eight to ten minute executive session following a recent committee of the whole meeting, but the council members claim they never asked the mayor to fire the administrator and that they never voted on the issue.

Under the Fourth Class Cities Act the mayor can hire and fire without council approval.

Sandberg claims that neither the mayor nor common council members ever mentioned anything to him about the quality of job he had been doing. Further, the administrator said he felt he performed well within the system.

Mayor Hansen contends that when Sandberg was hired he was told he would be evaluated after working for the city for one year and that a decision would be made at that time to retain or dismiss him.

The abrupt firing brings up many questions about the operation of the City of Charlevoix.

It seems unfair and unreasonable that the city administrator can be fired on a moment's notice without prior indication by either the mayor or the council. Some sort of dismissal system should be worked out and put into use in

the future so that the city administrator is well aware of the fact that he is not performing as the mayor and common council would like to see.

If such a system exists now it should be put into use. As word of the firing spreads, and there is no doubt that it will, potential new city administrators will look askance at applying for a job with Charlevoix because of the instability of the position. The abrupt firing will injure any attempts at finding what the mayor and the common council consider qualified applicants for the administrator's job.

Also the relationship between the city administrator and the mayor and the relationship between the city administrator and other elected city officials and other department heads should be well defined before the next city administrator is hired.

No city administrator, not even the most qualified, can function without some guidelines or some indication as to the relationship between that position and others in the city. It appears that the recently fired city administrator and others before him were in the dark as to their position within the city hierarchy and eventually enough friction was created and the administrator had to be removed.

The answers to many of these problems are contained within the proposed new charter. Its adoption could bring about stability within city government. However, if the charter is not approved Dec. 12, the mayor, common council and the residents of Charlevoix should address these problems immediately to provide for improved operation of the city.

Want to Write to Your Men in Lansing or DC?

Want to write your man in Washington or Lansing? Here are the addresses of the two U.S. Senators and the U.S. Congressman from Michigan, the State Senator and the two State Representatives from the Charlevoix Courier's circulation area.

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U.S. CONGRESSMAN—Rep. Philip Ruppe (R), Woodland Road, Ithaca, Mich., 49731; or the U.S. House of Representatives, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

STATE SENATOR—Robert Davis (R), 301 E. Fourth St., Gaylord, Mich., 49735; or State Senate Chambers, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE—103rd District—Ralph Ostling (R), Route 2, Box 4735, Roseconm, Mich., 49633; 106th District—E. Dan Stevens, (R), Atlanta, Mich., 49706. The representatives may also be reached at the House of Representatives, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

We suggest you clip and save this for future references.

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Clockwise

by Bob Clock

The problem with Charlevoix and its city superintendents is that we have two men trying to do the same job. And the problem will remain until the charter is changed.

The Fourth Class City Act, as you will know, was written in 1895 and was designed chiefly for city municipalities with minuscule problems. An elected mayor, regardless of his capabilities, could usually take care of them all and still have time left over to run his hoberdashery.

There is no mention in the 4th Class City Act of a city superintendent, since the act was not intended to cover large, structured corporate organizations like Charlevoix. However, there is a provision that the mayor "by and with the consent of the council" shall appoint a number of city officers, including city assessor, city attorney, and city surveyor. Then the section says:

"The council may also, from time to time, provide by ordinance for the appointment of...such other officers whose election or appointment is not herein specially provided for..."

Until the election of Edward Hansen in the early 1970's, Charlevoix actually operated under an informal Council-Manager form of government simply by picking and choosing what it wanted from the Fourth Class City Act. We elected our mayor and council as prescribed, but the day-to-day operations of the city were delegated to full time city superintendents who actually ran the show. As they became familiar with city problems, their opinions were sought by the mayor and council before every major decision.

I can see Pat Hawley now, turning in his big swivel chair to face City Superintendent Jim Taylor: "What do you think about this, Jim?" Or Bill Fochtman turning to face Tom Hagman: "What would you suggest we do, Tom?"

But this isn't the way things have to be run under the Fourth Class City Act, which actually provides a strong mayor form of government. And if you elect a fellow mayor who wants to exercise his duties as mayor, you are bound to have a conflict with the superintended functions of the city superintendent.

At the risk of losing you, I would like you to listen for just a second to the duties of the mayor as set forth in the Fourth Class City Act:

"The mayor shall be the chief executive officer of the city. He shall

Leftover notes from a Washington notebook...

...Around the corner from our hotel in downtown Washington is a tiny deli-catessen with the world's most sophisticated clerks. A sign in the front window says: "All Languages Spoken Here."

"That store goes to a lot of trouble to sell 'bologna,'" my wife said. "I noticed the same thing at the White House," I said.

(Obviously, I married the woman for her straight lines).

...29 other columnists and I met with President Carter in the Cabinet Room, just a few steps from the Oval Office. We sat around the same long table where countless famous families have squirmed. I sat in the labor secretary's eluir, according to the engraved plaque on the back.

The chairs are made of rich wood and soft leather, well stuffed. They all look brand new, with no historical patina — no toothmarks made by John Foster Dulles while gnawing back at gnawing problems.

The chairs are all new because there is a rapid turnover of cabinet

members, and when each member leaves, he takes his chair home with him as a souvenir," a White House aide explained.

As a taxpayer, you might protest that it would be a lot cheaper if the departing statesmen simply swiped some White House ashtrays. Relax. The cabinet members pay for their chairs, currently at \$700.

Costs and cartage would be more manageable if cabinet members sat on the type of folding chairs rented by funeral parlors. The discomfort would be less Washington baloney rattling in the deli-catessen of the world.

I probably should be careful about solving all these big problems so quickly. If I don't cut it out, there won't be anything left for Ann Landers to do. ...The President of the United States must be the most pictured man in the world. When Carter entered the Cabinet Room for our press conference, the first 2 minutes were turned over to the photographers. Twenty-four of them (actual count) burst through a back door and began clicking furiously.

When the 2 minutes were almost up, a White House aide began a countdown,



Paula Holmes...

...Speaking Her Mind

On the wall in my office is a cartoon beautifully framed and matted. It hangs there to help me keep my perspective and to explain my function to visitors.

The cartoon depicts a man on his knees with his chin just about touching the floor before a king who is sitting on his throne. The kneeling man is saying "...and as I relate the following bad news, I hope your Majesty will bear in mind that I do not make the news, I only report the news."

Being in the news business is an incredibly exciting and interesting job. And like any other job it has its good and bad moments.

Never in any other occupation have I met as many people or learned as many things as I have while working for newspapers. I can honestly say that I learn something new every day. And in my book that's what life is all about. It should be a constant learning process and if you can make your job a part of that process, it's all the better.

Working for a newspaper is fun. I enjoy going to the athletic events, the band concerts, the Boy and Girl Scout activities and the salad luncheons at the various churches.

Being part of a newspaper has its serious side, too. And that serious side is covering local government, the expenditure of taxpayers' dollars and the

issues facing area residents. Believe me, that's a whole of a responsibility and a whole of a job.

But I love it. I love the challenge of trying to get the facts from both sides of the story and presenting them as fairly as possible. As I see it, fairness is the name of the game. As much as it is humanly possible I attempt to put both sides of the argument in every story I write.

I believe that newspapers should be a reference and resource for local residents to use to get the information they need to make intelligent decisions about things affecting their daily lives. At the Courier we do this through news stories.

Newspapers also serve a purpose as a forum for people to express their own opinions, and for the editor and reporters to offer their ideas, too. At the Courier our readers are invited to send letters to the editor or to call the Hotline with their opinions. The editor and reporters use columns like this one and the editorials to express their opinions.

And just as the staff of the Courier is free to say what they wish in the opinion columns, the readers are also invited to say what they wish in their letters or Hotline comments. The Courier wants to publish all sides of an issue. It is only through a comparison of the facts of all sides of the issue that people can make intelligent decisions.

I never go to a college reunion that I don't come away feeling sorry for all those pompously bawling kids trying to hang onto youth.

I feel sorry for the men too. Mayva and I always sit together. We seem to be the only two in the class who have fought the battle of middle age and won.

"How do we do it?" I whispered, watching the class of '49 dance away in mermaid darkness. "I feel like Marie Osmond at a Prune Festival."

"I know what you're saying," said Mayva. "I look at Ginger Horwich. Can you believe she's wearing glasses this thick? Blind as a bat."

"Where?" I asked, digging in my purse and holding my bifocals to my nose like a lorgnette.

"And what about Marcel Miller? Who is she fooling with that cat?"

"Mayva, as I have always said, 'You show me a woman in a cat and I'll show you a lot of fat that doesn't fit.' Incidentally, isn't that cat a lot like yours?"

"That vicious old broad," said Mayva. "Never has a kind word to say about anyone I'm going over and tell her how much I've missed her."

As Mayva left the table, I couldn't help remarking to my husband, "Mayva looks old. Wonder how long it will take me to start showing my age?"

"We do it all the time," he explained. "I guess the White House wants a photo record of the president's every moment, right up to his last moment."

Suddenly my memory triggered a motorcycle in Dallas and the Zapruder films.

Cheer up. ...The weather was grand, and we spent several hours walking around Washington, admiring the handsome buildings. Many of them contain the headquarters of huge organizations, such as the National Rifle Association, which likes to be near enough to the deli-catessen to lobby for their favorite baloney.

One of the most impressive buildings is at Fifteenth and M streets — the National Housing Center. Its glass front leans forward dramatically, like the Tower of Pisa.

"How would you like to wash these windows?" my wife asked. "I would jump over backward to do it," I said.

(I love that woman as much as Costello loved Abbott).

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Greg Shadko marks 80th birthday Friday

By PEG OHLE

It will be happy 80th birthday for Gregory Shadko of Charlevoix this Friday.

The Russian-born, long-time resident looked back on his past and continuing career in the field of engineering in a recent talk with the Courier.

He came to the United States, first to Chicago, with his family in 1912, and to Charlevoix in 1930. After attending Alma College and graduating from Michigan Agricultural College (now MSU) in engineering, he worked with the Michigan State Highway Department for 11 years. He then joined the old Conservation Department and worked as a CCC camp superintendent for five or six years.

He was still with the conservation Department when he came to Charlevoix, setting up public access plans for lakes, rivers and streams. It was the first public access program in the country.

"I worked in every county in the state," Shadko explains. "I had an office in the Charlevoix County Courthouse and three construction crews."

"I take special pride in having talked the State into buying and developing the public access at Ironton. I was also instrumental in opening the Ferry Avenue docking facilities in 1955. It was just a

piece of swamp. We made more improvements 19 years later. I also had a hand in developing Bell's Bay. My friend and neighbor, Clarence Rabach, and I got together to improve Bell's Bay and make it a camping site. We arranged to have a State crew brought in and have Bell's Bay cleaned out. The City helped by drilling a well and improving the road.

"I also took an interest in the environment when they started talking about Medusa. I opposed it without success, but I do take pride in helping prevent the State from selling 200 acres of land around Bell's Bay to Medusa."

Since retiring from the Department of Natural Resources (formerly Conservation Department) in 1967, Shadko has been busy with engineering projects for Charlevoix County, Charlevoix Township, and the City of Charlevoix. He was hired to engineer the sewer extension to Grandview Medical Care Facility, and later the water extension. He helped Charlevoix Township drill four deep wells, build two pump houses, and lay five and a half miles of water mains. He is still working for the Township, completing installation of water mains for two wells, and extending the mains along US 31 south and north.

As if that weren't enough, Shadko is finishing up a pumping station in East Jordan to raise the water pressure at Grandview and at

the Lake View plant there.

"All my life I have worked and worked hard," Shadko says, almost in defense of the vacation trip he and Mrs. Shadko now take.

"We like to travel," he adds. We have been to Western Europe, the Caribbean Islands, Central America, Japan, Eastern Asia, Australia, New Zealand, South Pacific Islands, Mexico, and Canada.

"We take time to travel. Lately we have been going to Florida for three months in the winter. We like it around the Key Biscayne Islands."

As to hobbies, Shadko says he used to hunt and fish and fly the owned two planes at one time. Now his main hobby is attending concerts, of which there are many in Florida.

Shadko, a widower, and Mildred Crump, a widow, were married in 1972. Shadko has a son, Warren, who graduated from Charlevoix High School in 1949, and is now in the investigative service branch of the Navy in Memphis. He, his wife and four children will be on hand to wish father and grandfather a very "happy birthday."



Greg Shadko

Davis representative to visit county area

Bill Huber, administrative assistant to Senator Ben D. Davis, will be in Charlevoix County November 22 and 30.

Huber will hold office hours from 12 noon to 1 p.m. at the Bay Township Hall in Horton Bay and from 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. at the Melrose Township Hall in Walloon Lake on November 22.

Outlines protection program

Clean water committee sets goals

A study of what should be done in this area to protect the quality of the water is nearing completion.

The Clean Water Citizens Advisory Commission, a group studying the quality of water in this area and the programs controlling water pollution is aiming at a February deadline for the completion of their proposed Clean Water Program for the Northwest Region.

Larry Levensgood of the District 3 Health Department and a Charlevoix County representative on the commission, said the group has outlined goals and policies it would like to meet and has set up several task forces to study specific clean water problem areas.

Levensgood, Bill Mercer, former county planner; and Bill Korthase, of the Charlevoix County Road Commission, represent the county on the clean water commission.

"The commission has been working under the premise that our water is relatively good when it is compared to the water of a more urbanized area such as Detroit or Cleveland," Levensgood explained. "So we have set as one of our goals the preser-

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New sanitarian joins health department staff

By PEG OHLE

Gordon Block is the newest Environmental Sanitarian at the District Health Department.

Block came to Charlevoix County from Ferris State College, from which he received a degree in environmental health last spring. He is a native of Big Rapids and a graduate of Big Rapids High School.

In his job as Environmental Sanitarian, Block has duties in some 20 fields, mostly inspection. They include food service, well permits, sewage disposal, mobile homes, children's camps, campgrounds, and public health nuisances. He is also charged with some public relations work, such as making talks to organizations.

"I got interested in the environment from an ecological standpoint," Block says, "then in school I became more interested in the public health aspect — the enhancement of public health through environmental control."

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Computer adds new dimension to middle school reading

By PEG OHLE

A new dimension has been added to reading at the Charlevoix Middle School—computer programming.

In addition to three teachers, Hal Evans, Lucy Martin and Nancy Nagurka, and two aides, Arlyssa Staiblin and Evelyn Noiro, reading students at the middle school get help in their studies from a computer located in Connecticut.

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Joy Marie Whitley marries Greg Greenman at Church of God

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The Reverend James Cranick performed the double-ring candlelight ceremony before an altar graced with arrangements of pink carnations and white pompones accented with blue.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley J. Whitley of Charlevoix, and the bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Greenman of East Jordan.

Complete her costume, she wore a white hat trimmed with a pink scarf.

Cousin Lynn Whitley, sister of the bride, and Cheryl Hall of Cedar Springs served as bridesmaids. Their gowns were similar to that of the maid of honor but the flare

of the skirt was trimmed with blue scarves.

Christine Dembinsky, cousin of the bride, as flower girl, wore a gown fashioned by her mother to match that of the maid of honor.

The rehearsal dinner, a wild game supper featuring barbequed bear ribs, was hosted in their home by Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Whitley.

The bride-elect, a 1977 graduate of the Charlevoix High School, is employed at the Char-Em Intermediate School District Service Center here. She is a senior at the Charlevoix High School.

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Their selections were "Walkin' Uptown" which features the banjo, "The Waltz You Saved for Me," "Margie" and "San Antonio Rose" all played within six minutes, the time allotted each entry.

Since 1974, Respiratory Therapy has been a full time department at the hospital.

Respiratory Therapy is one of the newest health care departments among hospital services everywhere," Larry Jacobs, Department Head explains.

"We take care of people with breathing problems, such as emphysema victims, asthma patients, people with cardiac arrest. We teach cardiopulmonary resuscitation, also," the certified respiratory therapist continued.

When Respiratory Therapy became an hospital department at Charlevoix Area Hospital, Physical Therapy was asked to share the space it already occupied.

And because of the growing out-patient load on other services, out-patient EKG (electrocardiograms for heart patients) joined Respiratory Therapy and Physical Therapy.

In fact, Larry Jacobs said, "When the emergency room is crowded, we provide extra space for them as well."

Head of the Physical Therapy Department, Joan Giggs showed a visitor her various pieces of equipment, designed to help the recovery of patients with arthritis, fractures, back problems, bioplastic tendons ("frozen shoulder") and stroke victims.

An exercise chair, parallel bars and other equipment stand in front of Respiratory Therapist Jacobs' equipment. Around a corner are two whirlpool baths, and machines for diathermy (deep heat), traction, and ultra sound.

"Doctors are more conscious of physical therapy," Mrs. Giggs explained, "We have a constant increase in patients."

Discussing the growth of demand on these services, Lab Chief Hooper said, "It reflects a greater demand by a greater number of physicians and a larger out-patient community."

That these departments are providing quality care was attested to by the recent Accreditation of the Charlevoix Area hospital by the Joint Commission on Hospital Accreditation.

The rapid growth of out-patient and in-patient use of these departments has created some inconveniences at times, but as Radiologic Technologist, Jerry Bremner observed, "While an emergency, which takes priority, may back things up a bit, the waits are still not as long as at many larger hospitals."

"Most patients are understanding," he emphasized. Space, not only to perform their vital work, but to store records has become a problem.

"We keep records for 5 years," the technologist explained. "We used to call the five year old films once a year. Now we must go through them every six months to squeeze in the new ones."

Record keeping is a space problem in the lab as well. And as Hooper points out the lab has recently added the capability to perform bacteriological tests in addition to hematology (blood counts), serology (tests on specimens for disease conditions) and blood chemistry tests (such as blood sugar tests).

The lab also contains the blood bank and the necessary equipment to perform all its functions.

Hooper would like to triple his working area and isolate certain sensitive areas, such as bacteriology.

"We run a lab here of which we're proud," he states. "We seek constantly to increase the depth of technical output of our lab. Striving to do a constantly better job, adding to our technical depth will mean taking on more jobs," Hooper explained.

Laboratory tests which require highly specialized and expensive equipment are sent out by daily courier service to

such labs as Little Traverse Division of Northern Michigan Hospitals or to Mayo Clinic in Rochester, Minn.

In each of these busy departments the story is similar. With the virtual doubling of the number of physicians on staff in the past several years and the population growth of the area, the hospital's usage was bound to reflect growth.

Richard Krueger, Hospital Administrator says, "These are the areas of highest priority for expansion in our long range plans."

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For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Whitley wore a light blue lace-trimmed gown, empire style, with a V-neck and crocheted lace trim.

The bride and bridegroom are at home in East Jordan. The new Mrs. Greenman is employed at the Essex plant in Boyne City and her husband is a dairy farmer.

Guests attended the wedding from Virginia, Wisconsin, Indiana, and several Michigan cities. (Photo Don Smith)



Mr. and Mrs. Greg Greenman



Jean Wallace

Ferris State College honors 3 area students

Three Charlevoix County students at Ferris State College were recently honored for scholastic excellence during the summer quarter. Those named were Stephen W. Gilewicz of Charlevoix,

Frank T. Winter of East Jordan, and Alfred J. Hass, III of Walloon Lake.

To receive honors, a student must earn at least a 3.25 average on a 4.0 basis and carry a full academic load.

Local grange band takes national title in music

CHARLEVOIX — It took an unknown trio of amateur musicians from the Barnard Grange to bring the Michigan Grange its first national talent prize in the word from Greensboro, N.C.

That's right—the first place winner in the instrumental category of the national talent contest in which there were 21 entries was Jasper and his Tag-Alongs who had gone to the national convention of the Grange after placing first at the state convention in Gaylord recently.

Members of the trio are Jasper Warner, guitarist, Mr. Leon (Delores) Pease, pianist, and William Stevens, guitarist, who were No. 20 in the order of appearance at the Greensboro Coliseum.

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Their selections were "Walkin' Uptown" which features the banjo, "The Waltz You Saved for Me," "Margie" and "San Antonio Rose" all played within six minutes, the time allotted each entry.

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Key departments at Charlevoix Area Hospital are feeling the results of the increasing patient load.

These departments—X-ray, laboratory, physical therapy, and respiratory therapy—are, in fact, bulging at the seams.

The X-ray department patient load has almost doubled in three years.

According to the hospital's radiology staff, and average of 720 X-ray procedures are now performed a month, whereas in 1974 the average was only 400 X-ray procedures a month.

In the lab, usage has tripled since 1974.

Chief Technologist, Jim Hooper said that about 1,000 tests were performed per month in 1974. This year the lab's average number of tests per month was 3,000, or about 100 tests per day, seven days a week, conducted by the staff of four.

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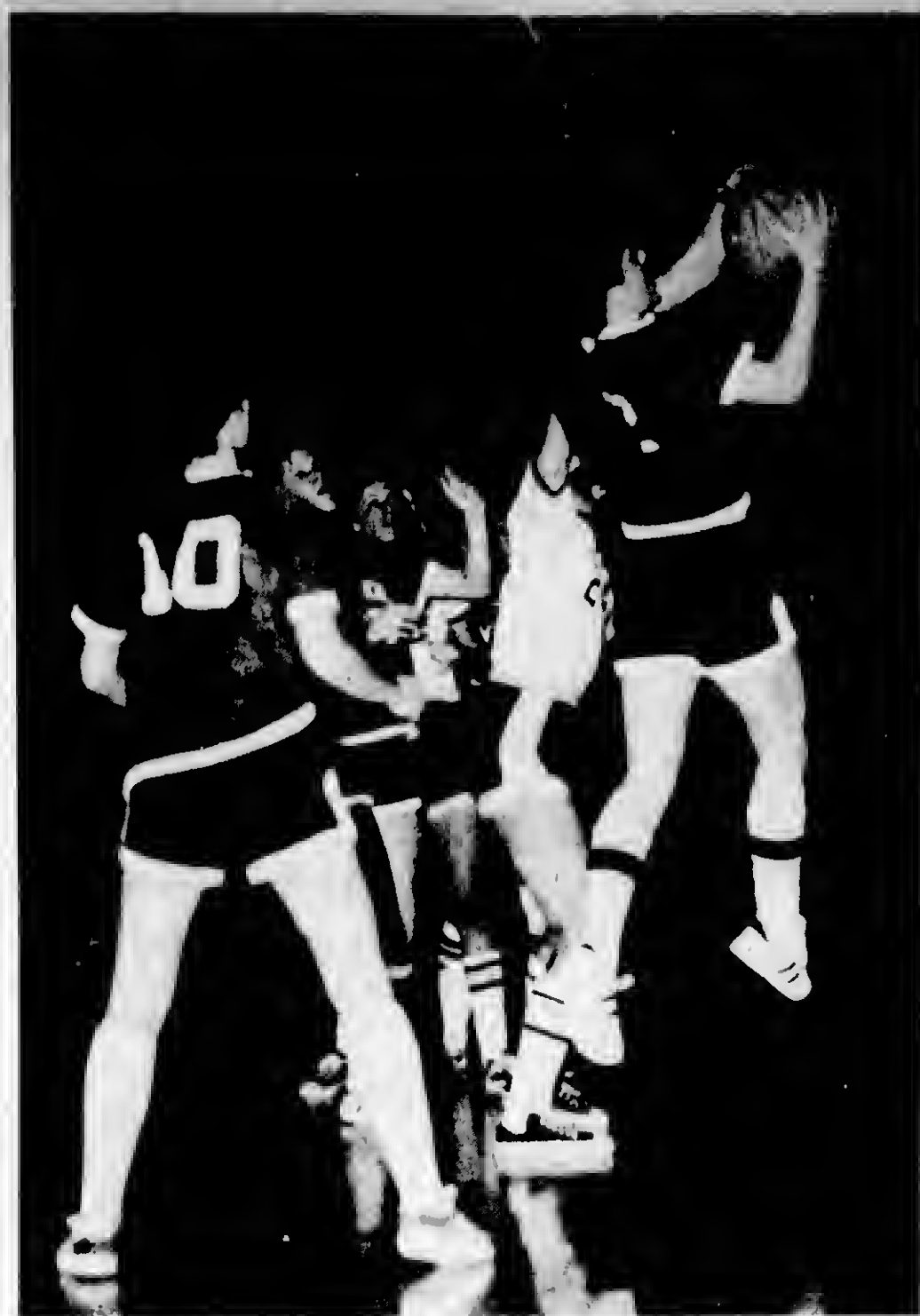
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JUST IN THE NICK OF TIME, a St. Ignace player gets a hand on the ball as Sherrie Selissen attempts to get a shot off. Sherrie was the top scorer in the Rayders' game against St. Ignace.



LISA FLOWER towers above the Boyne City players as she gets off this shot. The Rayders defeated Boyne City in overtime 49-48.

Girls varsity tastes victory



FIGHTING FOR possession of the basketball is Rayder's Sherrie Selissen and two Boyne City players. Charlevoix defeated Boyne City 49-48 in Thursday's play.



SHERRIE SELISSEN was all over the basketball court Thursday night as she took honors as the top scorer for the Rayders. The girls defeated Boyne City by one point in overtime play.



RAYDER'S LAURIE GIBBS goes up for a shot against a St. Ignace player. The Rayders had St. Ignace scored for the first three quarters, but finally lost the game to the Saints on Tuesday.



THE BOYNE CITY TEAM gave Charlevoix quite a battle Thursday night but the Rayders took the win 49-48 in overtime. Here Chris Lehman attempts to get off a shot.



CHRIS LEHMAN takes a pass from teammate Jackie Paul during the St. Ignace game. Chris had a good game against the Saints, tallying 10 points and playing a good defensive game.

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Girls varsity basketball team wins thriller in overtime

The Charlevoix Rayders girls varsity basketball team won a thriller last week from the Boyne City Ramblers. Charlevoix squeaked by Boyne City 49-48 in overtime on the Ramblers home court. "The team played really well," Coach Toni Felter said. "They were tough all night. They stuck to their defense and their offense worked well, too."

Coach Felter said Laurie Gibbs played an exceptionally fine game against the Ramblers, pumping in 10 points, capturing 20 rebounds, stealing the ball 10 times and having one assist.

Mrs. Felter also singled out Chris Lehman, Sherrie Selissen and Jackie Paul for the good game they played. Boyne City started the game out strong, taking the lead 14 to 9 in the first period. Charlevoix then dumped 15 points in the basket during the second period while Boyne City only hit for two points. In the third period Boyne City came back to add 14 points while Charlevoix only hit for four and then the two teams were tied up at 40-40 with Charlevoix adding 12 points in the fourth quarter and Boyne City adding two. Charlevoix made nine points

in the overtime period while Boyne City only hit for eight points. "Freethrows saved us," Coach Felter said. "We had a much better average than Boyne City."

Selissen was the high scorer for the Rayders with 15 points and Paul had 8. Dawn Tunn had 14 and Penny Grunow how 10 for the Boyne City squad. The Rayders also played well Tuesday against the St. Ignace Saints. The Rayders lost the contest after a tough fight 57-59.

"They looked tough until the fourth quarter," the coach said. "And then they fell apart."

St. Ignace took a three point lead in the first quarter 13-10. The Saints then edged their lead up to 26-22. During the third period the score moved to 37-32. During the fourth quarter the Saints pumped in 20 points to increase their lead over the Rayders and win the game. Selissen was the high scorer of the game with 18 points and Lehman had 10. DD Reddman had 10 points and Lisa TerAves had 14 for the Saints.

Tuesday will be Parents Night for the Rayders as they meet Potoskey in the Charlevoix High School gym.

Boys basketball teams ready to roll next week

The sound of bouncing basketballs has been echoing throughout the Charlevoix High School gym as the boys varsity and junior varsity basketball squads join the girls varsity and junior varsity teams in practice. The boys began practicing for the winter sport the Monday following the end of football season and have been working hard ever since.

Five lettermen are returning to the team this year including: Jim Alger, Kip Cinnamon, Neil Dziedzic, Jim Elzinga and Joe Left.

Seven members have moved up from the junior varsity squad including: Doug Buday, Bob Drost, Kevin Kratt, Gilbert Noiro, Bob Plumm, Pat Schmidt and Todd Williams. Senior Steve Schuch is new to the program this year and rounds out the team roster.

The Rayders will open their season next Tuesday when they meet Gaylord in the Charlevoix High School gym. Gaylord will be tough competition for the Rayders this year, according to head coach David Moyer. The coach

predicts Potoskey will also be a tough team to beat because of its exceptionally tall players. Moyer picked Rogers City as the toughest team in the league this year, however. "I think Rogers City will be the team to beat this year," Moyer said. "They only graduated one starter last year."

Charlevoix, on the other hand, graduated nine players last year including the starting five players.

"I think we will be competitive in the league," the

coach said. "One thing we've got going for us is the football season and the winning tradition of Charlevoix teams. The attitude is great right now."

Moyer said the team would be running a lot due to the fact that it is not a tall team. Left heads the height list at 6 feet 3 inches followed by Cinnamon, Drost, Plumm and Schuch at 6 foot 1.

The team will play a 19 game schedule this year. One team, Covert, dropped off the schedule for the year.

Nine Charlevoix players named on conference list

Nine Charlevoix Rayder varsity football players were among those named in the selection of the Michigan-Huron Shores All Conference Team.

Co-captains Tom Jones and Kip Cinnamon as well as Jim Elzinga, Greg Krueger and Harry Potter were named to the team. Quarterback Jim Alger, Pat Klooster and Neil Dziedzic received honorable mention on the all-conference list while Joe Left received special mention.

Gaylord, which finished in second place behind the Rayders for the 1977 football

season, had the next highest number of players mentioned in the all conference selection. Singled out from the Blue Devils team were: John Singleton, Chris Arnold, Stu Love and Kurt Lang, while Dan Arnold, Gary Galbraith and Chad Impellizzeri received honorable mention. From the Cheboygan Chaps, Dan Lange, Keith Moore and Lewis Rose were named to the all conference team. Roger Armantrant received honorable mention.

The Northern in Potoskey also had three members on the all conference team, Mark

Hoch, Sulo Otto, and Spencer Damschroder. From St. Ignace, Chuck Kahlfleisch, Dan Wyers and Mark Cryderman were named to the team and Ed Ope received honorable mention. Tom Dressel and Dan Schmitt of Boyne City were named to the team and Bryan Price received honorable mention in the all conference selection.

Rogers City contributed Mark Gruke and Jerry Buczkowski to the all conference squad and Grayling contributed Bill O'Mara and Mark Golick.

B League leaders continue to head winner's circle

The leaders of the Charlevoix Recreation Department B League continued in their winning ways this week.

Tri-City Asphalt routed First State Bank 59-37 in the first game of league action. Tri-City was off to a running start in the first quarter with a 16-4 lead over First State.

However, First State came back to tie up the score in the second period 22-22.

Tri-City surged a head 39-30 in the third quarter and then took the game 59-37.

High pointmen for Tri-City were Keith Klooster, 16, Mike Crain, 14, and Dave Norton, 17. Jim Gels had 15 points for

First State. In the second game of B League action last week, County State Bank downed Medusa 57-31. It was a close game for the first half with County Bank taking a slim 12-10 lead in the first period and then moving to a 27-19 lead in the second period.

The lead was still fairly small in the third period at 33-29, but County Bank moved ahead in the fourth quarter to take the game 57-31.

Top scorers for County State Bank were Larry Skippersgosh and Steve Martinus both with 14 points. Tom Morrison had 8 points for Medusa.

In the final game of B League action last week, Wojan Aluminum defeated Alray Cottages 46-38. Once again, this game was very close for the first three quarters. Wojan moved to 9-4 lead in the first period and then fell behind 22-18 in the second period. The game was tied at 30-30 in the third quarter and then Wojan pumped in 16 points to Alray's 8 to make the final score 46-38.

Top scorers for Wojan were Denny Younglake, 14, Don Ward, 11 and Clay Jones, 10. High scorers for Alray were Scott Blanchard, 14, and Dave Martineck, 10.

Bob's Sunoco takes 1st win during A League action

A new team joined the winner's circle in the Charlevoix Recreation Department A League Basketball.

Bob's Sunoco recorded its first win last week by defeating Site Planning 82-69. The team started out the first quarter one point behind Site planning 15-14. In the second period Bob's came back to lead 34-22 and continued to hold the lead in the third period 57-42.

High scorers for Bob's were Joel Donaldson, 18, Ken Derenzy, 16, Max Bolser and Jack Dunbar, 14 and Rick VanStedum, 12.

Terry Hissett had 15, Tim Carey, 14 and Paul Osterberg 11 for Site Planning.

Swansons was also in the winners circle last week as it defeated Foam Corp 67-58. Swansons had to come from behind a seven point lead by Foam Corps in the first period 18-11.

But once Swansons got the lead in the second period, 32-29 it never gave it up. Swansons led 49-42 in the third period. Top scorers for Swansons were Dave Moyer, 18, Bruce MacGillison, 17, and David Swanson, 11. Mike Streeter had 20 points for Swanson with

Dale Boss at 12 and Randy Holscheck at 11.

In the final game of A League play last week, Townhouse defeated Kadens 64-50. Like the other winners this week, Townhouse started out behind their opponents 15-11. The team came back to take the lead 32-26 in the second period and to hold onto it at 51-42 in the third period.

Leading scorers for Townhouse were Bill Carey with 13, Jerome Harris, 12 and Ike Boss, 10. VanAlstine had 13 and Keith Fitzpatrick, 10 for Kadens.



8th grade champs

THE CHARLEVOIX MIDDLE School girls 8th grade basketball team poses proudly with the trophy they won during a recent tournament. The girls played in a double elimination tournament at Cheboygan Middle School. The Charlevoix girls won third place after defeating Cheboygan Catholic, 22-15, and 34-20 and Gaylord, 24-20. St. Ignace took first and Cheboygan, second.

Junior varsity continues to add up the victories

The Rayder Junior varsity girls basketball team added two more wins to their string of wins last week. The JVs downed both Boyne City and Saint Ignace to maintain their first place standing in the league.

The Boyne City game was a low scoring event with the Rayders winning 29-19. "We hit 11 for 60 field

goals," Coach Henry Wagner said. "That's 18 percent from the floor. We had seven of 12 freethrows. "Usually we're 9 for 10." Wagner said that star scorer Melinda Klooster is still suffering from an injury that occurred Nov. 1 and that her shooting game is off. Klooster had 16 points in the game however. The Rayders game against

St. Ignace was a little better with the JVs winning 40-20. The score was 32-8 in the third period when Coach Wagner began substituting his players.

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The following cases were heard in Charlevoix District Court during the week ending November 18 by Judge David W. Fesher:

Don B. Simpson, 28, Boyne Falls, no proof of insurance. Plead guilty \$25 fine and costs.

William D. Taylor, 87, East Jordan, driving while under the influence of liquor. Found guilty by jury. Thirty days in county jail, \$245 fine and costs, restitution for court appointed attorney, and license suspended for two years without restrictions.

Dennis M. Ridgdon, 20, Charlevoix, speeding. Plead guilty \$50 fine and costs.

Todd M. O'Anna, 22, Ulica, disturbing the peace. Plead guilty \$85 fine and costs.

Anthony R. Morschke, 25, Warren, disturbing the peace. Plead guilty \$85 fine and costs.

Monie J. Follie, 17, Boyne City, breaking and entering. Examination waived, bound over to Circuit Court.

Clifford Baker, 18, Boyne City, breaking and entering. Examination held, bound over to Circuit Court.

Silvestro J. Ecker, 18, Boyne City, breaking and entering. Examination held, bound over to Circuit Court.

Richard J. Wagner, 37, Johannesburg, snagging. Plead guilty \$25 fine and costs.

Donald N. Baxter, 17, Boyne City, (1) breaking and entering, (2) receiving and concealing stolen property over \$100. Examination waived bound over to Circuit Court.

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix and Boyne City during the week ending November 18 by Magistrates Marilyn Blumman and Howard Talboys:

Reed E. Whippley, 63, Rockwood, Pennsylvania, snagging. \$45 County Jail, \$106 fine and costs.

Betty MacDougall, Charlevoix, insufficient funds check under \$50, pled guilty, restitution to the injured party.

James W. Avery, 33, Boyne City, no operator's license on person \$25.

James W. Avery, 33, Boyne City, speeding \$33.

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix District Court during the week ending November 11 by Judge David Fesher:

Betty MacDougall, Charlevoix, insufficient funds check under \$50, pled guilty, restitution to the injured party.

James W. Avery, 33, Boyne City, no operator's license on person \$25.

James W. Avery, 33, Boyne City, speeding \$33.

Philip Garrett, 28, Wadman, fishing with illegal hook, \$25.

James W. Allen, Jr., 48, Pellston, speeding \$30.

Elva J. Rokus, 37, Lyons, speeding \$30.

William Healy, 38, Birmingham, no tag license, \$25.

John Putnam, 22, Holland, speeding \$25.

Mary Engle, 31, Saginaw, speeding \$25.

Christine Osband, 42, Manistowic, speeding \$25.

Clark E. Taylor, Harbor Springs, speeding \$32.

Gifted

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mentor system under development. resource people who share an interest and expertise in a subject the students are studying will be used as a guide to further study in that area.

Students will be selected for the program through a case study approach. Miss Christensen explained. A screening committee of staff members will consider nomination forms from parents and other staff members. Standardized test scores and past and present academic achievement of all students will also be checked.

Following the initial nomination made in-depth forms designed by experts will be filled out and the final decision will be made by the screening committee.

Nomination forms will be sent home to all parents at the end of this week.

"It will be a long process and some people will probably be disappointed with the final selection," Miss Christensen said. "But it is important that we get started with the program."

"Academically talented students are one of the country's most neglected natural resources."

The teacher said a separate program had to be established to help the talented students because the teacher-student ratio in the regular classroom does not allow for the individualized attention that the time they need to work with talented students. Also the scheduling and curriculum in the classroom prohibits the

A separate program is also needed so that the students can interact with each other for the intellectual stimulation and challenge that they need, she said.

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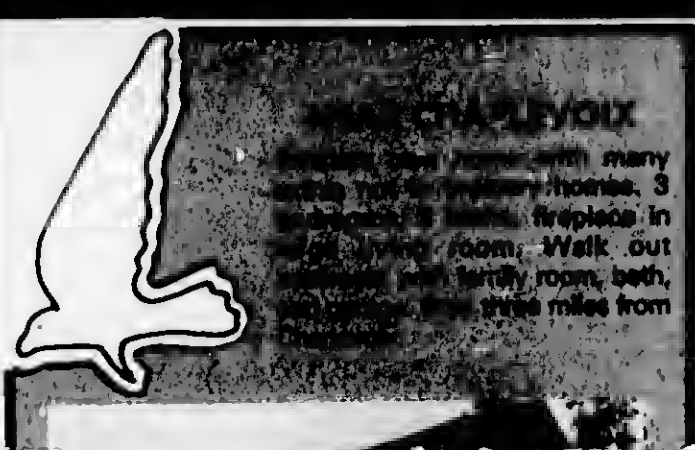
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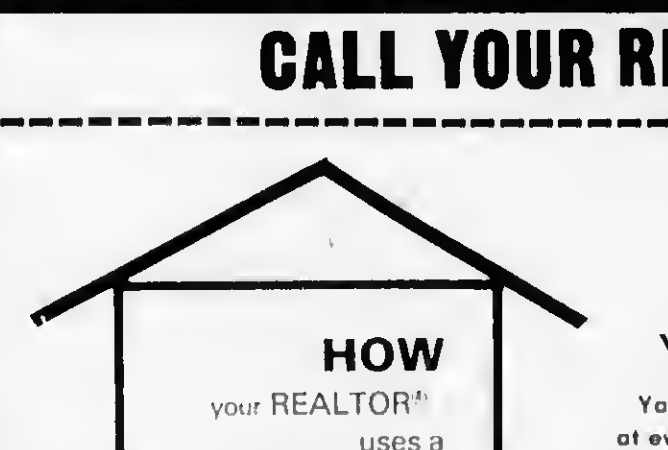
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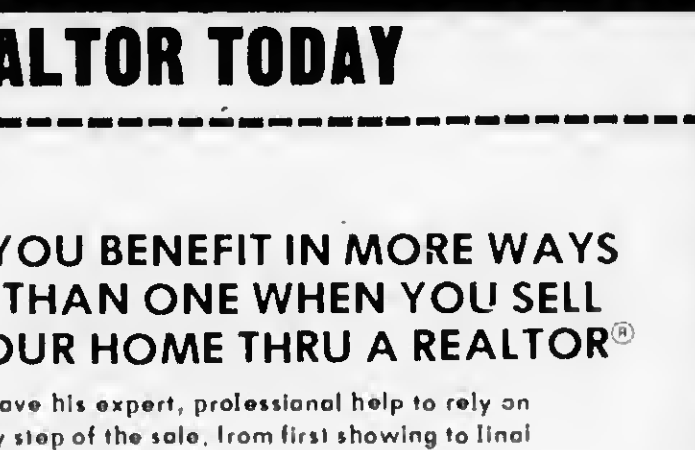


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101 Announcements

STILL AVAILABLE for Christmas giving: "Bob Miles' Charlevoix - A Century in Pictures." \$25 plus tax at the local bookstores, Shop of the Gods, or postpaid from Charlevoix Historical Society, Box 525 Charlevoix, MI 49720. (11-24fn-101)

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1972 CAPRI, 2-dr., auto. floor shift, radio, serial NO. GAECMA 26566. All winter bids must be presented at First State Bank of Charlevoix, 111 State St., Charlevoix, prior to 6:00 P.M., Dec. 2, 1977. Bank reserves right to reject any and all bids. (11-23-2-701)

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480 Real Estate

AT LAW has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and the statute in such made and provided, and to pay said amount with interest, as provided in said mortgage and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fee allowed by law, and all taxes and insurance premiums paid by the undersigned before sale, said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the mortgaged premises, at public vendue to the highest bidder at the main lobby of the Charlevoix County Court House in the City of Charlevoix, Charlevoix County, Michigan, on December 14, 1977 at one o'clock in the afternoon.

The premises covered by said mortgage are situate in the City of East Jordan, Charlevoix County, Michigan, and are described as follows:

Lot 6, Block B, S. C. Leman's Addition to the Village of South Arm (now City of East Jordan), Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof.

The redemption period as determined under Section 27A, 324 of Michigan Statutes. Annoted is 6 months from the date of such sale.

Dated: November 2, 1977.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix
Estate of MARIE SMITH, a/k/a Mary Ellen Smith, a/k/a Marie Ellen Smith, Dec.

TAKE NOTICE: On December 7, 1977, at 11:00 A.M., in the Probate Court, Charlevoix, Michigan, before the Hon. John T. Murphy, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the petition of Anna M. Ricksgers for the granting of administration to Anna M. Ricksgers, or some other suitable person and for a determination of heirs, and for a license to sell real estate of said deceased. Persons interested in said estate are directed to appear at said hearing to show cause why such license should not be granted. Creditors of the deceased are notified that all claims against the estate must be presented to said Anna M. Ricksgers, 1714 Shields, Detroit, Michigan 48212, and proof thereof, with copies of the claim, filed with the Court on or before February 1st, 1978 at 11:00 A.M. Notice is further given that the estate will be thereupon assigned to persons appearing of record entitled thereto.

Dated: November 16, 1977

Ann M. Ricksgers
Petitioner
1714 Shields
Detroit, Michigan 48212

Attorney for Petitioner:
HOFFMAN & HOFFMAN
Robert L. Hoffman
100 Belvedere Avenue
Charlevoix, Mich. 49720
Phone (616) 547-2941 (11-23-1)

He is survived by a son, Clare L. of Salem, Oregon; a daughter, Mrs. Robert (Joyce) Horchard of Auburn; four grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Florence Mosher of Bay City and Mrs. Myrtle Decker of Libby, Wyo., and a brother, Marion, of Clarkston, Wyo.

The family suggests that anyone wishing to honor his memory may contribute in his name to the United Methodist church.

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Ted Feller	200		
Archway Cookies	13	23	1
Midwest North	12	24	1
EARLY BIND MIXED DOUBLES			
November 13, 1977			
By Clara Forsell			
Finley Wade	15	5	1
Thermin Pittman	13	7	1
Reinhart Bendle	10	10	1
Big Titen	9	11	1
Seese Moussetau	9	11	1
Avery Grams	9	11	1

1978 SCHEDULE			
Wednesday	January 11	1:00 P.M.	AT Petoskey
Wednesday	January 18	1:00 P.M.	AT Boyce City
Wednesday	January 25	1:00 P.M.	Grayling HERE
Wednesday	February 1	1:00 P.M.	Cheboygan HERE
(Schuss Mt.)			
Wednesday	February 8	1:00 P.M.	Gaylord HERE
Friday	February 17		REGIONAL
Monday	February 27		STATE FINALS

27% at high school take off for hunting

Deer hunting season took its toll on the Charlevoix School District last week.

The halls of Charlevoix High School were a little less crowded as 173 students or 27 percent of the enrollment at the high school asked for prearranged absences so they could go deer hunting when the season opened last Tuesday.

A typical school day would find about 5 percent of the students absent, according to Superintendent Gordon Van Wieren.

INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES			
Nora Lewis	486		
Myra Hoffman	466		
Marilyn Swanson	462		
Beth Skel	453		
INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME			
Esther Livingston	187		
Nora Lewis	186		
Rose Smalley	171		
Myra Hoffman	169		
TURKEY ROLL WINNERS			
Nora Lewis	666		
Esther Livingston	240		
Myra Hoffman	469		
Myra Hoffman	160		
SENIOR LEAGUE			
November 14, 1977			
Townhouse	27	13	1
Puffs	26	14	1
Cass Supply	25	15	1
State Wide	24	16	1
Disuns	23	17	1
Borths	22	18	1
Paul Bunyan Lanes	21	19	1
Swanson's	20	20	1
Ogert Roofing	20	20	1
Elting Insurance	19	21	1
Murducks Famous Fudge	19	21	1
Julietts	17	23	1
Central Drugs	16	24	1
Charlevoix Redi Mix	15	25	1
Midwest North	13	27	1
HIGH TEAM SERIES			
Paul Bunyan Lanes	2507		
Townhouse	2476		
Borths	2461		
INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME			
Harvey Broadway	222		
George Kraft	222		
Roger Crain	213		
Bob Dickerson	206		
Art Sutton	203		
Ted Feller	200		
George Jordan	200		
TUESDAY NIGHT LADIES LEAGUE			
November 15, 1977			
American Mold	269	171	
Spills converted by Dee Smith	181		
5-8-10, Barb Finley 2-7-10, JoAnne Carlson, Dolly Coen 5-7, Sue Holm, Lynette Webb 5-7, Kathie Leonard	255	185	
Wharfside Market	233	207	
Medusa Cement	232	208	
WEDNESDAY NIGHT LADIES			
November 16, 1977			
Keystone Concrete	296	254	
Oleson's	295	255	
Lutheran's	293	257	
St. Mary's	272	278	
Atwood Reformed	268	282	
Holm Auto Sales	267	283	
Community Reformed	250	291	
Browe Electric	250	300	
TEAM HIGH SERIES			
Oleson's	2467		
Atwood Reformed	2452		
TEAM HIGH GAME			
Oleson's	861		
Atwood Reformed	847		
INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES			
Louis McKenzie	581		
Frank Burger	544		
Verl Wolgast	514		
INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME			
Glen Taylor	273		
Bryan Strooks	259		
Randy Rus	205		
Louis McKenzie	202		
Verl Wolgast	202		

Thanksgiving FAVORITES

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BIRDS EYE COOL WHIP
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Proposed Charter for the City of Charlevoix

Approved by the
Charlevoix Charter Commission
 Oct. 4, 1977

Special Election
 December 12, 1977

Quo-noj-won an-dah-noo-kee-ing
 baa-kad beh-mot-zee-ing.
 Keen-nah-weh-sah an-dah-noo-kee-ing
 Shang-gwok-o-zee-beeng
 bok-san-dah-meh chee-ish-pan-dah-mong
 O-geh-ma-win.

(Ottawa)

Nature achieves beauty through order. The Citizens of Charlevoix desire to insure beauty in their lives through the good order of their government.

The Charlevoix City Charter has been formulated to provide a practical tool. Let it be truth in action and let us proceed into the future with confidence and stability.

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ARTICLE I
 Establishment of City Government

Section 1.1 City Boundaries

The municipal corporation heretofore established and now existing and known as "The City of Charlevoix," shall

continue as a municipal corporation under the same name, and the boundaries of the City now existing when this Charter takes effect shall continue in force until changed in accordance with law.

Section 1.2 Ward Boundaries.

Alteration Thereof

The City of Charlevoix, Charlevoix County, Michigan, shall be divided into three (3) wards with their several boundaries described as follows:

First Ward: All that territory embraced within the corporate limits of the city lying North-easterly of the following described line: Beginning at the intersection of the center line of Lower Pine River Channel with Lake Michigan; thence Southeasterly along the center line of said lower



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Community Calendar

Fran Martin
547-4433

Tuesday, Nov. 29
1977-78 Basketball Season will open with Gaylord here. JV: 8:30 p.m. Varsity: 8 p.m. Men's Prayer meeting 8 a.m. Community Church of God.

Wednesday, Nov. 30
Wrestling: Kalkaska, Benzie Central and Oshtemo here with Charlevoix 6:30 p.m. Senior Citizens in the Charlevoix area call 536-7831 to register for health screening 1-3 p.m. In Boyne City the site to register is the Northern Michigan Electric

Thursday, Dec. 1
Co-operative: In Boyne Falls the high school and in East Jordan the Senior Citizens Center. Persons unable to come to registration sites may call Miss Pelton at 536-7831. Sponsoring agents are the Charlevoix County Commission on Aging and the Dept. of Health.

Friday, Dec. 2
Freshman Basketball: Cheboygan here 7 p.m. Charlevoix Rod and Club Pancake Supper at clubhouse 6:30 p.m. with business meeting at 8 p.m.

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Charlevoix County Planning Commission will meet at the county building annex at 8 p.m.

V.F.W. Auxiliary will meet at the post home 8 p.m. Hostesses: Mrs. Thomas Hodgkinson and Mrs. Frank Novotny Jr.

Northern Michigan Community Mental Health Services Board will meet at the Administrative Office, 325 E. Lake St., Petoskey 8 p.m. Men's Prayer meeting, 7 a.m. Community Church of God.

Northwest REACT No. 3433 will meet at the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department in Charlevoix 8 p.m.

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DEBBIE HOMICH plays the part of Peter in "Peter and the Wolf", which will be presented by the Interlochen Arts Academy Dance Ensemble Friday evening at the Charlevoix Elementary School.

Interlochen ensemble to perform here Friday

The Interlochen Arts Academy Dance Ensemble will return to Charlevoix and East Jordan this week with a program featuring "Peter and the Wolf."

The evening public performance in Charlevoix will be at 8 p.m. Friday evening in the Charlevoix Elementary School. In addition to this performance for the public, there will be one for the Charlevoix Middle School at 10 a.m., and one for the Charlevoix Elementary School at 1:30 p.m. on Friday.

There will also be a workshop program for

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TREASURE ISLAND

Residents propose 3 marina classifications

New zoning classifications, designed to protect the marina and commercial fishing business in Charlevoix, have been proposed to the Charlevoix Common Council.

A citizens committee has proposed that the common council include three new classifications-marine commercial, marine commercial scenic, and commercial fishing.

As the proposed ordinance now stands, all of the land surrounding Round Lake and some of the land along Lake Charlevoix where marinas and commercial fishing businesses are currently operating, fall into planned

development (PUD) zoning. However, marinas are not listed among the many uses included in the PUD zoning section of the proposed ordinance.

Alarmed by the lack of zoning for marinas, a group of city residents approached Mayor Edward Hansen and the common council about preparing some zoning classifications they felt would adequately cover their land.

The group, headed by Tom Duke, presented its ideas last week.

Calling the PUD zoning classification "particularly undesirable designation" and "petty, underhanded and disastrous" the group proposed that all land along Belvedere Avenue and fronting on Round Lake and all the land along Ferry Avenue and fronting on Lake Charlevoix fall under a marine commercial zoning classification.

Land in this classification could be used for municipal or private docking, launching or the handling or servicing of boats, beaches and recreation areas and would also include retail businesses which supply products for people using the facilities of the district.

Much of the land proposed to fall under the marine commercial classification is already being used in this

manner.

A second classification, commercial scenic, was written to cover the land along Park Avenue and fronting on the Pine River channel. Uses in the district include: florist shops, boutiques, clothing stores, party stores, banks, professional offices, restaurants, taverns, lodge halls, private clubs and multiple dwellings.

However, because the businesses will be located in particularly visible locations, they must provide site plans and renderings showing that all elevations will be faced with attractive materials.

The committee proposed that the property housing the former Charlevoix Lumber Company fall into this classification.

"This is the type of zoning that the people who own property want, this is the type they are using and this is the type they can live with," Duke pointed out in his presentation.

"The zoning classifications are based on various recommended uses of the waterfront areas by the owners of the property."

John Cross, whose husband operates John Cross Fisheries, was pleased with the way that the three zoning classifications turned out.

"Under the PUD zoning there was nothing for marinas," Mrs. Cross pointed out. "This provides for us and is good for our needs."

"We tried to keep Round Lake a natural harbor and I think this will help."

Phil Lawrence of Fairport Marina, also approved of the

CHARLEVOIX COURIER

The Second Front Page

Two developers vieing for housing commission nod

Charlevoix Housing Commission plans to develop a senior citizen housing complex in the city have been on the back burner for the past few months.

But last week things started to heat up again.

Housing commission members, faced with a search for a developer for the senior citizen complex just a few short weeks ago, now all of a sudden have two developers working for them.

The commission has been interviewing several private developers who are interested in constructing a

senior citizen housing project in Charlevoix. When the housing commission went to a meeting of the Charlevoix Common Council to seek approval of Wiggins and Company of Grand Rapids, as the developer for a housing project in the city, it found that another company, Tempo of Ada, had been working on the purchase of a site for a complex for the past six weeks.

The commission has been interviewing several private developers who are interested in constructing a

working to find a site for the senior citizens complex and both companies were attempting to purchase the same property.

"We're going to have to have a party with the common council and work this out," Mrs. Dinwiddie said. "But really there's no reason why we can't work with both developers. In Alpena for instance, they are working with four developers at the same time."

"Whoever comes up with a package, whoever is successful in getting funding will be the developer."

The housing commission has been working on plans for a senior citizen complex for three years without much success. However, things are looking up now.

"Several different funding programs have come out and we're quite optimistic about getting funding," Mrs. Dinwiddie said.

"It's been a terrible frustrating three years, but things are looking up now."

CITY CHARTER COMMISSION

Questions-Answers

I seem to remember that before the July 12th vote someone questioned the need for the "double service charges" provided by the new charter. What's this all about?

You'll have to ask whoever put that question. We can only suppose this refers to charges related to furnishing municipal utility services which, along with utility rates themselves, are "no higher than necessary to cover the costs of such utility, including depreciation, capital improvements, and the creating and maintaining of an emergency fund". Since there won't be any build-up of surpluses to be siphoned into the general fund, we should all wind up paying less overall for utility rates and charges. New accounting methods might call for some particular charges to go up and others down, to reflect true costs - but you'll have to ask the poser of that question why, or any, such charges should double under the new charter. If it's the inclusion of depreciation as a cost item that's causing the confusion, don't be misled. We'll pay, out of rates and charges, only once for any capital investment-not twice, as might be suggested. Will my taxes go up 90 percent under the new charter?

Who wants you to think so? And why?

Of course they won't! The new charter sets a limit of 15 mills-the same as presently set by the Fourth Class Cities Act. But there's this big difference: under the new charter you'll have all seven top officials-the mayor and the six Council members who directly elect-mighty concerned about what you think of the way they're spending money and levying taxes, instead of just the mayor and two Council members from your ward. So there'll be a lot more incentive for the Council to keep taxes down.

It's been said that under the proposed charter "your representation will be a little more remote" and "harder for you to get at when you're disgruntled about something". True?

False. You'll vote for the mayor and all six Council members-all seven top city officials. And all seven will be sensitive to what you think and say about what they're doing. You'll have real leverage to get four Council members to see it your way-a majority. As it is, you're voting for only the two Council members from your own ward-only half a majority-and for the mayor. The new charter gives you real influence with 7 of the 7 top officials-not just the 3 you vote for now.

How about 2 cents for your thoughts on killing penny

There's still time to put in your 2 cents worth to save the penny.

The days may be numbered for the half dollar, and the silver dollar may be in for a squeeze. But the penny-as old as the nation itself-can still be saved from extinction.

The penny-penny problem is its popularity. Millions of people save pennies, socking them away in piggy banks, old jars, and dresser drawers. Such rainy-day reserves account for 21 percent of the nation's pennies, says the Treasury, with another 10 percent listed as lost.

But pennies are needed. Some 11 billion of them were minted in 1976, and we'll need 12 to 15 billion by 1980, and 25 billion by 1990.

When copper went to war in 1943, over a billion pennies were made of steel coated with zinc, producing dull grayish coins.

The Treasury became penny-wise a few years ago when a survey recommended not only the penny be scrapped, but that no more half-dollars be made and that the dollar coin be squeezed down to the size of a quarter.

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Editorials/Opinions

City, township residents should discuss merger, settle peacefully

Another proposal for the merger of the City of Charlevoix and Charlevoix Township has come up for discussion.

Township Supervisor Oscar Stroud, speaking as a township resident and not in his official capacity, has proposed a five-year plan for merger.

The supervisor suggests that under the direction of a common council composed of three city residents and three township residents, a slow but sure merger of the water systems, fire departments, sewer systems, electrical systems and recreational facilities could take place.

Also the tax rate in the township would remain the same with only township tax monies being spent in the township and only city monies being spent in the city during the five-year period, according to Stroud's plan.

The township supervisor warns that most township residents do not want a merger, but he believes it is an issue that township residents should address. Stroud wants the township residents to be able to merge under conditions that they want and not have it forced on them.

Merger proposals won't go away if they are ignored. They keep coming back because the merger represents something that will benefit everyone.

Merger is inevitable. The township and the city need each other and the resources that

each has to offer. The city can offer the township police protection they don't have now and expanded water, sewer, electric and recreational facilities.

The township, on the other hand, offers the city a place to grow to and human resources for improved government.

Together the two communities could meld into one beautiful unit striving toward the same goal. As it is, the two governmental units are running head to head against each other.

And because the two units don't get along, and are suspicious of each other even though they work, live and play together, large amounts of taxpayers money have been wasted in setting up separate water systems, separate fire departments and separate sewer systems.

Before another dollar is spent on separate systems, before another comment is made widening the rift between the township and the city, officials from both units owe it to their constituents to sit down together and try to work out an agreement for merger that would be palatable to everyone.

After all it is the elected officials' duty to act in the best interest of the residents of the City of Charlevoix and Charlevoix Township. And a plan that is agreeable to everyone can accomplish it.



You tried my eggs for 230 TMUs — and the federal gov. must spend \$46,000 to tell you it takes \$38!



Clockwise by Bob Clock

If I were 30 years younger, I think I'd go into medical research. There are so many tantalizing riddles in the field of medicine that need solving. For example: What about that report from France a few years ago that cancer is a virtually non-existent among youngsters who have been vaccinated against tuberculosis. Are the vaccines still showing immunity to cancer after a long period of time?

Have there been any correlated studies among populations still plagued with TB and their resistance to cancer. For example, the Japanese, American Indians and black Africans?

Is it coincidental that the increase in cancer in the United States came after TB had been virtually wiped out, thanks to streptomycin and improved surgical techniques?

Are any studies in progress as to the incidence of cancer among former TB patients in the United States?

If super-active immune systems do play a key role in the incidence of cancer, what lies in store for our youngsters whose immune systems have been altered by school-mandated vaccines covering a multitude of childhood illnesses? Will they be as active, more or less active than they are in children who missed a few days of school suffering from measles or whooping cough?

Is any research under way in the area of nutrition and arthritis?

With the arrival of the holiday season, victims of one form of arthritis — gout — are terrible aware once again of the insidious connection between their malady and the Thanksgiving turkey. I hadn't had a twinge of gout for months, until I ate a turkey thigh on

Thanksgiving. The next day my elbow was hot and inflamed. If I had stuck with white meat I would have been OK, but the dark meat has all the flavor. Live and learn! No, I do it every year.

Since there is a definite link between gout and what is consumed, it would almost follow that the same connection exists between other forms of arthritis and diet — either in the form of a deficiency, or of an allergic reaction to certain foodstuffs. Perhaps the problems lies with metabolism. For some reason the body does not utilize food the way it should.

One of the most puzzling aspects of arthritis are the long periods of remission experienced by many patients. What happens to the body during those periods that is different from the normal course of affairs? Have certain foods have been added or removed from the diet? Do they occur during periods of emotional turmoil or emotional stability?

There are so many questions that need to be answered. I can see entire medical careers being spent asking questions, taking notes and collating information.

From here it appears that mankind's ills fall into five general classifications: (1) Those he was born with; (2) Injuries; (3) Diseases caused by microorganisms; (4) Degenerative diseases; and (5) Nutritional deficiencies.

But as late as 1977 the best medical minds in the country would be hard put to place either cancer or arthritis under any one of the five categories and have it meet with the approval of their colleagues.

Anyone for medical school?

Fochtman on charter

Editor: There were some comments in the Courier regarding the lack of good comments regarding the old City charter. As every one should know by now we are now functioning under State Law.

One of the good things about the present charter is that it does provide for the suspension of any one appointed by the mayor by a set procedure. Basically this same procedure was set up in the new charter. If anyone wants to look it up it is in chapter 7, 87.3 of the old charter.

The old charter also has a section in it

regarding the leasing of docks and wharves. In chapter 17 it says that docks and wharves shall not be leased for a period of more than 5 years. Here again this has been incorporated in the new charter but has been expanded to include all leases.

Maybe the city attorney should spend some time looking over the present charter before any more leases are drawn up and give the Council some advice. After all, this is what he is being paid to do.

Everyone can remember where they were when they first heard about the bombing of Pearl Harbor, or the assassination of John Kennedy.

I can remember where I was, in 1944, when I first heard about Swainson's terrible wounds.

Swainson had been a high school football star, one of the best-known young men in our small town. He was handsome and bright, the boy that every mother hoped her daughter would bring home for dinner.

Many people cried at the loss of his legs, including me.

To be honest, my tears were partly for what had happened to John, and

Wish could 'hark' for John

partly for what might happen to me. I was a soldier home on furlough at the time, about to go overseas.

It was only a year or so later that John Swainson was back home, jitter-bugging on artificial legs at the sorority dances in the Masonic Temple. It was a grand thing to see him dance that way.

He was a real man and he went on to prove it in many ways, ultimately winning election to the highest office in the state. We were all so proud of him.

This week John Swainson was arrested for drunk driving and possession of marijuana. He conceded he might have had a little too much to drink that night because it was the 33rd anniversary of the day a land mine blew off his legs, and he was melancholy.

Some unknown person must have put a marijuana cigarette in his coat pocket, Swainson said.

So here is yesterday's hero, once again in trouble, and once again his admirers are torn between compassion and scorn.

2 years ago he was convicted of lying to a grand jury, forced to quit the Supreme Court and suspended from



...Speaking Her Mind

Sometimes it seems like getting my family to spend the holidays with me is like putting in a bid to get the Olympics located in Charlevoix. I have to vie with all the other relatives and offer something the family can't get anywhere else.

So this year, early in November, I put in a bid to have Thanksgiving at my house. Usually I spend Thanksgiving without my family because the holiday is too short and the trip too long to try and be with them.

As I surveyed all the pots I had going, my glance stopped at the turkey. I had gotten it stuffed without any problems and into the roaster. But for some reason it looked strange to me. However, it was browning well so I didn't give it a second thought.

After all, this was the second time I had cooked a turkey dinner. How hard could it be?

At that moment my family walked in the door and I didn't give the turkey another thought until about an hour later when I asked my mother to take a look at it to determine how close it was to being done. I also mentioned that the turkey was a little funny looking to me.

Mom took a look at the turkey and then started laughing.

"You've got it in here upside down," she said. "Of course it's funny looking."

Embarrassed, I helped her flip the turkey over and just a little while later we sat down to dinner. The turkey didn't taste any different and it certainly got cooked a lot faster.



Erma Bombeck

I'm always intrigued with those picture stories they do on the President of the United States that compare how he looked when he entered office and how, within a few short months, it has aged him.

There was one in the paper last week of President Carter. The article was quick to point out that within just 11 months in office, there were 'new furrows in his brow, deeper creases in his cheeks, fresh lines around his eyes and more flesh beneath his chin, suggesting an aging process unrelated to time.'

Big deal! Beside Delores Finkoff who just taught her teenage son how to drive, he looks like Ronnie Osmond at a Prune Festival. Delores was a beautiful girl...taut skin, smiled easily, with deep-set eyes that looked right at you when you talked.

"He sidwiped my mailbox, ran down a 200-year-old blue spruce, and sunk the rear wheels over the septic tank."

"You can't go on like this. 'You're looking more like Abraham Lincoln every day. President Carter looks better than you."

"Why shouldn't he?" she snarled. "All he's got is the energy program, Lance, the Panama Canal and Andrew Young."

We heard the wheels spin, the brakes screech and a garbage can rolled into the street. "Wait! I'm getting her temps. You'll never see those straight, white, smiling teeth again."

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Meet Charlevoix

...Edith Harris

Edith Harris is one of the many born-in-Charlevoix persons who spend a large part of their lives elsewhere but returned "home" to spend their retirement years. This week the Courier talks with Miss Harris about some of her present-day interests.

COURIER: Did you attend school in Charlevoix?

HARRIS: I started school here, but my father was a civil engineer and we moved around a lot. We moved to Detroit just before our class was to learn fractions. The class in Detroit had already finished with them. That's the way it was, but when I got to high school my mother put me in a boarding school in Sycamore, Illinois. I spent four years there.

COURIER: What did you do after you finished high school?

HARRIS: I worked for some time in a book department at Marshall Field's in Chicago and also did office work, but we always came back to Charlevoix in the summers.

COURIER: That's quite a book department, isn't it?

HARRIS: It certainly is. They could sell catalogs! They could sell books to keep busy these days.

HARRIS: I make hand and string puppets and tell stories to children. I also read a lot.

COURIER: How did you become a story teller?

HARRIS: Because of my father's work, we lived in a lot of construction camps, far out where there were no libraries or book stores. My mother used to tell me stories for entertainment and I began telling myself stories. When I lived in Chicago, I was president of the Story League there.

COURIER: What children do you tell stories to?

HARRIS: Last week I went to Traverse City to tell stories to the sixth grade students. Last summer, Julia Baer invited me to the Girl Scout Camp down there. To tell stories and bring my puppets. I've also talked to the children at Interlochen, and pretty soon, when the fourth grade class here studies Africa, I'm going to talk to them about African folklore.

COURIER: What kinds of stories do you tell?

HARRIS: Fables, folklore, Thanksgiving tales, Christmas legends, things like that.

COURIER: What kinds of books do you like to read?

HARRIS: All kinds — except sexy ones or those with dirty words. Right now I'm reading J.R.R. Tolkien's "The Silmarillion." It's about the time before the earth was formed, strictly imaginary, of course. I especially like to read children's books.

COURIER: Do you belong to any organizations?

HARRIS: Just two circles at the Congregational Church. I'm going to tell a Christmas story at the Mary Brewster circle.

COURIER: Do you have any hobbies?

HARRIS: At holiday time I make marzipan candy in the form of fruits and vegetables and kamquat marmalade. I also decorate my apartment and put a small tree outside the door.

COURIER: When did you come back to Charlevoix to live permanently?

HARRIS: In 1963, and I've lived in this same apartment ever since.

COURIER: How old are you?

HARRIS: If I told you how old I am, people would say, "Why doesn't she net her age?"

COURIER: You have several nice antiques.

HARRIS: The clock is over 100 years. It's made of mother of pearl set in iron. The chest is a reproduction of one in the Amsterdam Museum. I've had it a long time. The brass teakettle is an old replica of one in the museum at Williamsburg.

COURIER: I don't see a TV set.

HARRIS: I don't have one and don't want one.

COURIER: Do you ever listen to the radio?

HARRIS: Once in a while, mostly for news.

COURIER: You mentioned earlier that you spend your summers at your cottage, where is it?

HARRIS: On Lake Charlevoix near Ironton. People worry about me not



Edith Harris

there without a phone or car, but I like it.

COURIER: Have you ever done any traveling?

HARRIS: I went to Germany twice, once for a year's time. We headquartered in a small town and traveled all around. I enjoyed it.

COURIER: What changes have occurred in Charlevoix since your early memories of it?

HARRIS: The fine resort hotels are all gone. We used to get Sunday dinners at the

Fountain House for about 25 cents. There used to be stores along the block where the park now is. The old bridge used to swing instead of go up and down like this one does.

COURIER: What is your philosophy of life?

HARRIS: Live by the Golden Rule and Ten Commandments.

COURIER: Do you have any relatives in town?

HARRIS: My sister Betty. She's married to Alfred Arme and lives on Park Avenue.

Arnold takes issue with editorial

To the Editor: I read the editorial in the Nov. 2 issue — "Congress Sells Out to Oil Companies" — and I feel that an alternate viewpoint should be expressed. There are a number of assumptions implicit in the editorial that can be challenged. Among these is the amount of energy available in the future, and the cost of food in relation to the distribution system.

I have not read the report referred to, but it seems to me that the "good professors" have been bitten by the "Small is Beautiful" bug. Well I don't buy it! The proponents of "Small is Beautiful" make a number of assumptions. Some of these are: 1) The future will be one with greatly reduced energy supplies, 2) all technology will be small scale and 3) all industry will be labor intensive.

For example: At the 1977 meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, the proponents of "Small is Beautiful" (aka "Appropriate Technology," aka "Alternative Technology") had a number of exhibits. One of these was a bicycle seat with pedals which ran a wheat grinder. Now as a farmer, or as "a thing to do," this might be fun. I suspect, however, that if one had to do this every day it would become drudgery. Another was to use an old wine vat saved in half to make a bathtub. (Never mind the splinters!) There were more, but I think you get the idea.

There is a good reason for the relative low cost of food in America. It is that same, as you put it, "complicated, far-flung, and costly transportation system." It is this system that enables us to maintain relatively stable food prices when one area of the country is suffering from drought. If there is a drought in the grain-producing regions of the Pacific Northwest we can ship grain from Kansas or the Dakotas to that region thus alleviating the effects of the drought to a considerable extent. The system works in the opposite direction too, of course.

This distribution system coupled with the economies that large-scale farming allows is the major reason that our food prices are so much lower than the rest of the world. The cost per acre of running a 40,000 acre farm is not 1,000 times the cost per acre of running a 40 acre farm.

In China, without a large efficient distribution system, and with many

small-scale farms the story is considerably different. If there is a drought in one of the grain producing regions, there is no way to ship large quantities of any available crop surpluses from other regions. The result for the stricken region? Mass starvation.

Furthermore, the U.N.'s World Health Organization (WHO) released a report in 1975 on the results of a multi-year study by that body. In it the WHO concluded that over the course of a ten-year period nearly every country in the world could arrive at feeding itself on crops grown within its own borders.

I will admit that our food distribution system uses large amounts of energy. But it uses less energy than if there were a myriad of small farms. It would take more energy and resources to produce the greater number of farm implements and fertilizers to support these small farms. In addition, it would change the United States from being an exporter of food to a country producing just enough to feed itself. Such a situation could lead to a global war. Local self-sufficiency is not a realistic approach to the problem.

The efficiency of rail transport of goods, in terms of cost per ton-mile and energy used versus the cost of highway shipment, is so much greater that it is

simply amazing that we don't ship more goods by rail. Perhaps we would, if we were to charge the trucking industry its full share of the cost for building and maintaining the present highway system. Maybe Congress would like to tackle that question.

Finally, President Carter's energy conservation proposals are not really meeting the problem head on. Do you really expect the American people to cut back on their energy use simply because they are going to pay more for it? I doubt it. They'll swallow hard, gulp a few times and pay out the extra money so they can enjoy themselves.

Conservation, by itself, WILL NOT solve the energy crisis.

Instead of the President giving us what amounts to a taxation program, I would much rather have seen him call for a "Manhattan Project" on developing new technology to provide other sources of energy. Among these would be the research in fusion, nuclear fusion, orbiting solar collectors beaming energy to earth via microwaves (this we have the capability to do today), ocean thermal systems and increasing the energy conversion capabilities of plants (bi-conversion systems). All of these together would provide us more than

enough energy to meet our present needs and foreseeable needs in the future.

So what do we get from our duly elected leaders? A taxation program and pleas to do without. If these programs are followed to their logical conclusion, then the proponents of "Small is Beautiful" will have their way and we will return to a lifestyle reminiscent to the turn-of-the-century.

The future does not have to be as the proponents of "Small is Beautiful" would have us believe. Herman Kahn, of the Hudson Institute, asserts in a recent book, "The Next 200 Years: A Scenario for America and the World" (William Morrow & Co.), that (1) we can continue our present growth (albeit at a slower rate), and (2) that the rest of the world can narrow the gap in wealth between them and us, and (3) that the world can continue its growth almost indefinitely. It will take some guts on the part of our leaders to look into the future with optimism and to make intelligent decisions about the course we must take to achieve these goals.

Thank you, Gilbert K. Arnold Charlevoix

Want to Write to Your Men in Lansing or DC?

Want to write your man in Washington or Lansing? Here are the addresses of the two U.S. Senators and the U.S. Congressman from Michigan, the State Senator and the two State Representatives from the Charlevoix Courier's circulation area.

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U.S. CONGRESSMAN—Rep. Philip Ruppe (R), Woodland Road, Houghton, Mich., 49931; or the U.S. House of Representatives, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

STATE SENATOR—Robert Davis (R), 351 E. Fourth St., Gaylord, Mich., 49735; or State Senate Chambers, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE—103rd District—Jalpa Outline (R), Route 2, Box 4751, Roscommon, Mich., 48653; 106th District—E. Dan Stevens (R), Atlanta, Mich., 49709. The representatives may also be reached at the House of Representatives, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

We suggest you clip and save this for future references.

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Qualified City of Charlevoix voters can obtain absentee voter ballots for the December 12, 1977 Election until 2 p.m. Saturday, December 10, 1977. Ballots can be obtained in the City Clerk's office, City Hall.

Judy D. Przybylski
City Clerk
Charlevoix, Michigan

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a Special Election will be held on December 12, 1977 on the following proposal.

City Charter Adoption Proposal
Shall the Charter proposed for the City of Charlevoix, by the Charter Commission elected on April 7, 1975, be adopted?

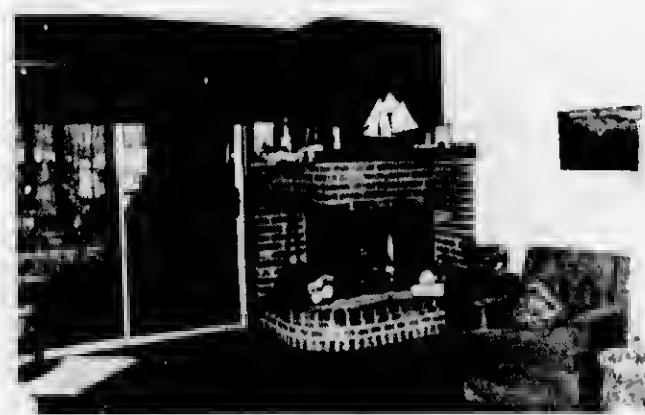
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On the day of an election the polls shall be opened at 7:00 a.m. at the City Hall, State St. Charlevoix and shall be continued open until 8:00 p.m. and no longer. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed before the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

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Increased taxes represent major jump in living costs

To what extent are higher taxes and the increase in the cost of living eating into the income gains made recently by Charlevoix County residents? How far does the weekly pay envelope go at the present time?

Not much further than it did 10 years ago, it appears. Buying a car, for example, costs nearly as much now, in terms of the number of weeks of work necessary to earn it, as in 1967. The net gain in purchasing power has been small.

A major factor in the increase in living costs has been taxes, according to a study

made by the Tax Foundation, a non-profit organization concerned with the fiscal aspects of government. It finds that about a third of a worker's earnings are being siphoned off for taxes.

The figures indicate that taxes as a whole—Federal, state and local—cut deeper into family budgets than any other single item. They add up to more, in fact, than is needed for food, housing and household operations combined.

Regarding the findings in Charlevoix County and to the average level of income

locally during the past year, it amounts to \$5,100 per household.

Calculated on the basis of an 8-hour workday, the average taxpayer has to work 2 hours and 42 minutes of it to earn enough for his taxes.

As for the remainder of the working day, 1 hour and 30 minutes is needed to pay for housing and household operations. Another 1 hour and 8 minutes on the job is for food and tobacco.

Additional time must be put in for transportation expenses, which require 40 minutes, for medical and

dental care, 26 minutes, for clothing 25 minutes, and for recreation, 20 minutes.

The remaining 40 minutes is for all other purposes, such as personal care, savings, education and discretionary spending in general.

According to the Tax Foundation's findings, nearly three-fourths of most people's incomes are being allocated for food, clothing, shelter and taxes.

Applied to Charlevoix County and to the average earnings in the local area in the past year, they total close to \$10,850 per household.

James Wibby receives job promotion at First State Bank

The recent promotion of James Wibby to assistant cashier of the First State Bank of Charlevoix has been announced by Thomas A. Duke, chairman of the board.

Duke said that Wibby's new responsibilities will include acting as plan manager for the First State Bank's Charge Card operations as well as acting as installment loan officer for the bank. He will also continue to be involved in special projects.

Wibby, a graduate of Michigan State University, joined the staff of the First State Bank in May, 1976, as a management trainee following a three and one-half year tour of duty with the U.S. Air Force. Prior to enlisting in the Air Force, he had been involved in banking for three years.

In Charlevoix, he is active

with the Charlevoix Township Volunteer Fire Department, treasurer of the Charlevoix Yacht Club and he participates in several athletic leagues. He and his wife, Sandra, reside in Ironton.



James Wibby

W. Parsons named to national REA board committee

Gov. William Milliken's signature on a proposed bill expanding the scope of sex education in the public schools to include birth control information will not create any immediate changes in the Charlevoix Public School District curriculum.

Superintendent Gordon Van Wieren said nothing immediate would take place in the school district concerning the sex education program. Van Wieren said the curriculum council would take the matter under consideration.

The Michigan Legislature recently approved a measure lifting the state ban on the teaching of birth control in sex education classes in public schools. The bill permits the inclusion of family planning and human sexuality in the elective course offerings, but prohibits the teaching of abortion.

The State Board of



William Parsons

Brian Seymour joins staff of Charlevoix Properties

E. Brian Seymour has joined the real estate firm of Charlevoix Properties.

Seymour is a life long resident of Charlevoix and is known to many as the manager of the Lodge. He has several years of real estate experience with various area firms.

He and his wife Jeanne and daughter Lisa reside in Norwood.



Brian Seymour

Charles Elzinga earns sales award from Farm Bureau

Charles Elzinga, Charlevoix agent for Farm Bureau Insurance Group, has earned the National Sales Achievement Award for meeting high standards in life insurance sales.

The award is bestowed by the National Association of

JoAnn Elzinga completes course

A Charlevoix Township resident recently completed a bookkeeping review course for governmental agencies.

JoAnn Elzinga, Charlevoix Township clerk, participated in the course which was a review of the Michigan

Life Underwriters and presented to agents who excel in life insurance sales during the year, based on the number of lives insured and amount of coverage.

This is the sixth year Elzinga has earned the award.

Mary Faculak

Horse riding's her hobby



Mary Faculak

By LAURA GLASS
Charlevoix High School is full of students that deserve recognition, not only for academic achievements but for outstanding achievements.

Mary Faculak is one of these students.

Everyone knows Mary from the fall Homecoming Court, but not many know how outstanding she is in her hobby, horse racing.

The 17-year-old senior has been barrel racing horses since she was 10 years old and has won enough trophies, plaques and ribbons to fill a stable.

"I started out Western Pleasure riding and got involved in the 4-H clubs," Mary explained. "Then my interests

turned toward racing, especially barrel racing.

"Now I'm really involved in barrel racing, but I also enjoy jumping and English riding."

Mary and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Faculak, own the Lakeview Ranch where Mary keeps and trains horses. She currently owns two ponies and six registered Quarter horses.

The horse she uses for most of her races, "Go Reed," or as Mary calls him, "Mr. Ed," has helped her win high point trophies at fairs across the state.

Practicing is a major part of winning. Mary's philosophy is that practicing is a two-way street, both the horse and the rider must work as a team

toward the same goal—the trophy.

"You've got to know just how to train a show horse, you must condition them," Mary said. "I rarely practice with my show horse now that he knows how to race, otherwise he will sour and won't run as well."

Mary isn't the only horse racer in her family. Her sister and brother-in-law, Virginia and Bill Marne, own the Tryn' Hard Ranch. Mary often works there training other people's horses. This summer she will get her official license for horse training. And soon she plans to become a member in the Statewide Speedhorse Association, a highly recognized club in this state.

Although many horse owners hire riders for races, Mary says she rides her own horses.

"I ride my own horses, because I trained them," she explained. "They are used to me and I try harder because of my pride in them."

Mary is also active in many high school activities. She is senior class secretary, a member of the Spanish Club and co-editor of the Rayder yearbook.

All these activities will benefit her in her plans to attend college and study law.

"I'd like to become a lawyer," she said. "But I also intend to keep up with my horse riding. Maybe someday I'll ride the rodeo circuit."



Champion Debaters

THE CHARLEVOIX HIGH SCHOOL debate team took top honors in the varsity team classification during a recent tournament sponsored by Lake Superior State College. In the front row is the affirmative team of Pam Sutherland and Sue Miller and in the back is the negative team of Ann Marie Watson and L. Scott Swanson. More than 150 high school students and a dozen debate teams participated in the tournament.

New cheerleading squads named for winter sports

New cheerleading squads have been selected for the upcoming winter sports season at Charlevoix High School.

The new squads were selected following competition among interested high school girls for the spots. The three cheerleading squads are

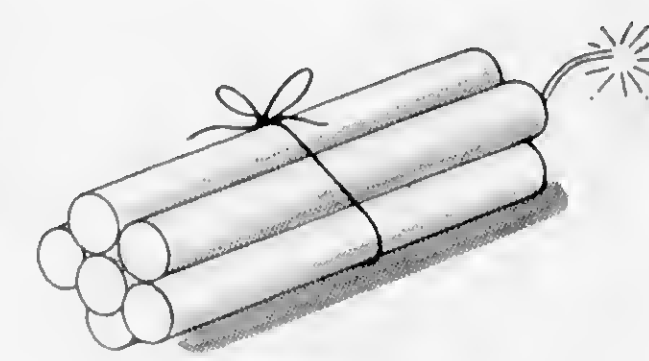
under the direction of Vera Rimbold, high school home economics teacher.

New members of the varsity squad are: Janene Boal, Brenda Boss, Pam Boss, Kim Lehman, Ann Puffball, Cindy Sundahl and Terri Bradley, runner.

squad are: Shari Barnes, Mary Egler, Lisa Sandahl, Jenny Trimmer, Leslie Wood and Alicia Pearson, runner. Making up the freshman squad are: Jill Caldwell, Tammy Currier, Mary Beth Eldridge, Ingrid Wiener, Chris Wilhelm, Laura Zarembo and Shelly Schorsch, runner.

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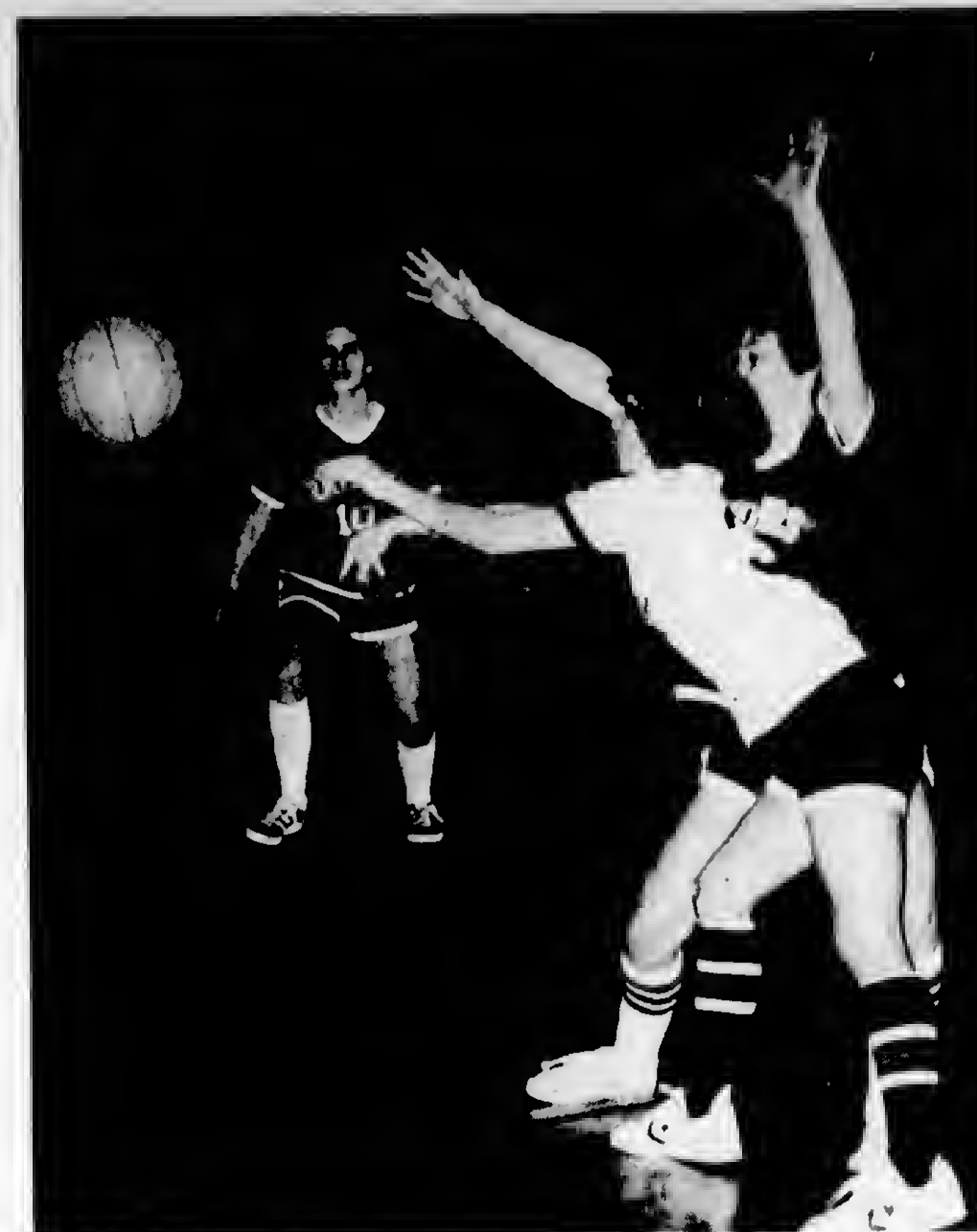
LISA FLOWER (25) was up in the air for this basket while Laurie Gibbs (35) awaited for the rebound. The Rayders put up a good battle but they lost narrowly to Petoskey 46-40 Tuesday.



MARIE BUDY (21) takes aim for a basket during the Rayders final game of the season against the Petoskey Northmen. Petoskey squeaked by the Rayders 46-40 last week.



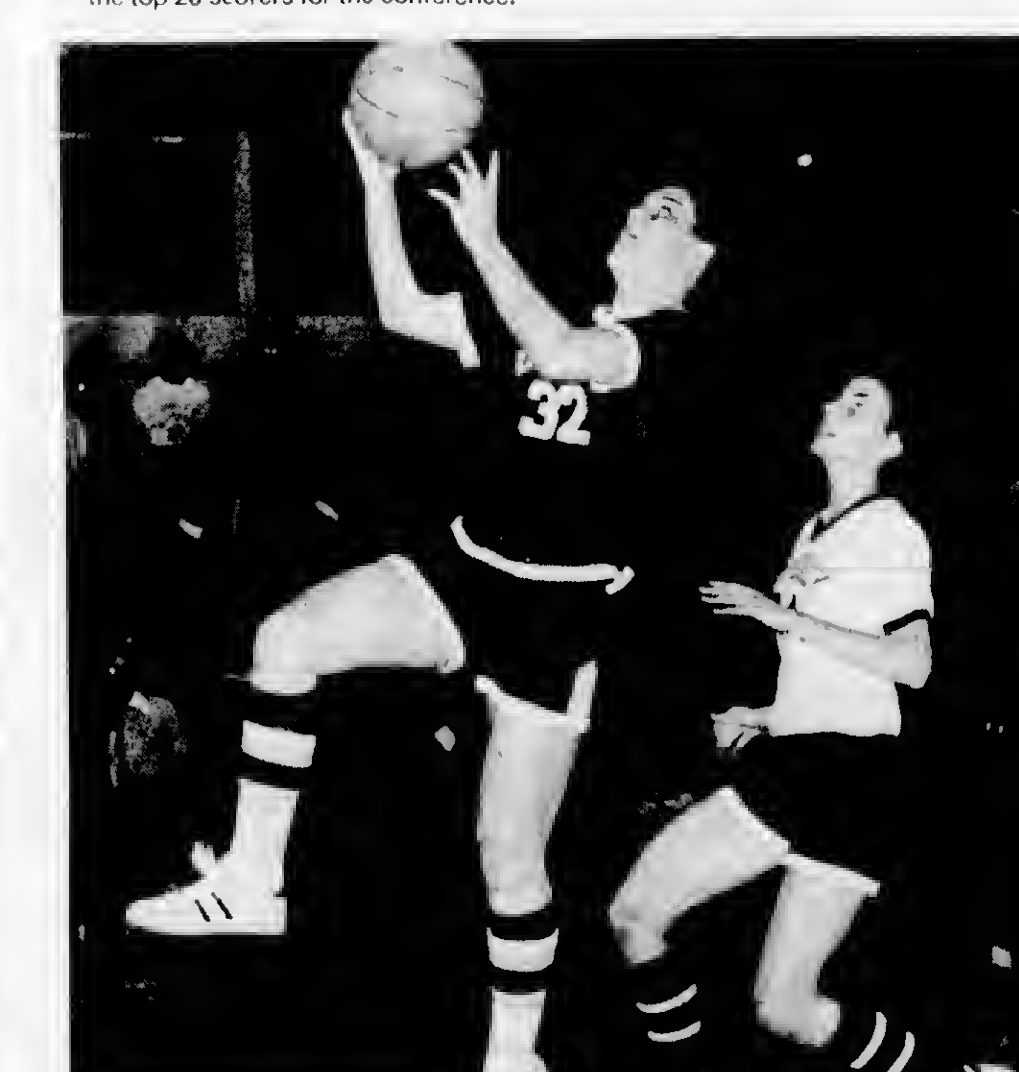
GETTING IN ON the action for the Rayders is Lisa Flower as she attempts to tie up the ball during the Charlevoix-Petoskey game. Charlevoix started tournament play this week following the completion of the season with the final game against Petoskey.



CHRIS LEHMAN presses a Petoskey Northman player while Jackie Paul (10) rushes in to grab the basketball. The girls finished up the season with a 4-12 record last week.



LAURIE GIBBS (35) snatches a rebound as a Petoskey player attempts to tie up the ball. Laurie had a good season as a defensive player and she also placed in the top 20 scorers for the conference.



SHERRIE SELISSEN goes in for a lay up during the Petoskey-Charlevoix game. Sherrie finished the season in first place on the conference top 20 scorers list.

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Sherrie Selissen captures scoring crown

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The Rayders finished the season with a 4-12 record. Only one of those victories was at home.

The dual match will begin at 6:30 p.m. with Charlevoix opposing Onaway and Kalkaska meeting Benzie Central At 7:30 p.m. Charlevoix will challenge Kalkaska and Onaway will meet Benzie Central.

The 1977 Rayder wrestlers represent an experienced and well rounded team. On the team are 12 returning lettermen led by three state meet competitors: Dennis Whitley, Craig Golovich and Ron Hilton. Other lettermen include: Dan Bruce, Lee DeMitchell, Dave Golovich, Jerry Kelle, Andy Keller, Mike Kitchey, Gene Morrison, Norbert Scharenbroch, Jerry Sladek and Brian Wimmer. Joining the varsity squad are former junior varsity wrestlers: Curt Dixon, Tom Mielke, Bill Trout, Lester Untler and Mark Brendt.

Newcomers to the wrestling program at Charlevoix High School this year are freshman: Don Mol, Tim Bruce, Mike Chappuis, Mike DeMitchell, Scott Golovich, Jon Hamlin, Tom Hand, Bruce Honeysette, Jeff Landon, Mike Martin, Ilii Merriner, Kevin Purvis, Fred Sonnenberg, Richard Sutton and Ken Wojan.

Two upperclassmen have also joined the team. Jeff Leitner and Nick Anderson have looked especially good in practice, Coach Probert said.

Freshman-soph invitational Saturday

Once again the Charlevoix Wrestling Club will host its annual Freshman-Sophomore Wrestling Tournament.

1978 GIRL VOLLEYBALL SCHEDULE
Wednesday January 11 8:30 P.M. AT Cheboygan
Wednesday January 18 6:30 P.M. AT Grayling
Wednesday January 25 8:30 P.M. Rogers City HERE
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Wednesday February 15 6:30 P.M. AT Petoskey
Wednesday February 22 6:30 P.M. Gaylord HERE
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*NON-CONFERENCE GAMES

There was a bright note to the season, however. Junior Sherrie Selissen captured the Michigan-Huron Shores Conference scoring title. Sherrie tallied 15 points.

Charlevoix's Laurie Gibbs also placed among the top 20 scorers in the league.

The Rayders and the Northmen played a close game the first half with Petoskey taking

a slim lead 11-10 at the end of the first quarter. Charlevoix came back to tie the score at 23-23 just before the half.

However, during the third quarter, Charlevoix only hit the basket for four points while Petoskey dropped in 11 and moved into a lead they kept for the rest of the game.

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Dennis L. Strange, 24, Central Lake, no valid operator's license. Plead guilty. Ten days in county jail and \$100 fine and costs.

Thomas E. Bond, 30, Harbor Springs, impaired driving. Plead guilty. \$125 fine and costs and one year's probation.

Kathleen L. Probst, 20, Northport, speeding. \$36.

Res B. Hodge, 20, Charlevoix, violating basic speed law. \$25.

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Stanislav Crennack, Charlevoix, driving left of center. \$25.

Charles E. Bhrak, 33, Menasha, speeding. \$30.

Brenda M. Schelhuber, 21, St Ignace, speeding. \$25.

Earl I. Kulson, 41, Millford, speeding. \$25.

Virginia M. Darville, 61, Boyne City, speeding. \$25.

Nancy A. Hall, 43, Petoskey, speeding. \$25.

Rachel Hagel, 55, Midland, speeding. \$25.

John A. Gubernat, 25, Detroit, speeding. \$25.

Ronald M. Vincent, 21, Manistique, speeding. \$37.

Jeffrey P. Holtman, 17, Boyne City, failing to maintain equipment. \$25.

Nick R. Rajacic, Jr., 29, Traverse City, speeding. \$29.

Roger L. Strigley, 30, Walloon Lake, speeding. \$36.

Keith L. Holley, 33, Boyne City, using artificial light to hunt deer. \$68.

Cecil D. Chipman, 28, Boyne City, careless driving. \$85.

Gregory F. Ballard, 27, Petoskey, speeding. \$25.

Richard M. Seyles, 19, Boyne City, speeding. \$25.

Ernest A. Blett, 19, Okemos, speeding. \$25.

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Thomas K. Bauman, 19, Boyne City, speeding. \$33.

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James W. Avery, 33, Boyne City, speeding. \$33. (2) expired operator's license. \$25.

Donald G. Butcher, 44, Sault Ste Marie, speeding. \$25.

Patricia J. Pater, 29, Jonesville, speeding. \$25.

Benjamin E. Drost, 25, Charlevoix, speeding. \$25.

Arthur E. Bauman, III, Petoskey, speeding. \$30.

Albert J. Clark, 31, Flat Rock, speeding. \$36.

Robert R. Harbough, 56, Boyne City, speeding. \$32.

Barbara L. DePuydt, 32, Petoskey, speeding. \$25.

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Robert P. Rose, 20, Frankfort, speeding. \$29.

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James A. Klooster, 24, Charlevoix, and Betty J. Trost, 20, Charlevoix.

State takes new look at U.S. 31-131 plans for expansion

By PEG ONLEY
The long drawn-out discussion about a new super highway through Northwest Michigan seems to have come to an end, at least temporarily.

The Michigan Department of State Highways and Transportation is now taking a

different approach, emphasizing improvement of existing highways, notably US 31 and US 131.

As long ago as 1973, the Department of Highways submitted several plans for a super highway to local officials, asking them to select the routes of the proposed new highway through the county which they would most prefer. Public hearings were also held.

Since the State plans called for the merging of highways US 31 and US 131 to form the super highway, the Planning Commission also suggested that the merger take place south of Charlevoix County, "as a cost saving measure."

At the time local officials and the public were asked for their input, it seemed that the super highway was a certainty, although many counties, including Charlevoix, were not overly enthusiastic about it.

Marriages

The following marriage licenses were issued recently by the Charlevoix County Clerk:

Gregory J. Greenman, 26, East Jordan, and Joy M. Whitley, 20, Janet Potter \$5 winner. Call 547-6558, valid after 12-7-77.

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Peter Grael, 66, Boyne City, and Marie A. Justice, 59, Boyne City.
Rudolph L. Pace, 18, Oden, and Cindy L. Hamer, 19, Walloon Lake.
Larry M. Johnson, 22, Boyne City, and Janette K. Anderson, 19, Boyne City.

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PUBLICATION OF NOTICE OF HEARING STATE OF MICHIGAN.
The Probate Court for the County of CHARLEVOIX Estate of Helen M. Melin, Deceased. (File No. 7751)
TAKE NOTICE: On December 16, 1977, at 2:00 P.M., in the Probate Courtroom, in the Charlevoix County Building, Charlevoix, Michigan, before the Hon. John T. Murphy, Judge of Probate, a hearing will be held on the Petition of Mary L. Dunlop for appointment of said Mary L. Dunlop of 409 Trent Street, Boyne City, Michigan 49712 as executor of the estate of Helen M. Melin, deceased. Surviving as a daughter, Administratrix; and a determination of the heirs at law of said deceased.

Obituary

Christiane J. Noble
Funeral services for Mrs. Christiane J. Noble, 85, who died Nov. 21 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital where she had been a patient for nine days, were held at the Assembly of God Church on Nov. 23. The Rev. Donald Schorach officiated. Interment was in Brookside cemetery. Born in Grimsby, England, Dec. 25, 1892, the former Christiane Jansen came to the United States as a young woman. On Nov. 11, 1933, she was married to Frank Noble in Charlevoix. He preceded her in death on July 4, 1947. She was a member of the Assembly of God Church. Surviving are a daughter, Mrs. William (Marie) Allen of New Orleans, La.; five grandchildren and a sister, Mrs. Elsie Beard of Grimsby, Eng.

William H. Adams
Funeral services for William H. Adams, 77, of Indianapolis who died Friday at the University Hospital in that city, were held at the Winchester Funeral Home Tuesday morning. The Rev. Austin Hogler of the United Methodist Church officiated. Interment was in the Brookside cemetery under the auspices of Charlevoix Lodge No. 229, F. & A. M.

Mary L. Dunlop
Petitioner
409 Trent Street
Boyne City, Michigan 49712
(11-30/1)

Women's club
to hold varied meeting for Dec.
A varied program is planned for the next meeting of the Charlevoix Women's Club, scheduled for Tuesday, December 6, at 1:30 p.m. at the home of Mrs. Joseph Morris, 418 Belvedere Club. A women's ensemble under the direction of Mrs. Robert C. Tollas will present a program of Christmas music, and Mrs. E.H. Leedy will speak on "The Almond Quail," the legend of the egg through history and holidays.

Hostesses for the meeting, which is being held early because of the holidays, will be Mrs. J. Leedy Brier, Mrs. John Cross, Jr., and Mrs. Leedy.

Decorations, Mrs. Anthony Kleiber and Mrs. Sue Miller and set-up, Mrs. Roger Pischke.
Others are: solicitors, Mrs. Charles Mitchell and Mrs. Vane Smith; coffee, Mrs. Josephine Bindi; salads, Mrs. Edward P. Hansen; breads and desserts, Mrs. Eugene Dziedzic; advertising, Mrs. Kenneth Wajan; tickets, Mrs. Patrick Donnelly; raffie tickets, Mrs. Richard Martin; dishwashers, Mrs. Edward

Buday and clean-up, Men's club headed by Kenneth Wajan.
Mrs. Robert D. Miller will be in charge of the Christmas bazaar which will feature a wide variety of gift items. Mrs. Edward Golden will be in charge of the bake sale.

A micro-wave oven, a lighted ceramic Christmas tree, a hand-knit shawl and a decorated cake will be given away at the drawing.

NORWOOD TOWNSHIP
The regular meeting of the Norwood Township Board will be held on Dec. 8 at 8:00 p.m. in the Township Hall. There will be a hearing on Revenue Sharing prior to the regular meeting.

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Big Brothers, Sisters start sale of trees Sunday

A Christmas Tree Sale will be held by the Big Brothers-Big Sisters of Charlevoix beginning Sunday at the former Village Inn-A & W Restaurant on South U.S. 31. Hours of the sale will be from 4 to 9 p.m. weekdays, 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturdays and 12 noon to 6 p.m. Sundays. The sale will continue until all of the trees are sold. The trees will be mostly Scotch pines and a few blue spruce and are in excellent condition. The group is asking for a \$7 donation for the trees. The money will be used to support the Big Brother-Big Sister program in the county.

1977-78 FRESHMAN BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Day	Date	Time	Location
Monday	November 28	7:00 P.M.	Gaylord HERE
Thursday	December 1	7:00 P.M.	Cheboygan HERE
Monday	December 5	7:00 P.M.	Grayling HERE
Thursday	December 8	7:00 P.M.	AT Rogers City
Monday	December 12	7:00 P.M.	Harbor Springs HERE
Thursday	December 15	7:00 P.M.	St. Ignace HERE
Monday	December 19	7:00 P.M.	AT Boyne City
Thursday	January 5	7:00 P.M.	Petoskey HERE
Monday	January 12	7:00 P.M.	AT Gaylord
Thursday	January 19	7:00 P.M.	AT Cheboygan
Monday	January 23	7:00 P.M.	AT Grayling
Thursday	February 2	7:00 P.M.	Rogers City HERE
Monday	February 6	7:00 P.M.	AT St. Ignace
Thursday	February 9	7:00 P.M.	Boyne City HERE
Monday	February 16	7:00 P.M.	AT Petoskey
Thursday	February 20	6:30 P.M.	AT Harbor Springs

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Big Rock due for inspection by nuke regulatory commission

Big Rock Point Nuclear Power Plant is among 11 nuclear facilities that will be inspected by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC).

Historical society receives old negatives from Mrs. Taggart

The Charlevoix Historical Society has received a gift of a group of photographic glass negative plates from Mrs. Beatrice Taggart. The pictures were taken by her father, Barney Harrington, between 1896 and 1910 and are a significant contribution to the historical record of the Charlevoix area.

plates at the next monthly meeting of the Society, to be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday, December 6, in the Charlevoix Public Library. Members are asked to note the change in meeting place.

Another feature of the meeting will be reminiscences of past Christmases by members and friends.

Improvements have been made at many of the plants to meet certain safety requirements, but the plants as a whole have not been inspected to determine if other standards should be met.

Band boosters plan luncheon for Dec. 7

The Band Boosters of the Charlevoix Public Schools will present a casserole and salad luncheon at the American Legion post home on Garfield Avenue on Wednesday, Dec. 7. Mrs. Neil Jones, president of the group, has announced. The event will feature a choice of hot casseroles, a wide variety of salads, rolls and a choice of beverage.

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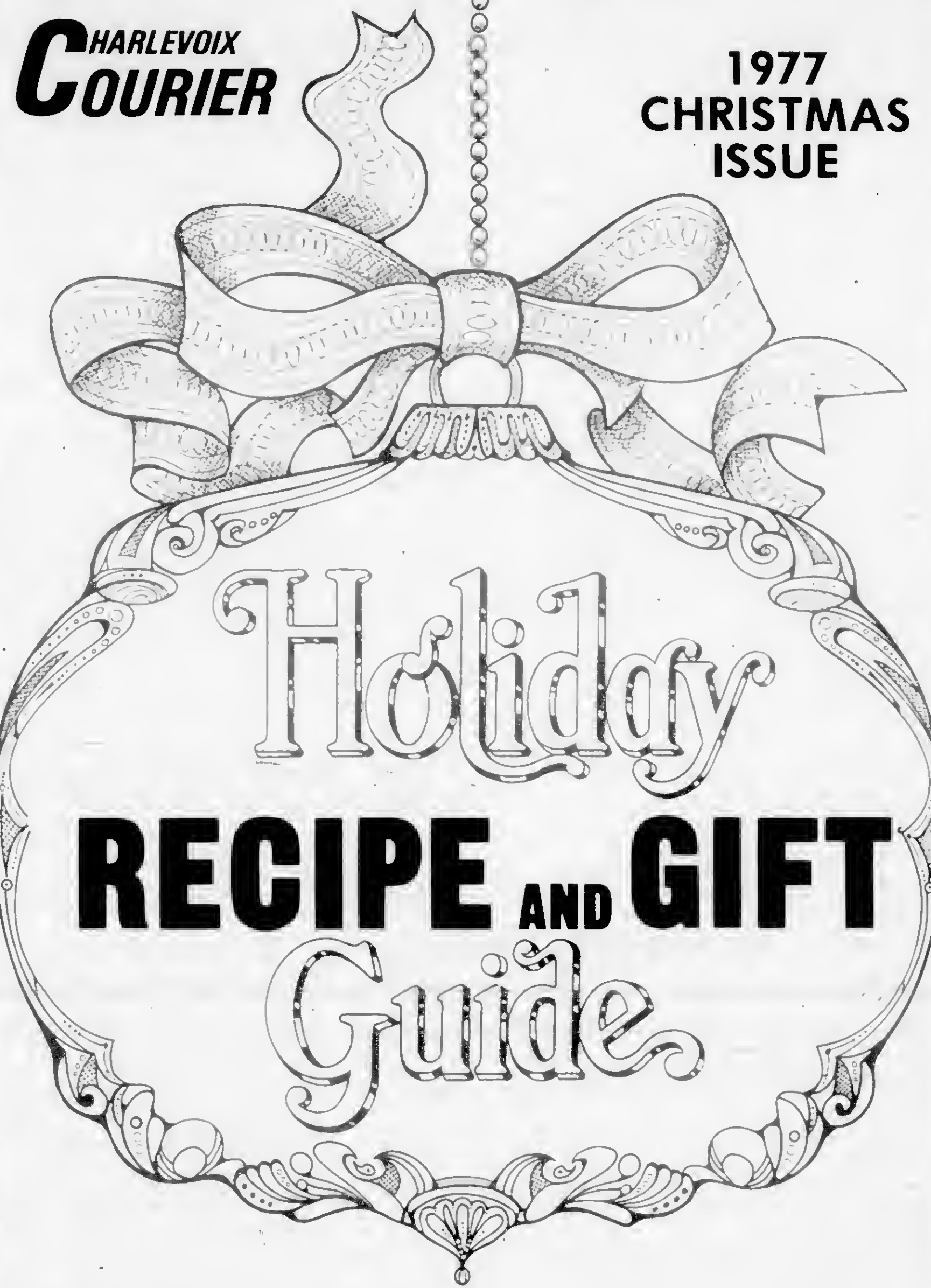
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SUPPLEMENT TO CHARLEVOIX COURIER
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Mushroom vichyssoise adds variety to meal

MUSHROOM VICHYSOISE

An exciting flaming soup to delight holiday dinner guests and add a note of difference to dinner.

- 2 small leeks
- 1/2 medium onion
- 1/4 lb. potatoes
- 1/2 lb. mushrooms
- 2 cups chicken bouillon
- 2 cups milk

1 cup half and half (milk and cream).

salt to taste
freshly ground pepper
1 oz. brandy

Clean leeks and chop white part. Peel and chop onion and potatoes. Chop mushrooms coarsely. Put leeks, onion, potato, and bouillon in a large saucepan. Bring to a boil,

reduce heat, and simmer, covered, until vegetables are tender. Add mushrooms and cook 5 minutes longer. Put mixture into blender and blend for 30 seconds. Return to saucepan and add milk and half and half. Season to taste. Reheat and just before serving, flame brandy and add to soup. Serves 6.

Holiday appetizers whet appetites of party guests

MINIQUICHES

1 pkg refrigerated butterflake dinner rolls (12 rolls)
1 (4 1/2 oz.) can shrimp, drained

- 1 egg, beaten
- 1/2 cup light cream
- 1 tablespoon brandy
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- Dash pepper

1 1/3 oz. gruyere cheese
Grease 2 dozen 1 1/4 inch muffin pans. Separate each dinner roll in half; press into muffin pans to make shell. Place one shrimp in each shell. Combine egg, cream, brandy, salt and pepper. Using about 2 teaspoons for each shell, pour egg mixture over shrimp in shell. Slice cheese into 24 small triangles; place one atop each appetizer. Bake in 375 degree F. oven for 20 minutes or until golden. Makes 24 appetizers.

DEVELOPED CHEESE BALL

3 (8 oz.) pkgs. cream cheese
1 lb. sharp cheddar cheese, grated
2 (4 1/2 oz.) cans deviled ham
1/4 cup finely chopped olives

2 tablespoons prepared mustard
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon dry mustard
1/2 teaspoon cayenne pepper
1/2 teaspoon celery seed
Parsley

Mix all ingredients and form into a ball. Chill several hours. Garnish with a wreath of parsley. Makes 5 1/2 cups.

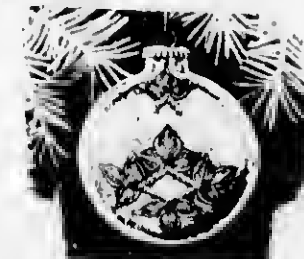
Marion Parker offers recipe for sausage balls

BARBECUED SAUSAGE BALLS

From the kitchen of
Marloa K. Parker
1 pound pork sausage
1 slightly beaten egg
1/3 cup fine dry bread crumbs

1/2 teaspoon sage
1/2 cup catsup
2 tablespoons brown sugar
1 tablespoon vinegar
1 tablespoon soy sauce

Mix sausage, egg, bread crumbs, and sage; shape in about 2 dozen 1 1/2-inch balls. In ungreased skillet, brown balls slowly on all sides, about 15 minutes. Pour off excess fat. Combine remaining ingredients; pour over meat. Cover and simmer 30 minutes, stirring occasionally to coat meat balls. Note: Make meatballs smaller and serve as hot appetizers.



Color our home happy

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Enjoy a natural food holiday treat

Christmas is traditionally a time for sweets made with tons of sugar and other sweeteners. More and more concern is being expressed about the amount of sugars and other processed foods we are consuming.

Maybe this year you should try some Christmas treats made with natural sweeteners and ingredients. These recipes were offered by Heartwood Alternative for your holiday meals.

Natural Candy Fruit-Nut-Carob Balls

- 1/2 cup dates
- 1/2 cup raisins
- 1/4 cup roasted carob powder
- 1/4 tsp. sea salt
- 1/2 cup walnuts
- 1/2 cup sunflower seeds

Mix dates and raisins with carob and salt, mix in nuts and seeds. Grind entire mixture through meat grinder or grain mill. Press together into small balls or other shapes. If desired, roll in coconut or other covering (see below).

Variations: Carob may be omitted; apricots or other dried fruits may be used (steam first if too dry); other nuts or seeds may be used; other coverings include toasted sesame seeds, wheat germ, carob powder, etc.

Peanut Butter Fudge

- 1/2 cup peanut butter
- 1/2 cup honey
- 1/2 tsp. vanilla
- 1 pinch sea salt
- 1 1/2 cups milk powder or slightly more

Mix peanut butter and honey until creamy-smooth, mix in salt and vanilla. Add

milk powder a little at a time, mixing first with a spoon, then by kneading like bread dough. Press into a flat pan, chill, and cut into shapes; OR, form into small balls and roll in covering if desired (see over).

Variations: 1 In place of the milk powder use 1 cup milk powder and 1 cup roasted carob powder. 2. Substitute sesame or other nut butters for all or part of the peanut butter. 3. Small amounts of coconut, wheat germ, etc. may be added along with the milk powder. 4. For flavoring try cinnamon, grated orange rind or juice, or oil of peppermint.

Date Nut Bread

- 2 cups w.w. pastry flour
- 1 tsp. baking soda
- 1 tsp. sea salt
- 1/2 cup chopped walnuts
- 1 TBS. grated orange rind
- 1 egg, beaten
- 1/4 cup oil
- 1 3 cup honey
- 2 3 cup water

1 cup finely chopped dates

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Mix flour, soda, and salt in a large mixing bowl. Add nuts and orange rind and mix again. In another bowl mix egg, oil, honey and water thoroughly, add dates and mix again. Add this to dry ingredients and mix to an even consistency. Place batter in an oiled 9 x 5 inch bread pan and cut a slash lengthwise down the center of the batter. Bake for about 45 minutes. Cool before slicing.

Banana Bread

- 1 1/2 cups mashed ripe bananas

- 1/4 cup oil
- 1/2 cup honey
- 2 eggs, lightly beaten
- 1 teaspoon vanilla
- 2 cups wholewheat flour
- 1/4 cup wheat germ
- 1 tsp. sea salt
- 1 tsp. baking soda
- 1/2 cup chopped walnuts

Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Mix banana, oil, honey, eggs and vanilla. Mix flour, wheat germ, salt and soda, then add dry ingredients to banana mixture in 2 or 3 parts, beating well until smooth. Fold in nuts. Place batter in an oiled 9x5x3 inch baking pan (or two smaller pans) and bake for about 1 hour. Cool before slicing.

Whole Wheat Bread

- 1 Tbs. active dry yeast
- 1 tsp and 2 Tbs. honey
- 3 cups warm water
- 2 Tbs. oil
- 1 Tbs. sea salt
- 8 1/2 to 9 1/2 cups whole wheat flour

In a large mixing bowl, dissolve 1 tsp. honey and the yeast in 1/2 cup warm water (105 degrees-115 degrees F is best); let soak about 10 minutes. Mix remaining water with 2 Tbs. honey, oil, and salt, then add to yeast mixture. Add flour gradually and mix well until dough comes away from sides of bowl easily, then remove to a floured board and let sit about 10 minutes.

Knead for 10-15 minutes, adding enough flour to make a smooth, elastic, non-sticky

dough. (Exact quantity of flour will vary each time). Place dough in oiled bowl, cover with a damp cloth and let rise in a warm place until just doubled in bulk—about 2 hours. Punch dough down, knead for a few minutes, then shape into loaves. Place loaves in two oiled bread pans (about 9x5x3 inches) and let rise again until nearly doubled

in bulk. Preheat oven to 350 degrees. Bake about 45 minutes or until crust is a nice golden brown. Remove from pan at once and cool before slicing. For a nice crust, brush top with oil while still hot.



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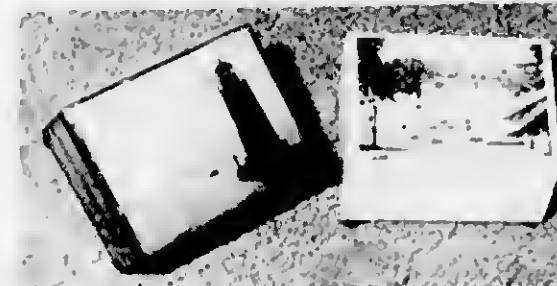
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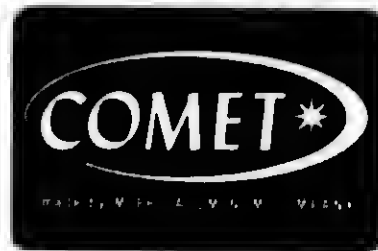
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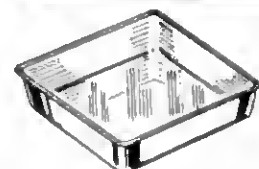
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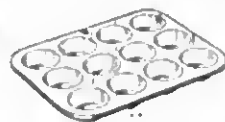
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HOLIDAY VEGETABLE SALAD

2 cups cauliflower, thinly sliced
1/4 medium-sized mild red onion, thinly sliced
1/3 cup pimiento-stuffed green olives, thinly sliced
1/3 cup blue cheese, crumbled
1/4 cup green pepper strips
5 tablespoons salad oil
3 tablespoons vinegar

1/4 teaspoon dry mustard
1/4 teaspoon salt
1/4 teaspoon pepper

In a bowl combine cauliflower, onion, olives, cheese and green pepper. Combine remaining ingredients; pour over cauliflower mixture. Cover; marinate in refrigerator at least 8 hours. Makes 6 servings.

Brunswick stew-- Mrs. Browe's favorite

BRUNSWICK STEW From the kitchen of Mrs. Ted Browe, Jr.

This is an old southern recipe that they make by the gallons in their outdoors discarded wash pots down south.

2 boiled chickens with the meat picked off the bones.

1 can lima beans
2 lg. cans tomatoes
2 cans corn
6 or 8 sliced potatoes

1 or 2 onions
season with salt and pepper according to taste.

Cook all ingredients till thick and mash with a potato masher.

Some people prefer a little sugar and bacon grease in it but this is according to your taste buds.

Also favorite sandwiches in the south are banana and pineapple which you make just like any other sandwich.

Florence Gardner suggests special veal meal treat

VEAL "VIRDS" From the kitchen of Florence G. Garden

In between Christmas-cookie making, you have to feed yourself and family. These "virds" are simple and quick to make and less expensive than "Birds" which call for veal steak.

1 lb. ground veal (more or less)
Bacon
Toothpicks

With a tablespoon and your fingers, form slightly-elongated balls of the ground meat. Wrap each with a strip of bacon and secure with 2 toothpicks. Saute in a covered skillet over a very low fire, until meat is no longer pink and bacon is crisp. Garnish with parsley and cranberry jelly if desired.

Round out the meal with potatoes or pasta, a green salad, and a dry red wine.

Tomato pudding heads list of vegetables

TOMATO PUDDING

1/4 lb butter or margarine
8 slices day-old bread
1 (8 oz.) can tomato sauce
1 cup brown sugar
1 cup tomato juice
Cut bread into 2-inch cubes. Melt butter; lightly toss cubes of bread in melted butter and arrange in a 8 1/2 x 11-inch baking dish. Place tomato sauce, brown sugar and tomato juice in a saucepan. Bring to a boil and simmer 10 minutes. Pour over buttered bread. Bake in 375 degree F oven for 25 to 30 minutes. Makes 6 to 8 servings.

CROSSCROSS POTATOES

Scrub 4 medium-sized baking potatoes. Cut in half lengthwise. With paring knife score cut side of potato 1/2-inch deep, 1/2-inch apart. Brush all over with melted butter. Season with salt, pepper, and sprinkle with paprika. Place in a shallow baking pan, cut side up. Bake in 350 degree F oven for 1 hour. Makes 4 servings.



Eat, drink and be merry, but don't forget waistline!

The holiday season is a time for tempting treats that can lead to unwanted pounds added to the figure.

The Michigan Heart Association has some recipe ideas that are not only low in calories, but are delicious, too.

POOR MAN'S CAVIAR

A dark mixture with flavors from the Middle East, this is not only a delicious snack, but a nutritious one as well.

1 large eggplant
2 tablespoons olive oil
1 small onion, finely chopped
1 clove garlic, minced
1/4 cup raw green pepper, finely chopped
1 1/2 tablespoons lemon juice
1/2 teaspoon salt
COARSELY GROUND PEPPER

Slice eggplant in half and rub with 1 tablespoon of the oil. Place halves cut side down on baking pan.
Broil on middle rack of oven for 20 to 25 minutes, or until

eggplant is quite soft. Cool slightly. Scoop out pulp and mash well with fork.

Saute onion and garlic in remaining oil until brown. Stir into eggplant pulp with remaining ingredients. Add more salt if necessary. Chill for 2 or 3 hours. Sprinkle with chopped parsley and serve with bread rounds or toast.

YIELD: ABOUT 2 1/2 CUPS
APPROX. CAL/SERV.: 1/2 CUP-75-1 TABLESPOON-10

ROASTSTUFFED CORNISH HENS

6 cornish hens (about 14 ounces each)
1 package wild rice mix or long grain and wild rice combination
1 medium onion, chopped
2 tablespoons margarine
1/2 teaspoon sage
1/4 cup brandy
1 cup orange sections

To make the stuffing, cook rice until it is still slightly firm. Drain. In a skillet, melt margarine and cook chopped onion until browned. Add rice

and sage; toss gently.
Preheat oven to 350 degrees F.

Clean, wash and dry hens. Stuff lightly and skewer or sew the vents closed.

Brush hens with 1/4 cup melted margarine and place breast side up on a rack in a shallow pan. Roast uncovered about 1 hour, basting occasionally with the melted margarine.

Make a sauce by adding 1/2 cup water to the drippings in the roasting pan, stirring to dislodge browned particles from the pan. Add 1/4 cup brandy and 1 cup orange sections. Cook 2 minutes. Serve with hens.

YIELD: 12 SERVINGS
APPROX. CAL/SERV.: 250

CRANBERRY-ORANGE SALAD

1 3-ounce package lemon gelatin
1 cup boiling water
1 cup orange juice
1 16-ounce jar cranberry-orange relish
1 unpeeled apple, chopped

1/2 cup chopped pecans
Dissolve gelatin in boiling water. Add orange juice and let stand until almost jelled.

Combine cranberry-orange relish, chopped apple and pecans; fold into the almost-jelled mixture. Pour into a 1-quart mold. Chill until firm.

YIELD: 10 SMALL SERVINGS
APPROX. CAL/SERV.: 180

HONEY CARROTS

10-12 small young carrots
2 tablespoons margarine
1 tablespoon brown sugar
1 tablespoon honey
2 tablespoons finely chopped parsley or fresh mint
Wash and trim carrots. Cook in a small amount of boiling salted water for 15 minutes, or until tender.

Drain.
Melt margarine in a skillet or saucepan. Add sugar, honey and carrots. Cook over low heat, turning carrots frequently until well glazed.

Sprinkle with chopped parsley or mint, and serve immediately.
Preheat oven to 400 degrees F.
Roll dough out thin on floured board or pastry cloth and cut out shapes with small cookie cutters. Put on a cookie sheet, sprinkle with almonds or candies, and bake for 8 to 10 minutes.
YIELD: 6-7 DOZEN
APPROX. CAL/SERV.: 40

Crabmeat cups-- dieter's delight

'Tis the season to be jolly, but Christmas doesn't have to be a time to be jolly and fat. Holiday treats -- cookies, sugar-laden fruitcake, pumpkin pies and plump birds -- so delightful to the eye and palate, can and should be enjoyed -- but in moderation; otherwise they can take their toll on waistlines.

It's a wise, holiday cook and hostess (and a true friend) who plans to balance the festive fare with calorie-conscious -- but tasty -- foods. Here are some dining tips for the home economists for Hollywood Bread that will help to keep calories down, while entertaining and keeping spirits up during the Christmas season.

When planning Christmas canapés, or side dishes for a family fest, substitute low-cal versions of fattening foods. For instance, use a healthful, thin-sliced bread for the canape base or in party loaves. Here's a delicious and

calorie-conscious recipe to satisfy guests on any occasion:

Scalloped Crab Cups
(209 calories each serving)
Press 4 slices of crust-free Hollywood dark bread into muffin tins. Bake until lightly browned in 350 F. Oven.

Scalloped Crab
2 T. Margarine
1 T. flour
1/2 c. skim milk
1 speck pepper
a few grains cayenne pepper
7-1/2 oz. crab meat
2 eggs yolks beaten
3/4 t. lemon juice or
2 T. dry sherry

Melt margarine in skillet. Add flour and stir until smooth. Add crabmeat, salt, pepper, cayenne and 1/2 c. skim milk. Stir well and continuously until thick and smooth. Gradually add the egg yolks that have been combined with milk, and sherry or lemon juice. Serve in toast cups. Makes 4 servings.



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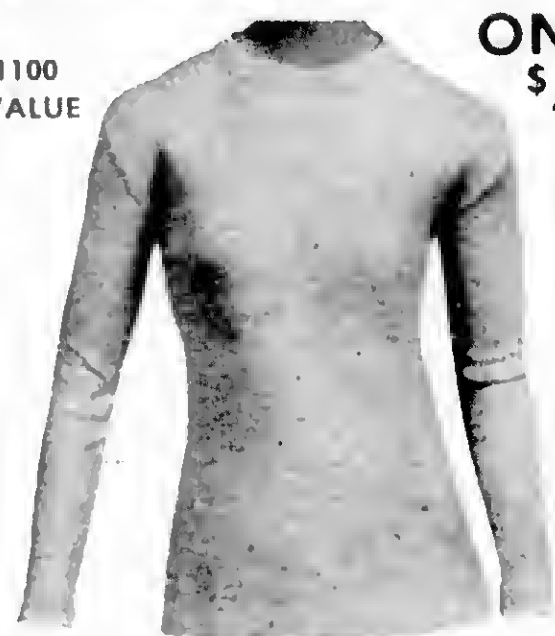
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CHRISTMAS
STOLLEN BREAD
From the kitchen of
Marion K. Parker

½ cup melted margarine
½ cup sugar
2 tsp. salt
2 beaten eggs
2 pkg. dry yeast
½ cup warm water
6½-7 cups all-purpose flour
1 cup candied fruit and peel
mix
1 teaspoon cinnamon

1 tablespoon grated orange or lemon rind
Dissolve sugar and salt in margarine. Stir in eggs. Soften yeast in warm water with a dash of sugar. Add with slightly warm milk to egg mixture. Stir in 5 cups flour, fruit, and cinnamon. Add enough additional flour to make it easy to handle, and knead for 5 minutes. Place dough in greased bowl and cover. Let rise in warm place until doubled.

Punch down and let rest 10 minutes. Divide in three parts. Grease 3 aluminum foil bread tins. Shape dough into loaves and place in tins. Let rise until dough is to rim.
Bake in 350 degree oven for 45 minutes or 'till done. Remove bread and let rest on its side until cool. Ice with frosting made from powdered sugar, vanilla and a little warm water to make it spreadable.

Cranberry nut bread
nice change for holidayCRANBERRY LEMON NUT
BREAD

4 tablespoons butter or margarine
¾ cup sugar
2 eggs
2 teaspoons grated lemon peel
2 cups flour
2½ teaspoons baking powder
1 teaspoon salt
¾ cup milk
1 cup cranberries, chopped
½ cup candied fruit,

chopped
½ cup walnuts, chopped
2 teaspoons lemon juice
2 tablespoons sugar
Cream together butter and the ¾ cup sugar till light and fluffy. Add eggs and lemon peel; beat well. Sift together flour, baking powder, and salt; add to creamed mixture alternately with milk, beating

till smooth after each addition. Stir in cranberries, candied fruit, and nuts. Pour into greased 9 x 5 x 3-inch pan. Bake in 350 degree F oven for 55 to 65 minutes. Let cool in pan 10 minutes. Remove from pan; cool. Combine lemon juice and 2 tablespoons sugar; spoon over top. Wrap; store overnight. Makes 1 loaf.

Walnut shortbread
sweets lover treatBLACK WALNUT
SHORTBREAD

Nuts add a different taste to this shortbread recipe and make it a special holiday dish.

1 cup butter
½ cup confectioner's sugar
2 cups flour
¼ teaspoon salt
grated rind of 1 lemon
½ cup finely chopped black walnuts

Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Cream together the butter and sugar. Add flour and blend well. Add salt, lemon rind, and nuts. Mix all together. Pat dough into 9-inch-square ungreased baking pan. Prick all over with fork. Bake for 25-30 minutes until lightly browned around edges. Cut into squares while warm, and cool on racks. Yield: 16 squares

Purple plum sauce
nice addition to
Christmas dinner

PLUM SAUCE

A delicious plum sauce for a little different taste with game or fowl holiday dinners.

1 1-lb. cans purple plums
3 cloves garlic
1 tablespoon sugar
1 teaspoon ground ginger

Drain and pit plums and put into saucepan. Mince garlic and add to plums with sugar and ginger. Simmer all together for 10 minutes. Puree in blender for 20 seconds. Serve hot, or at room temperature, with game or fowl. Yield: 1½ cups.

Two birds on table
worth one in the bush

As the holiday season approaches, the romantics among us may opt for a partridge in a pear tree. Those with a practical bent, however, will find the idea of a brace of birds on the table far more appealing.

A brace of chickens, for instance, can often outshine the usual holiday feathered fare of turkey, duck or goose. And there's the wonderful plus of having four drumsticks.

Brown rice stuffing, studded with chopped pecans and golden raisins and laced with Amaretto di Saronno, adds savory sophistication. If you haven't enjoyed Amaretto di Saronno as yet, use this recipe as a reason to make its acquaintance. This scrumptious after-dinner liqueur from Italy is winning a devoted following and once you taste it, you'll know why.

Basting with a flavorful glaze while the chickens are roasting contributes to their handsome looks and deliciousness. Bring them to the table on a big platter encircled with watercress and orange slices, and pass an orange sauce incorporating the pan juices. Brussels sprouts are a happy choice for a vegetable.

Brace of Birds

2 chickens, 4 pounds each
Salt and pepper

Turkey casserole
Marion Parker's
favorite dishTURKEY CUNCH
CASSEROLEFrom the kitchen of
Marion K. Parker

3 cups diced cooked turkey
1 can sliced water chestnuts
¾ cup diced celery
1 tablespoon chopped onion
1 can cr. of chicken soup
¾ cup Miracle Whip
several dashes of soy sauce
chow mein noodles
Mix together first 6 ingredients. Stir together soup, Miracle Whip and soy sauce. Toss with turkey mixture. Turn into 2-quart casserole. Sprinkle with noodles and bake in 350 degree oven 30 minutes or until bubbly. Serves 6.



Stuffing:
2 Tablespoons butter or margarine
1 onion, chopped
2 cups sliced celery
2 teaspoons fines herbes
6 cups cooked brown rice
½ cup chopped pecans
1/3 cup Amaretto di Saronno
½ cup golden raisins
Glaze:
¼ cup melted butter or margarine
½ cup Amaretto di Saronno
1 teaspoon grated orange rind
sauce:
¼ cup flour
2 cups orange juice
Sprinkle chickens inside and out with salt and pepper. In a saucepan, heat butter or margarine and saute onion until golden. Stir in celery and fines herbes and saute for 5 minutes. Stir in brown rice, pecans, liqueur and raisins. Season to taste with salt. Stuff

chickens with mixture. Sew or skewer openings. Roast in a shallow roasting pan in a preheated, moderate oven (350 degrees F.) for 1½ to 2 hours, or until chickens are tender. While chickens are roasting, baste them with a mixture of butter or margarine, liqueur and orange rind. Baste them every 30 minutes. Remove chickens to a warm serving platter. Place roasting pan on top of range and stir flour into pan juices. Gradually stir in orange juice. Scrape loose all brown particles and stir until sauce bubbles and thickens. Season to taste with salt and pepper. Spoon sauce over each serving. Garnish chickens with watercress and orange slices. Serve with brown rice stuffing and cooked Brussels sprouts. Makes 8 to 10 servings.



FOR A CHANGE OF PACE at your Holiday Table, how about a brace of birds — chickens in this case — instead of a solitary turkey? An Italian liqueur, Amaretto di Saronno, laces both the brown rice stuffing and the glaze, and imparts a heavenly flavor.

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gelatin
1 teaspoon pumpkin pie
spice
1 teaspoon salt
3/4 cup milk
1 egg, slightly beaten
1 can (16 oz.) pumpkin
1 cups (or 1-1/4 oz. con-

tainer), cool whip, whipped
topping, thawed
1 baked, 9 inch pie shell,
cooled
+Or use 1/4 teaspoon each
cinnamon, nutmeg and
ginger.

Combine sugar, gelatin,
spice and salt in saucepan.
Blend in milk. Cool and stir
over medium heat until sugar
and gelatin are dissolved and

mixture just comes to a boil.
Gradually stir hot mixture
into egg. Blend in pumpkin,
chill until very thick. Then
blend in 1 cup cool whip
whipped topping. Spoon into
pie shell. Chill until firm,
about 3 hours. Garnish with
remaining whipped topping.
(Cool Whip).

LEMON DREAM BARS

Cut 1/3 cup oleo into:

1 cup sifted flour and
2 tablespoons sugar until
fine.
Press into ungreased square
pan and bake at 350 degrees
for 15 to 20 minutes. While this
is baking—
Combine:
2 eggs
1/2 cup brown sugar
1/4 cup coconut
1/2 cup nuts

1/4 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon baking powder
1/2 teaspoon vanilla—mix
well.
Spread on partially baked
dough and bake 25 to 30
minutes.
Frost immediately.
Lemon Frosting.
2 teaspoons lemon rind
1 cup powdered sugar
2 tablespoons lemon juice.
Mix until smooth.

Mrs. Edwards bakes farm cookies

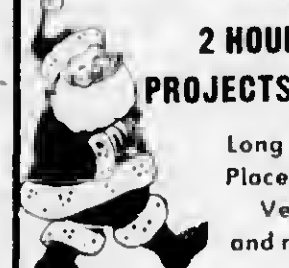
FARM COOKIES

From the kitchen of
Mrs. Edward J. Edwards
1 c. br. sugar
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2 eggs
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1 t. soda
1 t. b. Pow.
2 c. dry 22 Quaker Oats
2 c. corn flakes
1 c. coconut
1 c. nuts, chopped
3/4 c. raisins, cut up
1 t. vanilla
Cream sugar, margarine, add
eggs-sift flour, salt, soda and
B. powder. add to cream
ingredients, add oatmeal,
corn flakes, coconut, nuts &
vanilla.

Roll in flat balls, press down
on greased cookie sheet. Bake
8 min. in 400 degree oven. Do
not overbake! Makes 4 doz.
large cookies.
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Hazel nut, cherry cookies head Mrs. Zednick's Christmas sweets list

HAZELNUT COOKIE

from the kitchen
of Emma Zednick
1/4 cup sweet chocolate
1/4 lb. hazelnuts chopped fine
1/4 lb. almonds chopped fine
2 egg whites
2/3 cup powdered sugar
2 tablespoons melted butter
or oleo.
1/4 teaspoon cinnamon, and a

sprinkle of cloves.

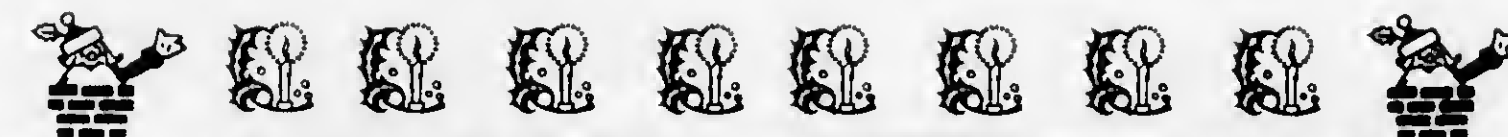
Melt chocolate over hot
water, add chopped nuts,
sugar and mix, add other
ingredients. Spoon onto
greased cookie sheet. Bake in
moderate oven (350) 12 to 15
minutes.

Makes about 4 dozen
cookies.

CHRISTMAS CHERRY COOKIE

1/2 cup butter or oleo
1/4 cup sugar
1 egg yolk
1 cup flour
1/2 teaspoon vanilla
1 tablespoon orange rind
1 tablespoon lemon juice
1/2 cup walnut meats
8 or 10 candied cherries

Mix first seven ingredients,
and chill for several hours.
Then roll size of walnut, roll in
egg white and then in nut
meats. Top with candied
cherry and citron to form
Christmas flower.
Cherries should be cut in
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Bake at 350 degrees for 10
minutes.



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NYLON NET CHRISTMAS TREE

From Mrs. Max Gennett
Material needed
Two and one half yards of green or white nylon net.
One piece of wood 5½ inches x 5½ inches square.
One dowel rod 15½ inches

long.

One piece of aluminum foil to cover wood.

Large assorted colored sequins.

Small Christmas bulbs.
1 angel or star for tree top.
Drill hole in center of wood

block and insert dowel rod. Cover the wood with the aluminum foil. Lay the nylon net out lengthwise and cut in strips across. Cut only one strip at a time, cut 16 strips altogether, one of each size except make two of 6 inch strip.

Cut as follows:

8½", 8", 7½", 7", 6½", 6", 5½", 5", 4½", 4", 3½", 3", 2½", 2", 1½". Each strip is ½ inch smaller than the last.
Use regular double thread and needle. Run thread through tip of strip, then

gather in a circle and tie securely around the dowel rod. Each strip makes a layer of the tree. Glue the sequins on the tree. Decorate the tree with the small bulbs. Then put the angel or star on top of the tree.

Make Christmas special

Handmade ornaments highlight tree

Many Americans will make their own stuffed and colored Christmas ornaments this year, it is reported by Sanford Corp.

The ornaments are made of batist or other soft white fabric, stuffed with polyester. "Glad Rags" colored fabric-markers are used to create angels, Santa Claus, eanes, pets, bells, toys and other cheerful objects.

The designs and sewing are simple and the results are different from anything that is mass produced.

The technique calls for cutting out a rectangular piece of batiste or other soft white fabric about 6" x 8", which will be large enough for both the front and back of the ornament. The designs for both front and back should be drawn or traced before the fabric is cut for the two sides.

Use the pattern shown here or trace one taken from a publication or pattern book.

The fabric is placed over pattern, which will be visible through the material. Trace the sewing line only (the solid black line) with a Glad Rags plastic pattern-pencil on the wrong side of the fabric. On patterns that have a separate pattern for the back, trace that sewing line.

Turn the fabric over to match the pencil line and the stitching line of the pattern. Matching is done by holding the fabric to the light. Color with the Glad Rags fabric and leather-decorating markers. There are 12 colors. Use a light, feather stroke. To keep colors delicate, set the marker down on the seam line and stroke inward. Use the detail pencil to outline and accentuate the finished pattern.

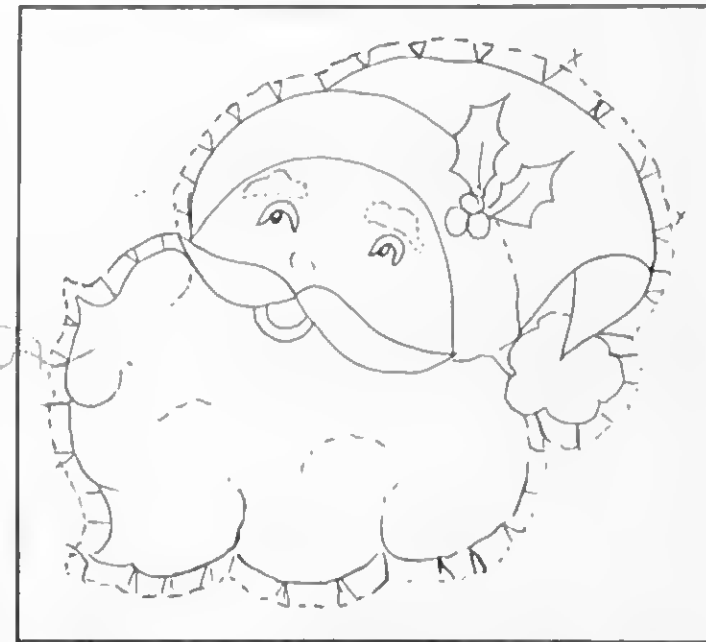
Repeat the coloring on the back of the ornament, checking to be sure the right sides match, facing each other. Color a little beyond the stitching line as a guide for

continuing the pattern on the back.

Place the two right sides together and pin them. Hold the fabric to the light to match trimmings such as ribbon, bands on a bell, etc.

Place the pencil line up and stitch along, it, using a fine stitch, either with machine or by hand. Leave a space open for turning and stuffing. Allowing about ¼" seam allowance, cut the ornament out on the dotted line. Put clips on the convex lines and notches on the concave lines. Cut to the point at the corners, being careful not to cut through the stitchings.

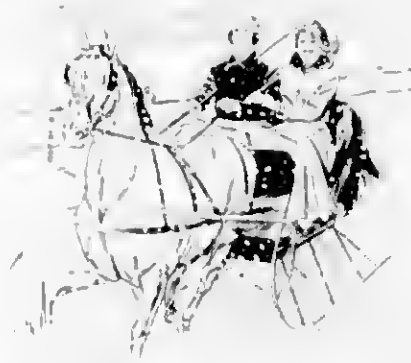
Turn right sides of the ornament through the openings. In small areas, use a turning tool, tweezers or scissors point. Stuff the ornament with polyester fill. Using Glad Rags, color any areas that were missed, draw a ribbon or color any stitches that show.



EASY-TO-FOLLOW DESIGN: Pattern for a Christmas decoration to be made with Glad Rags fabric and leather-decorating markers.



ADORABLE DECORATIONS: Sample self-made Christmas ornaments, prepared with Glad Rags fabric and leather-decorating markers.



Marion Parker has ideas on gifts for relatives, friends of all ages

From Marion K. Parker

For the person who owns a sewing machine and knows how to use it (don't laugh) — many don't! Christmas is a time to bring out the bags of fabric accumulated throughout the year to make those special one-of-a-kind gifts.

For the young children there may be a crib-size patchwork quilt filled with a polyester batt, or a stuffed toy such as a gold velveteen Winnie the Pooh, pink furry Piglet or other Pooh characters. Brown corduroy and white rick-rack make cuddly gingerbread boys. Cotton flannel pajamas

and robes of corduroy can entice the excited little ones to bed if presented to them on Christmas Eve. Bean-bags of any sturdy material are great stocking stuffers.

Youngsters of any age enjoy a pillow made especially for them. One favorite is a Happy Face pillow made of a heavy yellow cotton such as sailcloth. Cut two circles at least 16 inches in diameter and stitch together, leaving a small place to stuff. Features are applied with a black marker pen. For a more feminine taste, cut two heart-shaped pieces of fabric (velveteen, satin, or calico).

Then cut two more hearts of two slightly smaller sizes. Applique the small one to the medium one to the large one. Sew the two large hearts together, adding a lace trim. Speaking of Velveteen, little girls love a simple velveteen dress trimmed with lace. And don't forget a wardrobe for a favorite doll.

For young adults in college or moving into their own apartments, a bed-sized patchwork quilt has special meaning. Young people of today have an appreciation for things home-made. If you have a number of worn-out jeans, they can be re-cycled

into a great quilt with the addition of some bright scraps of cotton quilted material or perhaps some embroidery. An old sleeping bag can be recycled by recovering in patchwork of jeans, corduroy, and materials of like weight. A yard and a half of terrycloth becomes a great shower towel when hemmed at the ends.

Adult friends and relatives will appreciate tree ornaments of calico or gingham lightly stuffed or filled with pine needles and spices. Five yards of the cheapest 36 inch cotton print makes a unique table cloth when cut in half length-wise, the two pieces

stitched together side-by-side, and ends hemmed. Pick a pretty red or green print for Christmas or a color to harmonize with the person's dishes. When bed pillows become old and flat and are relegated to the closet, combine two in one case which you have sewn to fit, then cover with fake fur or denim, for great floor pillows.

And now, before you put away that sewing machine, stitch up an ankle-length hostess apron of perma-press unbleached muslin trimmed with red calico or a Christmas trim.

Give a book to the reader of the household

What to give the person who has everything? Books are welcome gifts that one can never have too many of, and this season, book stores have a wide range of topics to choose from.

For the are lover, there are art books galore, designed to provide hours of happy browsing and to adorn coffee tables handsomely.

There are no end of cook-books to enthrall the gourmet chef, including the new versions for slow-cookers or microwaves.

Hobbyists will be delighted with the many books about their special interests, ranging from the history of railroads to a survey of seashells.

History buffs can bone up on their favorite period, thanks to the plethora of histories available, from studies of ancient Greece to World War II accounts.

Any student of the Bard would appreciate a handsomely bound set of the works of Shakespeare...or how about giving gifting that poetry lover with a volume of verse?

If someone on your list is a do-it-yourselfer, there are

many "how to" books complete with illustrations, to add to his knowledgeability.

Trivia fans will welcome any of the books devoted to this amusing pastime, ranging from encyclopedias of trivia facts to movie quizzes.

Mystery fans love nothing better than a new plot to curl up with, so gift them with the latest thrillers or sets of classic whodunits.

Pet lovers would appreciate books on pet care or books of photographs of their favorite breed.

Gift the gardener with a book on his or her specialty, be it terrarium or vegetable gardening.

Is she clever with her hands? There are no end of books on sewing, quilting, needlepoint, knitting and other well-loved crafts to please the woman who enjoys these hobbies.

Nature lovers will thrill to photographic essays of scenic America or other books featuring magnificent photographs of the outdoors.

Wild West buffs will revel in the many pictorial histories and books of lore available about this fascinating era in American history.



Special wrapping ideas make unique gifts, too

Don't settle for just any gift wrapping for your presents this Christmas. A little creativity in your wraps will add a whole new dimension to your presents. Here are a few ideas to get you started:

In the natural vein, wrap a jar of homemade preserves in ferns and tie it with twine. If you decide to bake loaves of bread for your friends, let the crust serve as the wrapping and merely tie the loaves with

bright, red ribbons.

To wrap small, home-baked loaves, attach delicatessen cartons with the steel handles to form a chain. Decorate each of the cartons with yarn or bright strips of paper.

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¼ tsp. ground cloves
½ c. apricot nectar

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boiling point. Add and dissolve
orange gelatin and cloves.
Dissolve unflavored gelatin
in remaining cranberry juice.
Stir remaining juice and

apricot nectar into hot mix-
ture.

Pour into lightly oiled in-
dividual molds. Chill until
firm.
4-6 servings.

CHERRY PIE SALAD

(Quick and Colorful)
From the kitchen of
Mrs. Jim Thomas

Drain: 1 can chunk
pineapple

Add to pineapple: 1 sliced
banana, 1 c. miniature marsh-
mallows, 1 can cherry pie
filling.

Chill well before serving.

CRANBERRY CHOCOLATE CANDY

(Easy—a recipe for children)
From the kitchen of

Mrs. Jim Thomas

1½ c. fresh cranberries
½ c. sugar
½ c. water
1 pkg. (6 oz.) chocolate
pieces
1 small can (¾ c.)
evaporated milk
1 tsp. vanilla
¼ tsp. salt
4 c. fine graham cracker
crumbs
2 c. miniature marsh-
mallows

½ c. finely chopped walnuts
Combine cranberries, sugar
& water. Bring to boil and boil
3 minutes, or until cranberries
are tender but still hold their
shape. Drain. Reserve 2 tb.
syrup. Melt chocolate with
milk. Stir smooth. Add vanilla
& salt. Stir in rest of
ingredients and reserved
syrup. Pat into well-greased
9x9x2" pan. Chill tinn firm.
Cut in squares.

PEANUT STICK COOKIES

From the kitchen
of Mrs. Jim Thomas

Cream:
¾ c. margarine or butter
½ c. sifted powdered sugar
¼ c. packed brown sugar
1 tsp. vanilla
Add:
2 c. sifted flour gradually.
Mix well.
Add 1 c. chopped raw
peanuts.

Chill 1 hour or until dough
can be handled easily.

Shape into 3" x ½" sticks.
Bake on ungreased sheet at
325 degrees 15 minutes.

Frosting

2tb. butter
1 c. powdered sugar
¾ tsp. instant coffee
½ tsp. vanilla
Blend in: 1-2 Tb. milk



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SENIOR MENS LEAGUE November 21, 1977

	W	L
Puffs	30	14
Townhouse	27	17
State Wide Realty	27	17
Cass Supply	26	18
Borths	25	19
Diesons	25	19
Paul Bunyan Lanes	23	21
Elzing Insurance	22	22
Swansons	21	23
Bogart Roofing	20	24
Murdicks Fudge	20	24
Julierats	18	26
Charlevoix Redi Mix	18	26
Central Drugs	17	27
Midwest North	17	27
Archway Cookies	18	28

TEAM HIGH SERIES		
Puffs	2595	
Borths	2512	
Paul Bunyan Lanes	2486	
Diesons	2401	

TEAM HIGH GAME		
Diesons	939	
Puffs	913	
Paul Bunyan Lanes	875	
Borths	870	

HIGH INDIVIDUAL GAME		
Lee Barta	248	
Arnie Loper	223	
Bill Seese	216	
Russ West Sr	213	

HIGH INDIVIDUAL SERIES		
Arnie Loper	581	
Bill Seese	559	
Gary Spencer	557	
Frank Brechtelsbauer	548	
Russ West Sr	543	
Tip Riley	538	
Ted Felter	538	
Rich Borths	532	
Lee Barta	532	
Bob Borths	520	
Mike Borths	512	
Harvey Broadway	510	
Jack Niswender	504	

GUTTER GALS LEAGUE November 21, 1977		
	W	L
Bogart Roofing	288	192
Gray Gebles	264	216
Argonne	251	229
Muma's Models		
S Things	248	232
Medusa	237	243
Cass Supply	226	254
Colonial Motel	213	267
Freedman's	181	299

TEAM HIGH SERIES		
Gray Gebles	2408	
Bogart Roofing	2320	
Freedman's	2291	
Medusa	2272	

TEAM HIGH GAME		
Gray Gebles	823-801	
Bogart Roofing	800	
Medusa	793	
Colonial Motel	788	

INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES		
Jane Bogart	538	
Mery D'Brien	494	
Faye Alger	450	
Lois Lewis	447	
Shaon Herriman	443	
Jodi Alger	439	

INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME		
Jane Bogart	203-192	
Mery D'Brien	197	
Jill Washburn (sub)	180	
Pat Pence	178	

Jeanne Wynkoop	170	
Sharon Herriman	165	
Splits Converted: Martha		
Thermm, 5-6-10; Jene Bogart, 3-10;		
Kate Wilhelm, 3-10; Jeanne		
Williams, 3-10; Linda Resch, 4-5;		
Phyllis Allison, 3-10; Mery D'Brien,		
3-10; Rose Warstler (sub), 2-10;		
Sonja Martin, 3-10; Laurie		
Swanson, 2-7; Bev Espich, 5-10.		

TUESDAY NIGHT LADIES Nov. 22, 1977

	W	L
Edward's IGA	287	193
American Mold	285	195
Gas Heat Installation	285	195
Dieson's Food Store	260	220
Ron's Transmission	257	223
Medusa Cement	252	228
Staley's Grocery	249	231
Hooker's of Petoskey	248	232
Wharfside Market	245	235
Louise's Beauty Shoppe	242	238
Lake Construction	227	253
Birdies Beauty Shoppe	217	263
Cinema III	217	263
Rexell Drug	200	280
Hoskins	200	280
Argonne Supper Club	169	311

TEAM HIGH SERIES		
Lake Construction	3031	
American Mold	2978	

INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES		
Jane Bogart	543	
Bette Coen	542	
Gail Janis	518	
Sally Geer, Julie Supernaw	505	
Louise Bergmann	497	
Connie Doan	492	

INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME		
Betty Coen	210	
Gail Janis	206	
Connie Doan	197	
Sally Geer	194	
Jane Bogart	192	
Clara Martin, Kay Ball	182	
Splits Converted: Sharon		
Daylong 3-10 Carolyn Weislik,		
Jeanne Cavitch 4-10, Rachel		
Niswender 9-10, Sue Holm 4-5-7,		
Shirley Elzings, Arlene Staley 5-10,		
Betty Henne 3-10 & 3-6-7, Pat Ricks		
4-5.		

WEDNESDAY NITE LADIES November 23, 1977

	W	L
Culver Construction	34	14
Penfold Ace Hardware	33	15
Charlevoix Co. State Bank	27	21
Kit Carson Lumber Co.	26	22
Koontz Building	22	26
Boss Engineering	18	30
Sonny's Gun Shop	17	31
Madden's Aluminum	15	33

TEAM HIGH SERIES		
Madden's Aluminum	2262	
Penfold Ace Hardware	2253	
Sonny's Gun Shop	2229	
Koontz Building	2207	

TEAM HIGH GAME		
Charlevoix County State Bank	794	
Penfold Ace Hardware	792	
Madden's Aluminum	787	
Sonny's Gun Shop	781	

INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES		
Jean Stowe	461	
Cindy Mensen	430	
Karen Brun	425	
Betty Bergmann	422	

Doris Wieland	414	
Margia Pelham	409	
INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME		
Jean Stowe	187	
Marian Heeres	176	
Betty Bergmann	166	
Theola Elzing	163	
Cindy Mensen	155	
Margia Pelham	153	
Splits Converted: Pat Roebuck,		
7-8; Margia Pelham, 3-10 and 4-5;		
Martha Thermm, 3-10; Keren Brun,		
7-2-10.		

WEDNESDAY NIGHT CHURCH LEAGUE November 23, 1977

	W	L
Dieson's	324	276
Keystone Concrete	317	283
Lutheran's	307	293
St. Mary's	300	300
Holm Auto Sales	289	311
Community Reformed	289	311
Atwood Reformed	288	312
Browe Electric	286	314

TEAM HIGH SERIES

Community Reformed	2467	
Dieson's	2453	

TEAM HIGH GAME

Holm Auto Sales	895	
Dieson's	869	

INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES

Gary Spencer	569	
Bob Smalley	562	
Bill Wynsma	538	
David Blanchard	531	
Ginn Taylor	530	
Mike Boiths/Jim Potter	522	

INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME

Gary Spencer	233	
Bob Smalley	213	
James Mansen	212	
Sam Washburn	210	
Jim Potter	203	

SPDRSMENS LEAGUE November 24, 1977

	W	L
Dapper Dicks Deli	302	182
Edwards IGA	301	183
Couaty Bank	259	225
First State Bank	251	233
Argonne	244	240
Kit Carson Lumber Co.	226	258
Peters Electric	200	284
Frank Flowers	153	331

TEAM HIGH SERIES

Dapper Dicks Deli	2432	
Edwards IGA	2413	
First State Bank	2363	
Kit Carson Lumber	2296	

TEAM HIGH GAME

Edwards IGA	669	
Dapper Dicks	664	
First State Bank	626	
Kit Carson Lumber	614	

INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES

Nick DeYoung	731	
Ed Bajos	723	
Rill Supernaw	713	
John Swanson	705	
Steve Ager	688	

INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME

Ed Bajos	215-203	
John Swanson	213	
Bill Supernaw	212	
Larry Edwards	210	
Steve Ager	204	

FRIDAY NIGHT LADIES LEAGUE November 25, 1977

	W	L
Town House	29%	18%

Bay Shore Steel	27	21
Paul Bunyan Lanes	26%	21%
Hoskins No. 1	25	23
V.I.P.	23%	24%
Hoskins No. 2	23	25
Medusa	21%	26%
Kentucky Fried Chicken	16	32

TEAM HIGH SERIES

Town House	2346	
Hoskins No. 1	2340	
Bay Shore Steel	2315	
Kentucky Fried Chicken	2307	

TEAM HIGH GAME

Hoskins No. 1	851	
Bay Shore Steel	817	
Town House	795	
Hoskins No. 2	790	

INDIVIDUAL HIGH SERIES

Barb Skeel	519	
Rosemary Corradi	491	
Carol Burry	485	
Cina Bergmann	481	

INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME

Barb Skeel	201	
Rosemary Corradi	191	
Carol Burry	185	
Mary Moore	183	

EARLY BIRD MIXED DOUBLES November 17, 1977

	W	L
By Clare Parsel		
Finley Wade	15	6

FINLEY WADE

Barb Skeel	519	
Rosemary Corradi	491	
Carol Burry	485	
Cina Bergmann	481	

INDIVIDUAL HIGH GAME

Barb Skeel	201	
Rosemary Corradi	191	
Carol Burry	185	
Mary Moore	183	

WDMEN'S HIGH SERIES

Clara Parsel	430	
Katie Wade	415	
Lura Wells (sub)	406	

WDMEN'S HIGH GAME

Clara Parsel	169	
Katie Wade	146	
Lura Wells (sub)	139	

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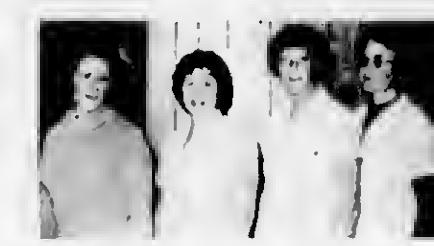
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Coen, Jeanne Wynkoop, Missing:
Sylvia Smith.



Betty Henne, Sandy Fassett, Lillian Carr,
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Bowling balls are made of hard rubber or plastic and feature three holes of varying diameters and depths. If you are a beginning bowler, there are several things that you should look for in a good bowling ball including the weight, position of the holes and the pitch (how each hole slants toward the center of the ball).

At first you may not be able to tell exactly what weight ball is best for you. Select one that you feel you can control and then, after bowling with it for a while, feel free to exchange it for a lighter or heavier ball, if necessary. In any case, make a mental note of the weight of your ball for future guidance.

You should think about buying your own custom-fitted ball after you have bowled

long enough to establish a preference for a specific weight ball and a particular style of releasing it.

Generally, you should select the maximum weight of ball that you can handle comfortably. You can get more speed in your delivery with light balls, but light balls deflect more - bounce off the pins more - when they hit the wood.

Bowling center pro shops or sporting goods stores that specialize in bowling are equipped with a set of "master" balls each possessing many holes that offer an infinite variety of hole positions and pitches. By fitting your hand to the master ball, the bowling pro or attendant will be able to order a ball drilled exactly to your specifications. He or she will also ask to see how you release your ball, as this will affect the specifications.

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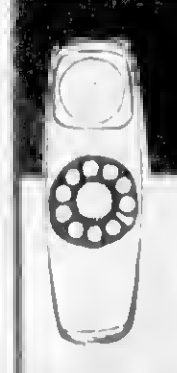
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PROGRESS ON the construction of the new shopping center, Captains Corners, on M-66 has been slow but steady. The walls are all up and part of the roof is in position. Five retail businesses have now signed leases

with the developers Weatherford/Walker. Glen's Market, one of the first businesses to decide to go in the shopping center will also be the first to open its doors. Glen's is planning to open late in January

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Three more retail businesses lease space in shopping center

A total of five retail businesses have now signed leases for space in the new shopping center, Captains Corners, which is being developed on M-66. In addition to Glen's Market and Ben Franklin, the first two businesses to sign leases with Weatherford Walker, Farmington Hills developers of the shopping center, Puff's Appliance Center, Inc., Barb's Hallmark Harbor and an unnamed pharmacy will be moving into the complex. Family Federal Savings will also be relocating on the shopping center property, but it will be constructing a separate bank building. Glen's Market has the earliest opening date of the five businesses, which has tentatively been set as the middle of January. "We're going to open as soon as we can," Glen's Market president, Glen's Market, explained. "Our equipment is arriving this week and our shelving should be here by Monday. "Our merchandise will begin arriving at the store in early January." Following Glen's will be the pharmacy, which is expected to open March

1. Ben Franklin and Barb's Hallmark Harbor are expected to open April 1 and Puff's is expected to be in the shopping center by May 1. The pharmacy will not be a part of a chain, according to Rich Walker, a developer of the shopping center. It will be a pharmacy and variety store and will cover 1,500 square feet. Barb Kluczynski of Warren and her husband will be the owners of Barb's Hallmark Harbor, a 1,750 square foot store in the shopping center. The store will feature Hallmark cards and gifts as well as a complete line of stationary, photo albums and bridal accessories, according to Mrs. Kluczynski. "We are planning to cater to the residents," the new store owner explained. "We hope to have what they will want." Mrs. Kluczynski said she and her family have wanted to relocate in the Charlevoix area for several years and have also wanted to own their own business. She and her husband have no previous retail experience. "It will be a new home and a new

business for us," Mrs. Kluczynski explained. "We're looking forward to the challenge." Puff's move from its Bridge Street location to the shopping center is part of an overall expansion program, according to Joe Blachy, store owner. "We will be operating a 2,800 square foot store as part of our double expansion program in Charlevoix and Petoskey," Blachy said. "We will be going into the furniture, carpeting and bedding business in addition to the stereo room and kitchen planning service which is currently

offered in our Charlevoix store." Walker said the developers were currently negotiating with a family shoe shop, a children's clothing store, three women's clothing stores, a unisex beauty and barber shop and a restaurant. The developer said he has leased 4,550 square feet of the available 12,000 square feet of floor space in the shopping center. The shopping center was scheduled to open last Nov. 1, but due to funding problems and severe rain construction was delayed several months.

Courier--WVOY Carol-In Dec. 22 in East Park

Warm up your singing voices and get out your Christmas spirits, the Charlevoix Courier and WVOY Radio are planning their fourth annual "Carol-In." All area residents are invited to join in a community evening of singing beginning at 8 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 22, in East Park in Charlevoix. Marina LaBlance, Charlevoix Elementary School music teacher, will lead the singing and Santa Claus himself may even make a special guest appearance at the celebration. Refreshments will be provided following the "Carol-In" and a drawing will be held for a family gift compliments of the Courier and WVOY. In order to be eligible to win the prize, which will be announced next week, area residents should mail or bring in Christmas cards to the Charlevoix Courier, 301 Michigan Ave., Charlevoix, or to WVOY, 211 Bridge St., Charlevoix by 6 p.m. Dec. 22. The cards should contain the sender's name and address. Winners must be present at the "Carol-In" in order to claim their prize.



Hey kids! Send letters to Santa and see them in Courier

It's that time of year again, boys and girls. It's time to write your letters to Santa telling him how you've behaved during the past year and also to let him know what you would like for Christmas. If you mail your letters to us, the Charlevoix Courier, we will print as many as we can in our Christmas

edition and then we will forward them on to the North Pole for Santa to read. Just send your letters to: Santa Claus, c/o Charlevoix Courier, 301 Michigan Ave., Charlevoix, Michigan, 49720. Letters must be received at the Courier office by Dec. 16 in order to be published.

Objects to Stroud Merger Plan
We wish to congratulate Mayor Hansen for being less than luke warm to Oscar Stroud's merger ideas. Stroud's proposals appear to be nothing but a 5-year delaying action during which time the city is to give the township everything it ever wanted. Once the township residents get city water, electric and fire protection, it would have no incentive to merge with the city. Also, supervisor Stroud's idea of putting township residents on the Charlevoix City Council is unthinkable, and probably illegal.

City Needs to Run as a Business
I have heard it reported that the City of Charlevoix has assets in excess of \$50,000,000. If so, this city is a big business, and should operate and function as a business corporation. As a stock holder of this corporation, I am concerned that the Fourth Class Cities Act permits a part-time Mayor who must be dependent upon other sources for his income and livelihood, to exert considerable control and influence, right or wrong, over our \$50,000,000 corporation. This is evidenced by the Mayor's recent firing of the City Manager, without a hearing, and without a vote of the council. As a concerned stock holder, I want the elected council to be a Board of Directors and the elected Mayor to be Chairman of the Board, this body to set policy and give direction to an appointed City Manager, who acts as President of the corporation, and who is directly responsible to the council and Mayor for following policy and direction. If the City Manager doesn't follow policy and direction, he can be immediately discharged by a legal vote of the council and replaced. Isn't this a far better form of control and governmental management than we have had in this town in recent years. Under the Fourth Class Cities Act there is no focus of responsibility and when something goes wrong, as it has in the past, the Mayor, the Council, and the City Manager are each pointing their finger at each other. I feel the proposed Charter resolves many of the problems which we are now experiencing and I for one am going to vote yes for passage of said Charter, to correct the ills which we are now experiencing.

Need Guidelines for Officials
To the best of my knowledge the City of Charlevoix has had in its history seven City Managers, the last three of which had been fired within the past five years. Two fired by the Mayor, with selfish motives, and one by the Council. I feel that no mature, responsible, qualified person would be interested in taking such a position with any city, with a history such as this. I am told that the city's last two efforts to obtain a new City Manager, did not really produce outstanding applicants due to the fact that the city was one of the few in the state which was still a Fourth Class city, and which did not define the responsibility of its elected and appointed officials. So what do we do now? We're without a City Manager and I am convinced that we cannot have a responsible one until the Proposed Home Rule is passed, and definition of responsibility is truly set forth. **Long Term Leases Prohibited**
I understand the Mayor is attempting to sell the Council and the people on leasing the Municipal docks to the Beaver Island Boat Company for 30 years. If anyone would bother to look at the books, they would discover that the present law of the city, and the proposed Home Rule Charter prohibits the leasing of city docks for a period in excess of 5 years.

Wants Council to Control
Our Mayor opposes a Home Rule Charter which detracts from his powers. WHY? Ed has almost complete control of the City now, under the Fourth Class Cities Act, and he must want to be Mayor for many years in the future. I want management and control of the city to be set by an elected council and City Manager, not by a part-time employee of the City.

WEATHER				
The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant:				
Date	High	Low	Precip.	
November 26	32	26	.10 (1" snow)	
November 27	31	26	.02 (.5" snow)	
November 28	38	29	.04 (.5" snow)	
November 29	40	30	.01	
November 30	42	29	.00	
December 1	43	39	.75	
December 2	37	30	.25 (.5" snow)	

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Tuesday, Dec. 6
Basketball: **Charvick** at **Grayling** 7:30. **Varsity**: 8 p.m.
Charvick Area Historical Society will meet at the **Community Room**, **First State Bank** 8 p.m. **Hennepines** of **Christians** past by members will **comprise the informal program**.
• **Women of the Church of God** will meet with **Mrs. David Jalliers**, **Prospect Ave.** 7:30 p.m. for **Christmas party**.
• **American Legion** will meet at **post home** 8 p.m.
Wednesday, Dec. 7
• **Wrestling**: **Salt Stc. Marie, Osceola** and **Potosky** here, 6:30 p.m.
• **Women's Fellowship of the First Congregational Church** will meet with **Mrs. David Fowler** for the **annual Christmas tea** honoring new members of the church 1:30 p.m. **Guests**: **Executive Board**, **Deacons**, **Mrs. C. A. Odmark**; **Program**: **Mrs. James Thomas** reading **Peter Marshall's "Let Us Keep Christmas"**.
• **Charvick Band Boosters**: **Mercedes Salad Luncheon** at the **Hotel** 12:30 p.m. **Legion** post home 11 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Soring Club will meet at **airport hangar** 8 p.m.
Coast Guard Wives Club will meet with **Mrs. John Burkee**, **502 Bridge St.** 7:30 p.m.
• **Charvick Soring Club** will meet at **airport hangar** 8 p.m.
• **TOPS** will meet at undercroft, **Christ Episcopal church** for **weigh-in** at 6:00 p.m.; **business meeting** 6:30 p.m.
• **Little Flower Guild** will meet at **School Hall** 8 p.m.
• **Hearth**: **Mrs. Edward Brady**; **TOPS** will meet at undercroft of **Christ Episcopal church** 6 p.m. for **weigh-in**; **business meeting** 6:30 p.m.
• **Norwood United Methodist Women** will host a **family Christmas** and **potluck supper** at **Friendship Hall** 6:30 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 8
• **Wrestling**: **Rogers** City here 6:30 p.m.
• **Freshmen basketball**: **Charvick** at **Rogers City** 7 p.m.
• **Grandview Medical Care Facility Auxiliary** will meet at the **Facility** 2 p.m.
• **V.F.W.** will meet at **post home** 8 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 9
Basketball: Rogers City High School, 7:30 p.m. Varsity: 8 p.m.

Al-Ans Family Group will meet at the undercroft of **Christ Episcopal Church**, 400 N. 1st St., 7:30 p.m. Family and friends are invited to attend. For further information call 2145.

Saturday, Dec. 10
V.F.W. and V.F.W. Auxiliary members and their families will meet at the post home at 6:30 p.m. for annual Christmas party.

First Christians conduct dinner for members of the **Charitable Rod and Gun Club** and Auxiliary and their families at clubhouse 6:30 p.m. Members are asked to bring a dish to pass, own table service and a gift for every family member attending.

Sunday, Dec. 11
Christian Brotherhood Hour 8 a.m. Station WWYV sponsored by Community Church of God.

Strats Area Oystermen Association will hold its annual Christmas potluck meeting at Littlefield Community Center on US 31 at Alanson 1:30 p.m. All persons are invited to attend. For further information call 2145.

Monday, Dec. 12
Freshman basketball:
Harbor Springs 8:30 p.m.;
 Cha-Fm: Intermediate
 School District board of
 Education will meet at the
 Service Center, Mearl Blvd.,
 8 p.m.
 Women's Guild of the
 Charlevoix Area Hospital will
 meet at the hospital 8 p.m.
 Charlevoix township board
 will meet at township hall 7:30
 p.m.
 Eveline township board will
 meet at the Walter Kemmer
 home, Sequaneta and Phelps
 Rd., 8 p.m.

Tuesday, Dec. 13
Basketball: Harbor Springs
 here; JV: 6:30 p.m.; Varsity:
 8 p.m.
 Charlevoix Garden Club will
 meet with Mrs. Homer Braden
 North Point, 11 p.m. Program:

Unusual gifts for gardeners' by Mrs. Robert Close with members participating; Co-hostesses: Mrs. Paul Siegelman and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson. Charlevoix Hebrew Lodge will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.

Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will meet at Gray Gables Inn 7 p.m.

Men's Prayer meeting a.m. Community Church of God.

Wednesday, Dec. 14

Parents Without Partners will meet at the Native American Recovery Center 206 Bridge St. for 6:30 potluck supper followed by a business meeting at 8:30 p.m. Members and those eligible to join are asked to bring a dish to pass and own table service. For

more information call 547-4343
during the day and 547-5000
after 5 p.m.

Charlevoix County Humane
Society will meet with Mrs.
Irvin Sturm, Hortons Bay,
7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix County Char-
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Blind, will meet at the
Community Room, First State
Bank, 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Flying Club will
meet at airport hangar #3
Round Lake Lodge No. 29
I.O.O.F., will meet
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Pigskin circle will meet
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Saturday, Dec. 8
Charlevoix VFW Post #1025
its Auxiliary will hold its annual family Christmas party for family and friends at the post home 6:30 p.m. Members are asked to bring gifts to pass and own table service for 6:30 p.m. potluck. Also gifts for own children/grandchildren. Santa to distribute. Adults will have a \$1.00 gift exchange, marked man or lady. For additional information call 547-2606 or 2865.

Thursday, Dec. 8
The Women's Auxiliary of the Grandview Medical Care Facility will hold its annual Christmas party for the patients at the Facility starting 6 p.m. Charlevoix members are in charge of the event. Any wishing to help is asked to call Mrs. Carl Gunn.

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A formal retirement ceremony aboard the U.S. Coast Guard Cutter Mesquite Thursday honored two Senior Chiefs who were concluding a combined total of 45 years in his country's oldest service.

Jimmy O. Bowman, Senior Chief Machinery Technician, with 23 years to his credit and Richard L. Selissen, Senior Chief Boatman, a veteran of 22 years, were honored.

The pair joined Lt. Cmdr. James V. O'Neill, Commanding Officer, and Lt. Charles Bell, Executive Officer, in a personnel inspection prior to receiving their retirement papers. In conclusion, each was presented with a gift from their fellow officers and enlisted men.

Both Bowman and Selissen have spent the last two years in the service aboard the U.S.C.G.C. Sundew and more recently its replacement, the Mesquite. However, the other assignments while in the service have little in common.

Bowman was born in Springfield, Tenn., and was reared in Detroit where he enlisted in the U.S. Coast Guard in September, 1954. After completing boot training at Cape May, N.J., he was assigned to the Cutter Heather and later the Diligence at San Pedro, Calif.

From there he went to Hawaii for tours of duty aboard the Cutters Pinetree and the Cape Corwin; to the Lifeboat Station at Sandy Hook, N.J.; to Cape May, N.J., where he was stationed aboard the U.S.C.G. Reserve Training Ship, Unimac; another tour aboard the Cape Corwin Station at Sitkinak Island, Alaska; the Ninth District Headquarters in Cleveland and back to Charlevoix in 1972.

He and his wife, Karen, will continue to make their home here with their family, David, who is presently stationed at Orlando, Fla., with the U.S. Navy; Michelle, Nancy, Deborah and twins, Jenny and

RICHARD SELISSEN and Jimmy Bowman are congratulated on their retirement from the U.S. Coast Guard by Lt. Cmdr. James O'Neill following ceremonies aboard the Mesquite last week.

Grand Rapids orchestra

See Coast Guard page 15.

The Grand Rapids Philharmonic Orchestra, under the direction of Theo Alcantara, is coming to the area to perform a special Christmas concert.

Sponsored by the Crooked River Chapter of the Kiwanis Club, the 24 musicians will perform at 8 p.m., Thursday at the Petoskey High School.

The Grand Rapids Philharmonic Orchestra is a core group of

musicians with the larger Grand Rapids Symphony Orchestra created as a touring group to take the orchestra around the state.

Included in the program will be Vivaldi's "Four Seasons," Beethoven's "Symphony No. 3," and Berlioz's "Divertissement."

Reserved patron tickets for the concert, which includes a reception after "Afterglow" party

at the Bay View Inn to meet Theo Alcantara and the orchestra.

Unreserved seat tickets are \$10.00. Student tickets are \$5.00.

12. Separate tickets for the "Afterglow" are also available for \$5.50 apiece.

Patron tickets are available in Charlevoix at Reis Gallery and the Chamber of Commerce. They also can be bought at the

The Charlevoix Post Office will be open all day Saturday, to assist with the mailing of Christmas mail. The Post Office Department suggests that all mail be

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The problem of skyrocketing liability insurance costs is beginning to hit home—right in the pocket of the taxpayer.

A problem the insurance brokers have been worried about for the past three years, sky high liability insurance premiums and even the unavailability of liability insurance coverage, suddenly became real for the Charlevoix Common Council this year when it wanted to renew its liability insurance policy.

Liability insurance covers the city in cases where people are injured due to negligence on the part of a city employee. The insurance also protects the city if suit is brought against one of the city officials for slander or libel.

Richard Martin of the Charlevoix Agency, informed the common council that he could find only one insurance company that would consider coverage for a yearly cost of \$28,326.

And Martin said he had no way of knowing if the company would consider covering the city again next year. Many insurance companies are leery of writing liability insurance policies for police departments or cities because of the huge judgments that are awarded when cases against policemen are brought to court.

As it turned out, the insurance premium took a \$4,000 jump and a dip in coverage. The new policy provides a \$1 million umbrella for the city and basic coverage at a cost of \$28,326.

Previously the city had a three-year policy with a \$3 million umbrella and a higher basic coverage for a yearly cost of \$12,365.

Martin said he had no way of knowing if the company would consider covering the city again next year. Many insurance companies are leery of writing liability insurance policies for police departments or cities because of the huge judgments that are awarded when cases against policemen are brought to court.

In order to protect themselves, insurance companies have stopped insuring police departments. Martin pointed out that it is impossible for insurance companies to raise their premiums enough to cover their costs.

"Some companies have had to increase their premiums by as much as 100 percent in a year," Martin said. "And those increases are based on claims paid out, not arbitrary figures."

Martin blamed an increasing interest in consumerism for part of the increase in liability insurance costs. His partner, Don Voisin, said he had noticed a change in attitudes, too.

"It used to be that people never sued the city," Voisin said. "If you grew up in a community you wouldn't dream of suing it if something happened."

"But it's not like that any more. People want something if something harms them no matter who is responsible."

And the result is ever increasing liability insurance premiums which means a hike in taxes. Or if the insurance carrier is a private manufacturer, it means a hike in the cost of products.

A suit against the city which results in a large settlement may also mean the city will have to settle for little or no coverage. Officials in Alton, Ill., did that and recently lost a \$15 million law suit which was only partially covered by insurance. Now the city has to issue bonds in order to pay off the suit.

The threat of a possible loss of insurance also affects the city police officers and other city officials act on their jobs.

Sheriff George Lasater said his concern about losing liability insurance coverage made him wary of jumping into a situation too hastily.

"It's very easy to get sued," Lasater explained. "I'm being sued right now for something that happened before I even took office. But because I'm the sheriff now, I'm the one that gets sued."

Martin and Voisin said the insurance companies were trying to get legislation passed to prevent some of the suits that are taking place, but so far no action has been taken and insurance premiums continue to rise.

Expansion is in the works for the Charlevoix offices of Ron Pair Enterprises on Stover Road.

Construction of a new two-level 8,000 square foot glass office structure is expected to begin immediately. The new office building will accommodate the relocation of Ron Pair's International Headquarters.

The relocation will result in the consolidation of all departments except marketing, which will remain in the Detroit area. Roger Smigel, the company's controller, has been promoted to general manager of all operations and he will be moving to the Charlevoix area along with other Detroit office personnel within the next 60 days.

A total of eight people work in the Detroit office.

The new office building is being constructed in Charlevoix following the company's decision not to relocate its international headquarters in Detroit's new firm.

The office building will be known as Midwest Plaza and will include a landscaped all-weather atrium and lobby area.

The company manufactures dust free loading spouts for concrete, fertilizer, grain and other bulk materials. They are used throughout the United States and in nine foreign countries.

The Charlevoix School District is taking a close look at itself and the education it is giving its students.

A special Curriculum Council made up of teachers and administrators is selecting the efforts of staff members at all three schools to review the curriculum of the school district and to make suggestions for changes and improvements.

The council was established last year by former Superintendent James McKimby to start a systematic curriculum study. Teachers were asked to volunteer for committees in various curriculum areas such as social science, English or math and to evaluate the various programs.

The chairman of the committees, the building principals and the superintendent made up the curriculum council and kept each other informed of progress made by each group.

"Last year we met all year and the three committees submitted our reports to the board of education for their consideration," Charles Bentley, chairman of the curriculum council, said.

Also, the council's efforts two new programs have been instituted in the district, a program for gifted children at the elementary school and the expanded program at the middle school.

"Another important thing that happened was that the curriculum council got the teachers and the three committees together and talking about programs," Bentley said.

"We need a time for the teachers to get together and this worked out perfectly."

The curriculum study is continuing this year as teachers in the elementary, middle and high schools attempt to work out total programs in each subject for students in kindergarten through twelfth grade.

In addition, the council is also looking at kindergarten through twelfth grade testing program so that the teachers will be able to see how various students are doing and can give them the help they need.

The council is also discussing instituting a system of competency based graduation and promotion. Under this system, students must meet certain requirements in order to be promoted or graduated.

Bentley said the council is also looking for public input on various curriculum areas and he suggested that interested citizens contact the following committee chairman or administrative personnel with their comments: Barry Anderson, vocational education; Pat Carland, social studies; Mary Anderson, new social studies; Tom Felter, human growth and development; Marian Kohn, English and foreign language; Joy Mudge, library services; Gary Smith, mathematics; Tildon, science and math; or Bentley, student services.

Superintendent Gordon Van Wieren, Vane Smith, Vicki Chas. Ralston, and Charles Bentley can also be contacted with suggestions.

Financial aid forms for Charlevoix High School students interested in going to college will be available in January, Charles Bentley, high school counselor, has announced.

The counseling staff is planning a formal program to inform students and parents about the various forms in early January.

A slide show about financial aid will be part of the program and the counselors will go through the forms and answer any questions students and parents may have about them, Bentley said. The program will be designed for seniors and their parents but juniors and their parents will also be welcome.

More information about the program will be released later in the month.

For the first time in over 100 years, the Salvation Army is giving the general public an opportunity to help finance its World Hunger project.

During 1978, the Salvation Army is pledging itself to do even more for people of the world who are in need. This mission will require a great deal of money.

To help raise the money, the Salvation Army Citizen Volunteer Service Unit of Charlevoix will have a fund

raising day Saturday. On that day, members of the Charlevoix Kiwanis Club will be located at various points around the city with collection boxes.

Mayor Edward Hansen has proclaimed Saturday "World Hunger Day in Charlevoix," citing the work done by the Salvation Army through the years.

All money collected Saturday will be used for world hunger. There will be no

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Collection boxes will be located at Diesen's Grocery, Williams' Dockside Pharmacy, Ochs' Central Drug Store, and Edwards' IGA Grocery.

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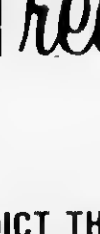
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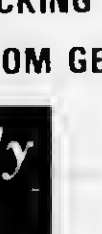
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Editorials/Opinions

Proposed new charter best cure for city's ills, Vote Yes Monday.

Monday will be an important day in the lives of the residents of the City of Charlevoix. Monday is the date of the second vote on a proposed new charter for the city.

If approved, the new charter will change Charlevoix from a fourth class city to a home rule city. The new charter will provide guidelines for city operation written by Charlevoix residents for Charlevoix problems.

The Charlevoix Charter Commission members have spent the last three years thoroughly studying various charters and working on one they feel best meets the needs of Charlevoix.

The Fourth Class Cities Act, the current charter under which the city operates, was written in the late 1890s by the state legislature for all the cities in the state and doesn't deal with any of the specific problems of Charlevoix or any city for that matter.

The new charter will also switch the direction of the city from a part time operation by one elected official with the assistance of a full time city administrator to a full time, business-oriented operation by a hired executive under the direction of six elected officials.

Charlevoix is a big business. It has a \$3 million budget and these funds need to be looked after by a professional who accounts to the public through the elected officials. The city cannot be run haphazardly on a part time basis and be run successfully.

The new charter also proposes to update city laws to keep Charlevoix in step with the times and to prepare the city for the anticipated expansion it will be facing in the near future.

Charlevoix needs a change. City government seems to be in a constant state of confusion. No one seems to really know what is going on.

A city manager, as proposed under the new charter, could draw all of the loose ends together into a coherent bundle to help the mayor and the council make intelligent decisions instead of the fly-by-the-seat-of-the-pants approach which is being taken in many instances.

Under the present charter there are seven elected officials who are supposed to be running the city, but that is not the way the city is operating. It appears that the mayor is controlling everything including what the aldermen know about city operations.

The proposed charter has been criticized as cutting down on people's representation in city government and concentrating the power in the hands of one man, the city manager.

However, under current city operations the people are not afforded much more representation because the power is concentrated in the hands of one man, the mayor.

A vote for the new charter is a vote for representation through six elected officials and administration of their decision by one man.

The charter is not an easy thing to understand. A special meeting will be held by the charter commission at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday (Dec. 7) in the Charlevoix High School study hall to answer any questions people may have about the charter.

Copies of the charter are also available at the Charlevoix Courier offices, 301 Michigan Ave.

Want to Write to Your Men in Lansing or DC?

Want to write your man in Washington or Lansing? Here are the addresses of the two U.S. Senators and the U.S. Congressman from Michigan, the State Senator and the two State Representatives from the Charlevoix Courier's circulation area.

U.S. SENATOR—Donald Riegle (D), 438 Federal Bldg., 231 Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich., 48223; Robert Griffin (R), 1039 Federal Building, 231 Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich., 48223. In Washington D.C., write to the U.S. Senate, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

U.S. CONGRESSMAN—Rep. Philip Ruppe (R), Woodland Road, Houghton, Mich., 49931; or the U.S. House of Representatives, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C., 20515.

STATE SENATOR—Robert Davis (R), 351 E. Fourth St., Gaylord, Mich., 49735; or State Senate Chambers, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE—103rd District—Ralph Ostling (R), Route 2, Box 475B, Roscommon, Mich., 48653; 106th District—E. Dan Stevens (R), Atlanta, Mich., 49709. The representatives may also be reached at the House of Representatives, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich., 48901.

We suggest you clip and save this for future references.

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Clockwise by Bob Clock

If you do nothing else on the Dec. 12, 1977, get down to the polls and vote "yes" on home rule for Charlevoix. We cannot afford to operate much longer under the outdated Fourth Class City Act which was tailor-made for sleepy little turn-of-the-century communities.

For example, take the city's present dilemma.

A month ago, the mayor and council agreed that the city administrator was not doing the job to their liking. Although some members of the council thought a conference with the administrator was in order, the mayor took their dissatisfaction as a mandate to clean house and he did.

As a result, the city today is without an administrator or even a second in command.

And the chances that we'll be able to find someone competent to fill the post under prevailing conditions are extremely remote.

Remember, the Fourth Class City Act does not even recognize the need for an administrator in a city the size of Charlevoix. Three years ago we created the position by ordinance, but that is scarcely the same as having the job built in to the city's chain of command, as is the case under the proposed home rule charter.

I am confident that no administrator worth his salt will accept the job today with all the uncertainty it entails. We might luck out, but our track record hasn't been all that good in the past.

Incidentally, the council has a free hand in the hiring and firing of city managers under the proposed charter. The main difference is that the game will be played by the book. No "man-dates" will be assumed by anyone without a vote by the council, and certainly not before the accused has a chance to answer charges against him and attempt to effect changes.

The last time Charlevoix voted on charter revision in July, opponents to home rule urged residents to vote "no" if they had not read or made themselves familiar with the proposed charter. However, five months have

now passed and ignorance is no longer a valid excuse for voting "no."

Basically, the proposed charter will vote on Dec. 12 is the same one presented last July with one major difference: Under the new charter, the mayor will be elected directly by the people rather than by the council.

Originally the charter commission went the council route as sort of a guarantee that the mayor would have served a term or two on the council and would have a nodding familiarity with city government.

However, the lack of an elected mayor was one of the chief criticisms of the proposed charter and so a mayor elected by the people at large has been reinstated. Among our critics on this issue was Attorney General Frank Kelley who pointed out that a five-man council with a voting mayor would leave us without a tie-breaker. The commission had agreed that tie votes would be "no" votes, but that wasn't entirely right either.

So now we are back to an elected mayor who will be nominated with the clerk at a city-wide convention prior to the ward conventions in September. He will not vote, but he will break ties.

Other elements of the charter remain the same. Elections are non-partisan; councilmen are nominated by ward but elected at large; elections for the most part will dovetail with county, state and national elections, eliminating duplication of election costs.

The commission has provided for a city manager who will be responsible to the council. The manager, incidentally, will have broad powers to do the job the way it should be done, without interference in the various departments by the mayor or individual councilmen.

Oh, members of the council can raise hell at council meetings, but they won't be allowed to go down to the street department and have Joe Doakes run up and plow their driveway. Those days will be over.

So vote "yes" on Dec. 12. And make sure your neighbor does, too.

If it Fitz

by Jim Fitzgerald

There are a couple of things you should know, about how to treat TV executives, and how to eat Heath candy bars.

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Heath bars are delicious but they have always been too small, and they

shrink more every year. Therefore they must be savored, not chomped.

As you must know, a Heath bar is a thin piece of hard toffee, thinly coated with chocolate. It is this constant thinness that makes it difficult to eat a Heath bar properly, but it can be done if you really put your mouth to it.

The important thing is to eat the chocolate off the toffee without breaking the toffee, which is exceedingly brittle. Your teeth must barely penetrate the chocolate, without touching the toffee. Once the chocolate coating is dislodged, it should be slid gently off the toffee. This is done by slowly pulling the toffee out of your mouth while your teeth keep the chocolate on your tongue.

It is sometimes possible to remove the chocolate coating with only two large pieces, one from each side of the bar. Such a maneuver is rare, but when it happens it is most satisfying than peeling an orange in one peel.

The chocolate should be eaten slowly while the toffee is held far away from your mouth. Sometimes I put the toffee on a table and walk away from it, as though I really didn't care. This is fun,



Paula Holmes...

...Speaking Her Mind

I was dismayed to read recently that the last manufacturer of slide rules in the United States is planning to close its doors soon.

It seems that the old slide rule, a close acquaintance of almost every high school math student just a few years ago, is being replaced by automation.

Slide rules, for those of you who grew up in the age of tiny closed circuits, transistors and pocket calculators, is a type of calculating device. It is shaped in the image of a 12-inch ruler only it is inscribed with logarithmic scales in degrees of inches and the middle of the slide rule slides back and forth.

This middle sliding part is very important because it is used to complete most of the calculations, although it is possible to arrive at the solutions of some problems without it.

At first slide rules were constructed out of bamboo, but with the advent of space age plastics, manufacturers began making slide rules out of plastic because that made them less susceptible to changes in humidity and therefore more accurate.

I first became acquainted with the slide rule during ninth grade algebra class. At that time, hand-held, transistorized calculators were still a gleam in some engineer's eye and all math students were expected to learn how to use a slide rule so that they wouldn't have to waste time computing all their math problems by hand.

After the first few weeks of algebra, I dutifully went to the bookstore and purchased my student slide rule. I bought it on a Friday so I could practice all weekend and use it on my math homework assignment.

I figured on cutting my homework time in half with the use of a slide rule. Little did I know that I was about to double the time I was to spend on that homework assignment.

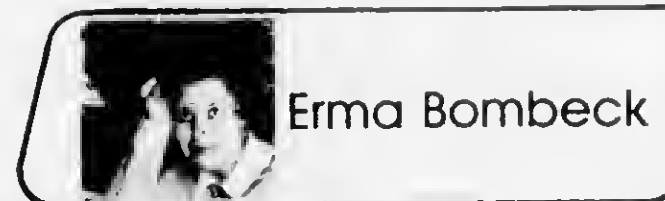
A book of directions came along with the slide rule which gave a brief explanation about its operation. After reading it carefully, I set about to do my homework, slide rule in hand.

I would work the slide rule through the problem and record the answer and then, not trusting the new fangled device, I would rework the problem by hand. Thus doubling the time spent on the problem.

Sometimes the answer I had arrived at on the slide rule was right and sometimes it wasn't. There seemed to be no rhyme or reason to the thing and the only calculations I felt safe doing on the slide rule were ones I could have easily done in my head.

Needless to say after several months of practice, I finally got the hang of it and I was able to use it in other math and science classes with some degree of success.

And now its being replaced with that electronic wizard the calculator. I don't think math classes will ever be the same again.



Erma Bombeck

Pst...they fellas. Wanta know where you can get a G-rated girlie magazine so respectably you could bring it home to your mother?

Pick up any department or clothing store catalogue these days and hit for the underwear section.

I opened a Christmas book from my favorite department store the other day and there between Leather Goods and Floor Polisher were two pages of models in semi-states of nudity. They were wearing pants, stain body suits, beaded camisoles, monogrammed bikinis and nightgowns so sheer you had to wear 'em under a coat.

Don't misunderstand me. The underwear didn't shock me. It was the poor, deformed girls modeling them.

They had hipbones that looked like chicken bones, legs that separated at the knees... and funny curves that dentured in at the... oh, what do you call those little duds... waists!

I wanted to throw a coat over all of 'em and feed 'em hot chicken soup. As I said to Mayva, "It's cruel to exploit some poor girl who can't put on

a few extra pounds. Don't you think so, Mayva? Mayva! I asked you a question."

She had the book three inches from her face. "What are these?"

I squinted for a closer look. "I'm not sure, but I think they're kneecaps."

"Do we have two?"

"I told you, pregnancy absorbs them into the blood stream. These women obviously are childless."

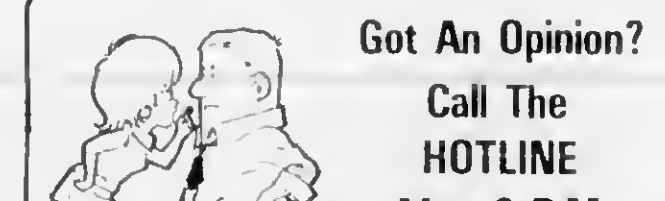
"I don't know whether to believe you or not. You told me this arms cause nasal congestion. Besides, our kids are teenagers."

"Trust me. Besides, no one is going to wear those scanty bits of satin and lace. Those half-starved women are nothing but a fad. Someday your style of lingerie will come back."

"You'd think they'd show at least one outfit wearing our underwear with the cutaway front with the elastic."

"They do, Mayva," I said. "They're under Maternity."

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Teacher Feature

...Ann Shindorf

By PEG OHLE
"Work is never boring with this age of kids."

That's what Ann Shindorf says about her job as teacher in the Charlevoix Middle School. And, after talking with her for a while, one can tell that Mrs. Shindorf not only never finds boring but really finds it enjoyable.

Mrs. Shindorf teaches five eighth-grade science classes and one journalism class. The science work is mostly in the field of chemistry, but the students do go afield during the year to touch on such subjects as conservation of energy and ecology.

"I like the chemistry classes because of the way they are taught. The kids actually do experiments," the teacher explains. As an example she cites a class problem: The kids must collect a gas and prove in a series of steps it is carbon dioxide.

First, they make carbon dioxide by putting pieces of shell in a flask. The flask is topped with a rubber stopper containing a hose. Next to the flask is a plastic jug filled with water and a submerged baby food jar. They then take an air piston filled with diluted hydrochloric acid and put the acid on the shells, causing them to bubble. The resultant gas goes through the tube, down into the water, and is collected in the baby food jar, which is covered so the gas won't escape. The jar is then removed from the water.

The collected gas is then put to three tests to prove it is carbon dioxide: Put lime water in jar of gas and shake. If it turns cloudy, it is probably carbon dioxide. Put lit match in jar of gas. If it goes out quickly, it is probably carbon dioxide. Take the chemical phenol red, put it in jar of gas and shake up. If it turns yellow, it

is definitely carbon dioxide. "It probably takes a couple of days to do this experiment. We then review it and the kids take a test," Mrs. Shindorf says.

"They have learned how to plan an experiment. They write out a list of equipment and chemicals they will need, then take the procedure step by step. They start with a problem and end up with a solution. This is an organized way of learning which I hope carries over to other subjects. It is not based on opinions or something read, but something they did and saw the results of," she continues.

The class is now working on a short unit on conservation of energy—alternative methods, solar, wind, and water in place of fossil fuels. They have projects, such as going around looking for weather-stripping, turning off lights, perhaps even putting a carpet in front of the dog house, to conserve

energy. Mrs. Shindorf's journalism class puts out a newspaper called the "CMS Press", which comes out "about once a month." All 26 students in the class work on it.

"Journalism is an elective, so all the kids who take it are fired up. The paper is distributed throughout the school for 10 cents. There is a raffle ticket in each issue for something like a pizza or a Dapper. It's fun and the kids like it," Mrs. Shindorf relates.

The science-journalism teacher is a graduate of Northern Michigan University with a major in English and a minor in biology and took chemistry courses at North Central Michigan College. She taught English at Milford for three years before going to England for a year. In England she worked as a nanny for two children, getting her room and board of the dog house, to conserve



Ann Shindorf

week. She also worked as a maid for extra money.

While in England, Mrs. Shindorf also did some traveling—to Paris during the Christmas holidays, to Holland for Easter, and to Spain, Italy, Switzerland, and Austria during the summer. "I'm so glad I did it," Mrs. Shindorf says now, looking back on that year.

She has been at the Charlevoix Middle School for eight years, fortunately

getting the job upon her return from England. She has worked five summers for Brumm's Studios in Norwood but spent last summer "staining and painting" the new home which she and her husband, Al, are building in Norwood Township. They have three golden retrievers. Mrs. Shindorf's hobbies are varied—cooking, growing house plants, reading, cross country skiing, and volleyball (she plays in a league).

Area PBB cases may be lumped with others for trial

Cases filed in Charlevoix County against the Michigan Chemical Company, Farm Bureau Services, and others involved in the PBB incident may be lumped together with those filed in other counties throughout the state to be heard by a single, specially-designated judicial officer or court.

The chemical company and Farm Bureau Services is petitioning the State Supreme Court for such action, asking that the Court "establish a special arbitration panel composed of a hearing officer and four other members, to be drawn from scientific or specialized fields germane to the issues involved in the PBB cases."

Also, to "establish rules (for schedules, procedures, discovery, evidence, and the like) applicable to cases heard by the PBB arbitration panel. A hearing on this proposal is scheduled for December 8 at 9:30 a.m. in the Supreme Court hearing room in Lansing. Any person, agency, or organization who can identify an interest in the outcome of PBB-related litigation may request to be heard at this meeting.

According to Charlevoix County Clerk Clarence Rabach, three PBB-related cases have been filed in the county—by the Doug Warners of Charlevoix, the LaVerne Harbarts of East Jordan, and the East Jordan Cooperative.

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How best to run small town

EDITOR'S NOTE: The following are excerpts from the article "How Best to Run a Small Town," by Peter V. Fossel. The article appeared in the December 1977 issue of "Yankee." The comments made in the article are most interesting in light of the upcoming charter election in Charlevoix.

Note that selection are the same as aldermen. At the March 1977 Town Meeting in Winchester, New Hampshire, Richard Greent waited anxiously on one side of a crowded basketball gym while 250 voters decided if he should look for work the next morning.

Greent, 24, with a degree in business administration, was Winchester's new \$12,000-a-year town manager. His first

professional administrator and an outsider in a town run by part-time selectmen since 1963—by farmers, factory workers and storekeepers, elected at town meeting the way it's always been done in New England.

Greent had steamed into Winchester the year before, after residents decided by a two-vote margin to try the town manager system. Within months, this no-nonsense administrator saved the town about \$500,000 on a new sewage system, by finagling a larger federal subsidy. He also trimmed the town tax rate by \$1.50, won four legal cases involving state aid, streamlined town purchasing, and even displayed fancy diplomatic footwork in a matter involving somebody's

dog and somebody else's dead chickens—he listened patiently and did nothing. (His accomplishments became known outside of Winchester; he recently moved to a new job in Nashua.)

Max W. Hull (recently deceased), Winchester's veteran first selectman who long opposed town managers on principle, knew a good thing when he saw it. Before Greent came, Hull and the other two selectmen had been working hard three and four nights a week, and some Saturdays, year-round, buried in sewage-pollution mandates, sanitary landfills, welfare codes, tax regulations, and an increasing number of other complicated issues.

Hislands was also forced to have the entire town re-

assessed, for the second time in a year, because of another oversight which conflicted with state tax law.

At last count, there were 1,033 separate federal domestic-aid programs, run through some 50 federal agencies' offices and departments. They cover everything from safe drinking water (one of the newest mandates to hit local communities) to improvements at the Little League field. Most require extensive paperwork and study, often by costly consultants. The Environmental Protection Agency's guide to wastewater treatment systems, for example, is a three inches thick with small print, and is required reading for many towns. It isn't

See Small Town page 12.

"You know, we've got such a good place here with great pizza and terrific people, I've got a feeling we're going to do very well. I think we need a slogan."

"How about 'Leave the cooking to us!'"

"I have a feeling I heard it before."

"What about 'The proud pizza with the golden crust?'"

"That feels a little uppity. We wonno say something nice and simple like

'We've got a feeling you're gonna like us.'

"But how can we say it?"

"?????????????????????"

"Well, keep working on it."

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its 5th Anniversary by this special

offer

Buy one pizza get the next

small

Potter accepted for German program

Anita Potter, a 1974 graduate of Charlevoix High School and presently a senior at Albion College, will participate in the German language program in Heidelberg, Germany for the 1978 spring semester.

The program is one of 18 off-campus programs offered by Albion College in the United States, Europe, Latin America, and the Far East. Miss Potter is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Potter of Charlevoix.

NOTICE OF LAST DAY TO GET ABSENTEE BALLOTS

Qualified City of Charlevoix voters can obtain absentee voter ballots for the December 12, 1977 Election until 2 p.m. Saturday, December 10, 1977. Ballots can be obtained in the City Clerk's office, City Hall.

Judy D. Przybylski
City Clerk
Charlevoix, Michigan

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION

Notice is hereby given that a Special Election will be held on December 12, 1977 on the following proposal.

City Charter Adoption Proposal
Shall the Charter proposed for the City of Charlevoix, by the Charter Commission elected on April 7, 1976, be adopted?

NOTICE RELATIVE TO OPENING AND CLOSING OF THE POLLS

On the day of an election the polls shall be opened at 7:00 a.m. at the City Hall, State St. Charlevoix and shall be continued open until 8:00 p.m. and no longer. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed before the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

SAID ELECTION SHALL COMPLY WITH GENERAL ELECTION LAWS OF THIS STATE.

Judy D. Przybylski
City Clerk
Charlevoix, Michigan

Charlevoix, Traverse City councils exchange ideas about schools, activities

By LAURA GLASS

A lot of "foreigners" were roaming the halls of Charlevoix High School last week.

It wasn't a new crop of Youth for Understanding students, however, but it was an exchange program. Members of the Traverse City High School student council were in Charlevoix for an exchange day.

Traverse City and Charlevoix high school student representatives have been observing how the two high schools operate through a Student Exchange Program set up through their student councils.

Several weeks ago, eight Charlevoix student council members: Joe Thumre, president; Wendy Wieland, vice president; Wendy Wright, secretary; and Laura Glass, Sue Miller, Janene Bual, Jerrilyn Goss and Matt Stangis, council representatives, traveled to Traverse City High School for the program. They were given a complete tour of the Class A school, which they found was quite different from Charlevoix.

For instance, all students at Traverse City High School must carry student ID cards with them at all times so that they may be identified as members of the school. Another difference the Charlevoix students noticed was the larger choice of extracurricular activities at the larger school. Among

those offered are: Theatricals Club, Chess Club, Varsity Club, Philadephia Club and the students even work their own campus radio station, WRBL.

Last Wednesday, Traverse City student council members came to Charlevoix for a visit. The students were given a tour of the school and a chance to attend classes throughout the day.

The Traverse City students also attended a Charlevoix student council meeting. Several ideas were exchanged between the students of the two schools about Winter Homecoming, or all the Traverse City students call it, Pep-o-Rama Week. Some suggestions made for the week were: a tug of war between classes, a ski competition and suggestions for snow sculptures. Also discussed.

Also discussed was a new idea successfully used in Traverse City called "Cleaner Campus Week," where students pitch in to remove litter from school grounds.

Traverse City Student Council President Larry Pobuda also spoke of a program called PTSA, (Parent, Teacher, Student Association). The program is similar to a PTA only it includes students. It is set up to give equal representation to everyone involved with the school in dealing with school problems.

Although the Traverse City school is larger and offers a wider curriculum, there are a

few disadvantages to its size. A letter to the "Crinason Flash," the Charlevoix High School student newspaper, from a visiting Traverse City student, acclaimed the fact that at Charlevoix there is a closeness between the students and a more individual teacher student relationship.

The student also spoke highly of the newspaper itself, stating its whole atmosphere reflects the friendliness of your students, and that although Charlevoix refers to Traverse City as the big city and Traverse City refers to Charlevoix as the small town, thanks to the student council exchanges both know the

advantages of each school system. Charlevoix Student Council President Joe Thumre and Vice President Wendy Wieland were also enthusiastic about the exchange program.

"It's the only opportunity for some students to see how other schools operate on a

day-to-day basis," Thumre said. "It's a tremendous learning experience to see how a larger school handles some of the same problems we face here at Charlevoix High School. We exchange a lot of ideas at those meetings, too."

And not only do the schools exchange new ideas, but they made new friends.



MEMBERS OF THE Traverse City High School Student Council were visitors at Charlevoix High School last week. They attended a Charlevoix Council meeting and then visited classes to get an idea of how the school runs. Discussing school rules are: (from left to right) Beth Brinkhoff, Bernie Jopko, Wendy Wieland, vice president of Charlevoix council, Larry Pobuda, Joe Thumre, president of Charlevoix council, Scott Keane, Paul Prouty and Ken Soper. Missing from the picture is Bonnie Chouinard.

Rev. Raymond Giffen, 45, winner. Call 547-6558. Void after 12-14-77.

4-H NEWS
WITH
BOB BELLAIRS

In my last article, I answered questions concerning the organizational structures of 4-H, and about the 4-H member. Most of the questions that I am asked, however, concern 4-H Clubs. How to organize, how to run club meetings, and how to lead a club are all primary concerns of parents and prospective 4-H leaders. So today I'll answer the most common questions about 4-H Clubs.

How do you get a 4-H group organized?

Have a meeting with youths who are interested and the adults who are willing to help. Publicize it through the school or any place where boys and girls and their parents can be reached.

What do you do at the first meeting?

Get acquainted and have fun with a group mixer and/or some refreshments. Show and talk about some projects the group might like (give this some thought in advance and discuss with the county 4-H agent or an experienced 4-H leader). Discuss when and where and how often the group will meet.

What about officers?

4-H clubs may have officers and whatever committees they need to run their own business. 4-H has materials available for president, vice-presidents, secretaries,

treasurers, news reporters, and recreation leaders. The club may have other officers too, depending on their needs. It is a good idea to wait until the second or third meeting to elect officers so members know each other and select the most qualified people.

How often do 4-H Clubs meet?

Some clubs meet every week for a month or two and some meet once or twice a month all year long. This depends on the club and what they want to do. 4-H clubs may organize any time of the year. Sometimes members have to enroll in a project by a certain time to be eligible for a specific activity (check this in your county.)

Should 4-H clubs have dues?

This depends on their need

for money. There are no state or national 4-H dues. If the club wants money for some activities, they usually charge dues or conduct money-making activities. Members should never be excluded from a 4-H group because they were unable to pay dues.

Where do 4-H clubs meet?

Any place large enough which is convenient for the members of the group. Many clubs take turns meeting in the members' homes. Some meet in a central place such as a school, church or community room. Many meet in leaders and members' homes.

How big should a club be?

This depends on the age of the members, the places they have to meet, the distance to travel, and the leadership available. The ideal club is big

enough to have fun together, but small enough for everybody to feel part of the group. The average club in Charlevoix County has 6-8 members and 1 or 2 leaders.

What is a 4-H leader?

A 4-H leader is a person who works voluntarily with a group of 4-H members.

Are there different kinds of 4-H leaders?

Yes, some leaders teach members how to do things and are called "project leaders." They usually have a special interest or skill such as photography, clothing, or gardening. Persons who help a group get organized and run their meetings are called "organizational leaders."

Can the same person be a project and an organizational leader?

Yes - If they have the time and interest. Sometimes big clubs divide these jobs and have several project leaders to meet the variety of interests which 4-H members have.

If a person just helps a few times, do you call them leaders?

This depends on the county's policy. Most counties call these people "resource leaders." They may not get all of the materials and recognition that regular 4-H leaders receive. They may help with local 4-H club programs (e.g., bankers training 4-H club treasurers, editors training news reporters, etc.)

Some counties have project chairmen or "key leaders."

What are these "key leaders?"

These are experienced people who serve as a

resource to several 4-H leaders. They might be project "key leaders" (e.g., a veterinarian who serves as a resource to all 4-H dog leaders in the county) or organizational "key leaders" (e.g., a 4-H alumna who helps to organize several new clubs in an area which has not had 4-H and makes himself available for advice and help).

What about teenagers who help with 4-H?

Most counties have teen leaders who are also 4-H members. They work under the guidance of an adult and help with any of the leadership jobs in the club or county. It depends on their abilities and experience. Sometimes older teens decide that they would rather take a group of their own and be a leader rather than a member. Teen leaders are a wonderful help to adult leaders.

How many leaders should a 4-H club have?

That depends on the size of the club and the age of the members. 4-H groups in Michigan try to have an adult for every eight 4-H members.

Where would I learn to be a 4-H leader?

Your main help would be the Cooperative Extension Service in your County - the office secretary, the extension 4-H - Youth Agent, 4-H program assistants and other agents in agriculture, home economics, and natural resources. They would automatically put you on the 4-H leader mailing list, invite you to special training meetings for 4-H leaders and give you the materials you need to organize a 4-H club.

IMMEDIATE OCCUPANCY



This well kept large family home is located on DeTars Court just outside Charlevoix. Consisting of three bedrooms, one and a half baths, spacious living

room, a kitchen any woman could love. For the man there is a workshop for all his needs. Surrounded by a private acre lot. An oversized two car garage makes this home complete.

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New hockey rink flooded at Mt. McSaubia

Hockey season will soon open in Charlevoix.

City crews have been hard at work at the Mt. McSaubia Recreation Area clearing the ground for a new hockey rink. The backboards have also been erected and a water line is being run over to the area where the rink is located.

Morris said he and recreation Director Ike Boss felt it was important to keep the city recreation department hockey program going so they decided to approach Charlevoix Common Council for approval to flood a hockey rink at Mt. McSaubia.

Council approved the plan during a recent meeting.

The hockey rink has been located at the Charlevoix Middle School in previous years, but with the construction of a new track at the school, the rink can no longer be located there.

"We've spent many years trying to build this program up," Morris said about the hockey league. "It just wouldn't be good to close it down for a year."

Morris said there would also be an ice skating rink flooded on the Charlevoix High School grounds as has been done in past winter seasons. The rink

will be equipped with a warming house and restrooms.

For more information about the hockey or ice skating programs contact Boss at 547-4272.



Pvt. Kent Marine receives parachutists badge Army

Private Kent A. Marine, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore McNeil, 4108 Bellair Road, East Jordan, Mich., recently received a Parachutist Badge upon completion of the three-week airborne course at the U.S. Army Infantry School, Ft. Benning, Ga.

During the first week of training, students undergo a rigorous physical training

program and receive instruction in the theory of parachuting. The second week they receive practical training by jumping from 24-foot and 220-foot towers. The final week includes five static-line parachute jumps.

Pvt. Marine entered the Army in June of this year. He is a 1977 graduate of East Jordan High School.

Pfc. Johnson completes course

Marine Private First Class Andrew E. Johnson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew E. Johnson of Route 2, Box 185B, Charlevoix, Mich., has completed the Basic Automotive Mechanic Course.

During the 12-week course at the Marine Corps Service Support Schools, Camp Lejeune, N.C., students received instruction on the procedures to inspect, service and repair the wheeled vehicles used by the Marine Corps.

HOME RULE YES X DECEMBER 12

THE FOURTH CLASS CITIES ACT OF 1895 HAS SERVED THE STATE LEGISLATURE'S PURPOSE.
NOW WE NEED A HOME RULE CHARTER THAT SERVES CHARLEVOIX'S PURPOSE

The 1895 old purpose, mass produced charter engineered by the Michigan legislature for the average small town in the Gay Nineties is just too creaky for the 1970s. Even the state legislature recognized that its Fourth Class Cities Act had become obsolete - and dropped its automatic application to newly incorporated cities. When? Back in 1909!

HERE'S WHAT THE HOME RULE CHARTER CALLS FOR ...	
FORM OF GOVERNMENT:	Council-Manager plan. Council has ultimate powers, sets policies, hires Manager to carry out policies. Council delegates to Manager only those powers necessary to carry out Council's directives.
CITY COUNCIL:	Six members-two from each ward. Two nominees elected at separate ward conventions by residents of each ward. One from each ward elected each year for two-year term by citywide popular nonpartisan vote. Each must be and remain a resident of the ward from which he or she is nominated.
MAYOR:	Elected each year by popular non-partisan ballot from the two candidates nominated from among those who have qualified by petition.
CITY MANAGER:	Appointed by majority vote of Council, solely on basis of administrative qualifications. No fixed term of office. Must be or become and remain a city resident. Council sets salary.
TAX LIMITATION:	Annual ad valorem tax levy for municipal purposes not to exceed 15 mills on State Equalized Valuation of all real and personal property in city—same limitation as now in effect under Fourth Class Cities Act.
UTILITY RATES:	Council to set electric, water and sewer rates no higher than needed to cover costs, including depreciation, capital improvements and the creating and maintaining of a \$75,000 emergency fund for each utility. Accounting to be according to generally accepted utility accounting practices. No free service - all service to be recorded and charged.
FRANCHISES, LEASES:	No franchise or license to be granted for a period of more than five years. Franchises or licenses, or renewals or extensions thereof, to be granted only by ordinance. No franchise ordinance not subject to revocation at will of Council is to be enacted or operative until approved by 3/5ths of the electors voting thereon.

WE HAVE DONE ALL WE CAN TO PUT TOGETHER A HOME RULE CHARTER THAT WILL BEST SERVE THE COMMON INTERESTS OF THE CITIZENS OF CHARLEVOIX. AS WE WERE ELECTED TO DO. THE CHARTER WE HAVE DRAFTED IS UNIQUE; NO OTHER CHARTER HAS JUST THIS COMBINATION OF FEATURES. BUT THEN, CHARLEVOIX IS UNIQUE, AND ITS CHARTER SHOULD REFLECT OUR UNMATCHED BLESSINGS...AND OUR SPECIAL CONCERNS. WE HAVE TAKEN THE

NOW IT'S ALL UP TO YOU!
PAID FOR BY
CHARLEVOIX CHARTER COMMISSION

John R. Clock	Richard A. Fochtman	Joy J. Oliver
Charles A. Duerr	Howard D. Horton	Jeffrey L. Porter
Lawrence R. Feindt	John R. Michael	Ralph L. Shopton

Corrections for section of new charter

ARTICLE II Section 2.18 Council Limitations

a. Except where authorized by this Charter, no elected official shall hold any other office or City employment during the term for which elected.

b. Neither the Council nor any of its members, individually, shall dictate the appointment or removal of any City official or employee whom the City Manager or his subordinates are empowered to appoint. The Council may express its views and may freely discuss with the City Manager anything pertaining to the appointment or removal of any such officials or employees.

c. The Council and its members shall deal solely through the City Manager with officials and employees subject to the direction and supervision of the City Manager. Neither the City Council nor its members, individually, shall give orders to any such officials or employees, either publicly or privately.

d. The Mayor, as President of the Council, may be delegated by the council to convey to the City Manager its concerns or its orders with respect to the conduct of of-

icials or employees subject to the direction and supervision of the City Manager, but otherwise the Mayor is bound by the same restrictions as apply to the Council and its members under sub-sections b and c, immediately preceding.

e. All Council members, City officials and employees, when engaging in City business, shall be guided by the conflict of interest laws of the state.

f. The Council shall not have the power to sell, divide, lease, partition, plat, subdivide, or dispose of any City park, or any part thereof, unless specifically approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon at any general or special election, except as provided for in sub-section h of this section.

g. The Council shall not have the power to sell, divide, lease, partition, plat, subdivide, or dispose of any City owned interest in real property which lies within one hundred (100) feet of the water's edge of Lake Michigan, Round Lake, or Lake Charlevoix, or the connecting waterways, unless specifically approved by a majority of the electors voting thereon at any general or special election, except as provided for in sub-section h of this section.

This section. This sub-section does not apply to the normal operation of a cemetery.

h. The Council may, by a majority vote, when it deems it in the best public interest, lease for a period of not more than five (5) years those facilities used in connection with the operation of public parks and/or beaches, City owned docks with freight storage facilities, and buildings used in connection with the operation of the City owned airport. The Council has the power to sell lots and/or plots in any City owned cemetery.

i. The Council may make investigations into the affairs of the City and the conduct of any City department, office or agency, and for this purpose may subpoena witnesses, administer oaths, take testimony, and require the production of evidence. Any person who fails or refuses to obey a lawful order issued in the exercise of these powers by the Council shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and be punishable by a fine of not more than One Hundred Dollars (\$100.00), or by imprisonment for not more than ninety (90) days, or both. The punitive powers herein stated shall not be exclusive and shall not prejudice the right to remove officers or discharge employees, and the Council shall have the power to institute injunctive proceedings, force to restrain and to enforce performance and observance of the law and ordinances.

ARTICLE XIV
Transition

Section 14.1 Purpose
The purpose of this Article is to assist in the transition from the existing Charter to this Charter and it shall constitute a part of this Charter only to the extent and for the time required to accomplish that end.

Section 14.2 Effective Date
Except as otherwise provided herein, this Charter shall take effect and become law on the second (2nd) Monday in April, 1979, at 12:01 A.M.

Section 14.3 Initial Election and Terms of Office
a. The first election of City Council members under this Charter shall take place on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1978. Three (3) Council members shall be elected on that occasion, being one (1) Council member from each of the

wards of the City, each of whom shall take office on the second (2nd) Monday in April, 1979, and serve through December 31, 1980. The nomination and election of such Council members shall be in accordance with the provisions of this Charter. The first meeting of the Council under this Charter shall be held on the second (2nd) Monday in April, 1979.

b. The Mayor elected in November, 1978, shall take office on the second (2nd) Monday in April, 1979, and serve through December 31, 1980.

c. The City Clerk elected in November, 1978, shall take office on the second (2nd) Monday in April, 1979, and serve through December 31, 1980.

d. The City Council members elected in November, 1978, shall take office on the second (2nd) Monday in April, 1979, and serve through December 31, 1980.

e. The office of Treasurer under the Fourth Class Cities Act shall be abolished and terminated upon the appointment of a Treasurer as hereinafter provided, such Treasurer to be appointed following the effective date of this Charter.

Betty Jane Trost marries James A. Klooster here

Betty Jane Trost and James A. Klooster exchanged wedding vows November 26 at St. Mary's Church in Charlevoix.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Trost of Charlevoix, and the bridegroom is the son of Hiram Klooster and the late Mrs. Klooster, also of Charlevoix.

Father Ole Magoon performed the afternoon double ceremony before 150 guests. The bride was given in marriage by her mother and father. Music for the occasion was furnished by the church choir with Mrs. Vincent Brewster playing the organ. The bride wore a gown of satin over tulle with a high collar and long sleeves. The bridegroom wore a tuxedo with a white shirt and a white bow tie.

Her three-tier veil of bridal illusion was trimmed with matching lace and accented with seed pearls. Her bouquet was a colonial arrangement of mums, daisies, and baby's breath. Following a trip through Northern Michigan, the new Mr. and Mrs. Klooster are at home in Charlevoix. Guests from Wisconsin, South Carolina, Iowa, Florida, and Ohio attended their wedding.

Smith-Moore

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Smith of Charlevoix announce the engagement of their daughter, DeEtta Lea, to James A. Moore, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Moore, also of Charlevoix.

A February wedding is planned by the couple. The bride-elect is a 1977 graduate of Charlevoix High School and is employed by Dr. Reed Freidinger. Her fiancé is a 1974 graduate of Charlevoix High School and is employed by Oleson's Food Store.

She carried a colonial bouquet of pink and white tipped mums.

Holly Garten, a friend of the bride, and Lynne Trost, sister of the bride, were bridesmaids. Miss Garten's gown was identical to that of the maid of honor with the exception that it was mint green trimmed in forest green velvet. Miss Trost's gown, also of the same pattern, was blue with Caribbean blue velvet. Their flowers were colonial bouquets of green and blue and white tipped mums.

David Kimble served the bridegroom as best man, with Don Trost, the bride's brother, and Bradley Snizek assisting as groomsmen. Bill Trost and Nathan Klooster were ushers.

Following the wedding ceremony, the bride's parents hosted a reception at the American Legion Hall in Charlevoix. The bridegroom's father hosted the rehearsal dinner at Leutheuser's restaurant on Thanksgiving Day.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Trost wore a long-sleeved royal blue velvet bodice, white and long skirt of polyester chiffon over tulle. Following a trip through Northern Michigan, the new Mr. and Mrs. Klooster are at home in Charlevoix. Guests from Wisconsin, South Carolina, Iowa, Florida, and Ohio attended their wedding.



Mr. and Mrs. James A. Klooster

Engaged

Powers-Dekraker

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Powers of Ellsworth announced the engagement of their daughter Patricia to Mel Dekraker of Charlevoix. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Dekraker of Charlevoix.

The bride is a 1977 graduate of Ellsworth High School and is employed at the Country Kitchen in Ellsworth. Her fiancé is also a 1977 graduate of Ellsworth High School and is employed by Progressive Machine in Ellsworth.

No wedding date has been set yet.

Women's Club plans Mitten Tree at Charlevoix Co. Bank

The Charlevoix Women's Club will once again have a "Mitten Tree" which will be decorated with mittens for needy children.

The tree will be on display at the Charlevoix County Bank from December 12 through 19. Anyone desiring to donate mittens may bring them to the bank during business hours.

Mittens of all kinds and sizes will be welcome. They will be distributed to needy Charlevoix school children by the school nurse.

Big Brothers / Big Sisters of Charlevoix County will donate the tree to the Women's Club for decorating.

Louise Everts joins public library staff

Louise Everts is now working at the Charlevoix Public Library as a Library Technician. She processes books and is available to help people find what they are looking for.

Mrs. Everts lives in Charlevoix with her husband, Grover and children, Greg, 17, Becky, 15, and Reagan, 11.

Employees of Grandvue Medical Care Facility, their families and friends, gathered for a reception November 29 at the facility. Several employees were recognized for their years of service.

Pearl Tausley received recognition for 20 years of service from Vern Whiteford, Social Services Board chairman. Award pins for 15 years of service were presented to Pauline Amott, Rose Nemecek, Mary Ann Stiff, and Grady, a new member of the Board. They are Ruth Bell, Pete Paskey, Emma Libbard, Alice Kooyer, and Joyce Raymond.

The Leaning Tree is a new addition to the library's collection. It is a book about the history of Charlevoix County.

Chief Langston comes to Charlevoix from the U.S.C.G.R. Training Center, Yorktown, Va. His other duty stations have been CGC Ivy, Astoria, Or., C.G. Station Neah Bay, Neah Bay, Wa., CG Light Station Slip Point, Chatham, Wa., CGC Wachusett, Port Angeles, Wa., CG Station Grays Harbor, West Port, Wa., CG Port Safety Station, Ogdensburg, N.Y., CG Station Belle Isle, Detroit, Mich., and CG Station Port Huron, CGC Morant, San Francisco, CA and Yorktown, Va.

He was accompanied here by his wife, Julie, and children, Angela and Brent. Chief Freely, a veteran of 22 1/2 years in the U.S. Coast Guard, has been transferred to St. Ignace where he will assume the duties of Officer in Charge at the Lifeboat Station.

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The 6-year olds respond basically the same way as the 5-year olds. However, they begin to hear "doubting talk" from friends. They usually fiercely reject all suspicious and remain firm in their belief. They may imagine every detail of the Santa Claus story and will describe the North Pole and the elves making toys in Santa's workshop.

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BMC RANDY LANGSTON saluted Officer Ronald Freels as he prepares to take over the duties of officer in charge at the Charlevoix Lifeboat Station. Freels has been transferred to St. Ignace station.

BMC Randy Langston assumes lifeboat lead

BMC Randy Langston, a veteran of 12 years in the U.S. Coast Guard, assumed command of the U.S. Coast Guard Lifeboat Station at a Change of Command ceremony held Friday.

He relieved BMC Ronald E. Freels who has been Officer in Charge at the station since Jan. 23, 1975.

Chief Langston comes to Charlevoix from the U.S.C.G.R. Training Center, Yorktown, Va. His other duty stations have been CGC Ivy, Astoria, Or., C.G. Station Neah Bay, Neah Bay, Wa., CG Light Station Slip Point, Chatham, Wa., CGC Wachusett, Port Angeles, Wa., CG Station Grays Harbor, West Port, Wa., CG Port Safety Station, Ogdensburg, N.Y., CG Station Belle Isle, Detroit, Mich., and CG Station Port Huron, CGC Morant, San Francisco, CA and Yorktown, Va.

He was accompanied here by his wife, Julie, and children, Angela and Brent. Chief Freely, a veteran of 22 1/2 years in the U.S. Coast Guard, has been transferred to St. Ignace where he will assume the duties of Officer in Charge at the Lifeboat Station.

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CHARLEVOIX COUNCIL MINUTES

The Common Council of the City of Charlevoix met on the above date and time with Mayor Hansen presiding. Aldermen present: Morris, Plumm, Wood, Whitley, Erber, and Wallace. Absent: None.

The Minutes of the November 14, 1977 regular meeting were approved as presented in writing and as recorded in the Council Minutes Book.

Allen Sandberg, City Administrator, appeared before Council in regard to his recent dismissal by Mayor Hansen. He questioned the manner in which the dismissal was carried out and stated he would like to meet with the Council in an Executive Session to discuss their reasons for his dismissal. Mr. Sandberg also requested that he be granted two and one-half months severance pay in addition to the one and one-half months severance pay he will receive under his agreement with the City, as he had not been given adequate notice of his impending dismissal to allow him to secure other employment. Dave Fowler, a member of the General Public present, asked that Mr. Sandberg be allowed to resign after a lengthy discussion, Council agreed to allow Mr. Sandberg to submit his letter of resignation later in the meeting, said resignation to be effective this twenty-eighth day of November, 1977.

A Public Hearing was held on the proposed rezoning of the Charlevoix Lumber Company property from C-1 to Marine Industrial as requested by James Hiller, present owner of the property and Mr. Ward Walstrom, a prospective buyer of the property. Mr. Walstrom has plans to build a marina on the site if the rezoning is allowed. Members of the General Public present and owners of property adjoining the proposed site generally agreed that the use of the property should be rezoned from C-1 to Marine Industrial.

RESOLUTION 77-11-2 WHEREAS, the City of Charlevoix recognizes the need for increased boat storage and dockage, and, WHEREAS, the City of Charlevoix recognizes that certain restrictions should be placed on the people building on the waterfront, in order to preserve the esthetics of the area and to protect the adjoining property owners from unnecessary harm.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the City of Charlevoix rezoned the property known as the Charlevoix Lumber Company, and more interest of Mr. Gordon Peterson against the Flying Club building a profit from renting a City building located on City land. Council was in general agreement with the recommendation of the Committee to the City of Charlevoix, to split his property located in the Westport Subdivision to allow him sufficient land to build a garage adjacent to his existing house located on Lot 43.

The following Resolution was offered and moved for its adoption by Alderman Whitley and supported by Alderman Wood.

RESOLUTION 77-11-3 WHEREAS, it is in the best interest of the City of Charlevoix, a citizen of the City of Charlevoix, to split his property located in the Westport Subdivision to allow him sufficient land to build a garage adjacent to his existing house located on Lot 43 will development of this property together with a contract drawn becomes 80 ft. in width as in the time of Site Plan Review presented by Boss binding the use of the land to Engineering.

Resolution was adopted by Council's specific request.

Resolution was adopted by the following yea and nay vote: Plumm, Wood, Whitley, Erber, Yeas: Aldermen Morris, and Wallace. Nays: None. Plumm, Wood, Whitley, Erber, Absent: None.

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PUBLIC HEARING

Charlevoix Township Zoning Board
December 14, 1977 7:30 P.M.
Township Hall Corner of Carpenter St. & Norwood Rd.

Charlevoix Township Zoning Board will hold a Public Hearing to consider the following amendments to the Zoning Ordinance:

1. Redesigning size for platted lot that does not meet minimum requirements in its respective zone district.
2. R-3 One and Two Family and Mobile Home Park Zoned to Area Regulations Section 6.3.e One detached accessory building etc.
3. R-1 Single Family Residential Zone & R-2 Single Family Residential Zone. No Mobile Homes shall be allowed in R-1 & R-2 Residential Zones.
4. Edwin P. Zentler application to Rezone from Agricultural to R-3 parcel # 15 04 027 022, also to include parcel # 15 04 027 024 belonging to Mr. & Mrs. Richard J. Partman, and parcel # 15 04 027 023 belonging to Mr. & Mrs. Gordon Russell. The N.W. corner of Garfield and Lake St. 358.38 and 499.125 feet respectively.
5. William M. Bellows application for rezoning. Approximately 3.18 acres from R-3 to R-4. Legal Occupation. In the Township of Charlevoix, Charlevoix County, Michigan. Commencing at an iron stake at the North Quarter corner of Section 34, Township 34 North, Range 8 West; thence west along the North line of said section 658.85 feet to a point, being 662. feet East of the West eighth line of said section; thence South 00 degrees, 20 min. 00 sec. West, parallel with the West eighth line of said section, 660. feet to the South line of the North 40 rods of said section; thence West along said South line of the North 40 rods of said section 200. feet to an iron stake; thence North 00 degrees, 20 min. 00 sec. East, parallel with said West eighth line, 627 feet to an iron stake on the South line of Carpenter Avenue; thence continuing North 00 degrees, 20 min. 00 sec. East, parallel with said West eighth line, 33. feet to an iron stake on said North section line; thence East along said North section line, 200. feet to the point of beginning being a part of the Northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter of Section 34, Township 34 North, Range 8 West and containing 3.030 acres. Subject to the rights of the public and of any governmental unit in any part thereof taken, used or dedicated for street, road or highway purposes.
6. Numerous minor amendments to the Charlevoix Township Zoning Ordinance deemed necessary for clarification.
7. Other Zoning matters that may properly be brought up at this meeting.

Vote yes December 12.

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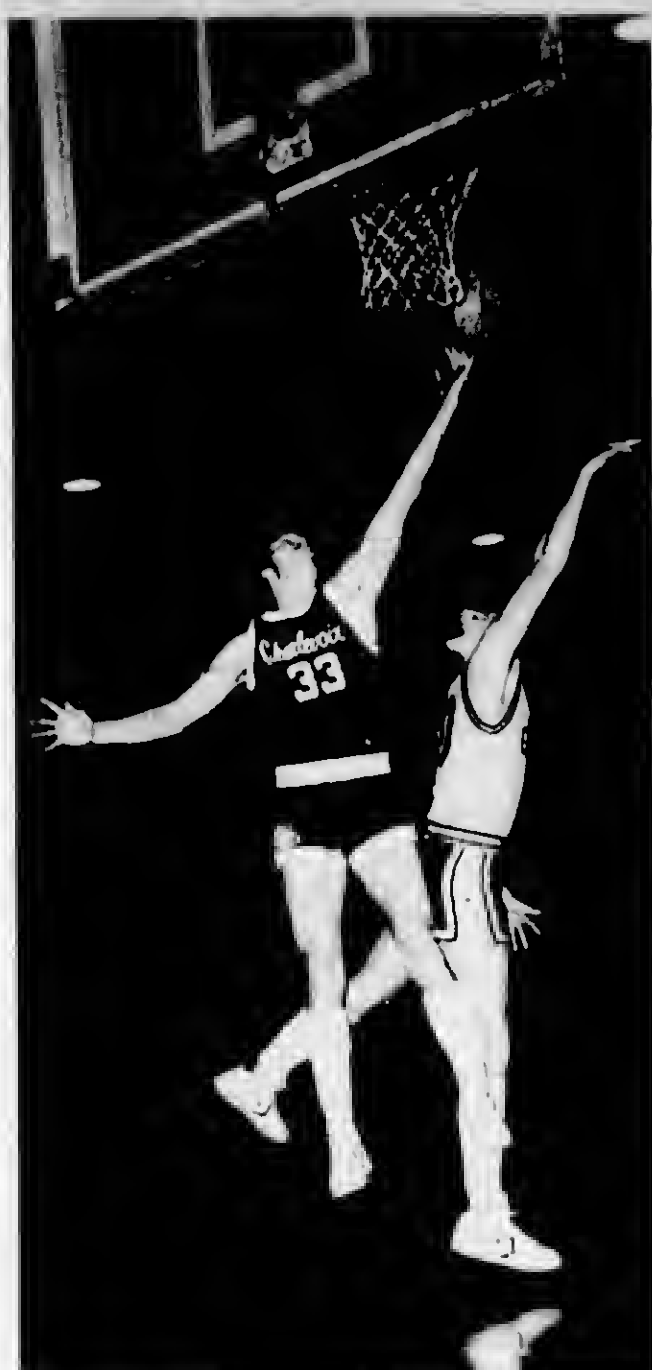
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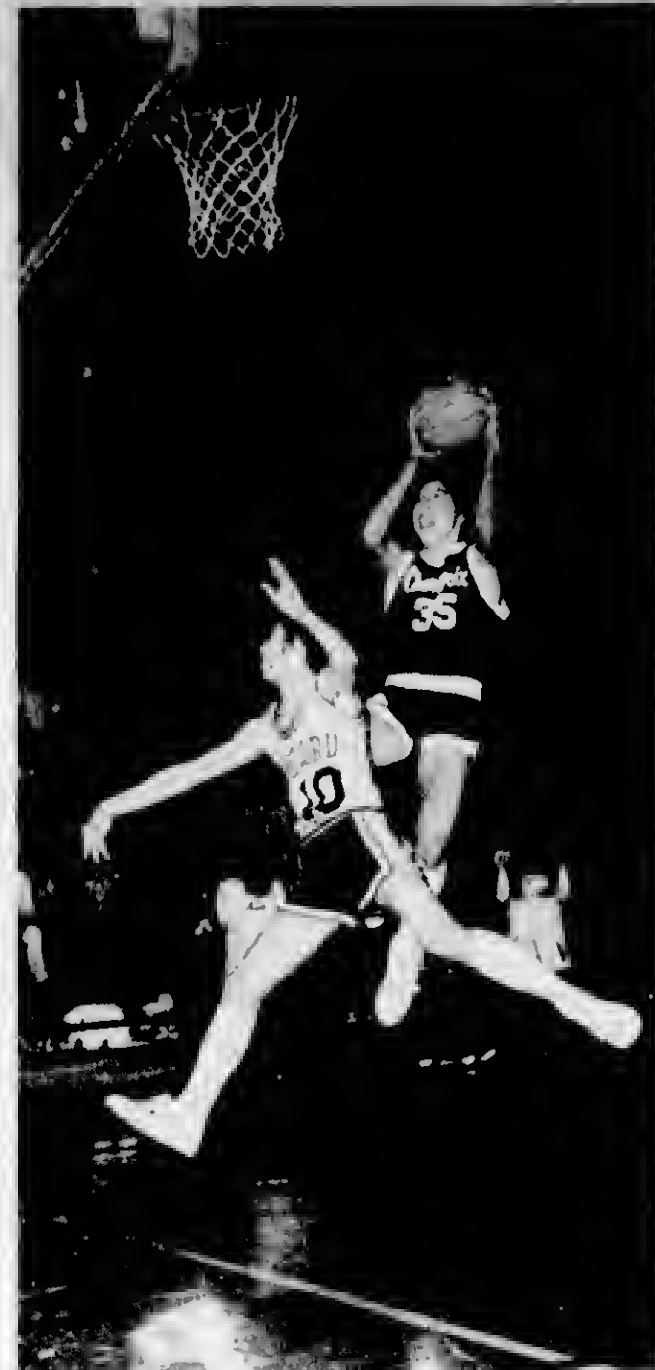
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WITH ALL THE GRACE in the world Joe Left (33) puts this basket on the scoreboard. The Rayders got off to a sluggish start in their opener against Gaylord, but they came back and almost pulled off the win.



JIM ELZINGA (11) played a good game in the Rayders' season opener against the Gaylord Blue Devils. But the Blue Devils managed to pull off the win in a close one, 64-61.



IT WAS UP, UP and away for Pat Schmidt as he went up for this basket during the Charlevoix-Gaylord game. Gaylord bedeviled the Rayders during the season opener Tuesday however, 64-61.

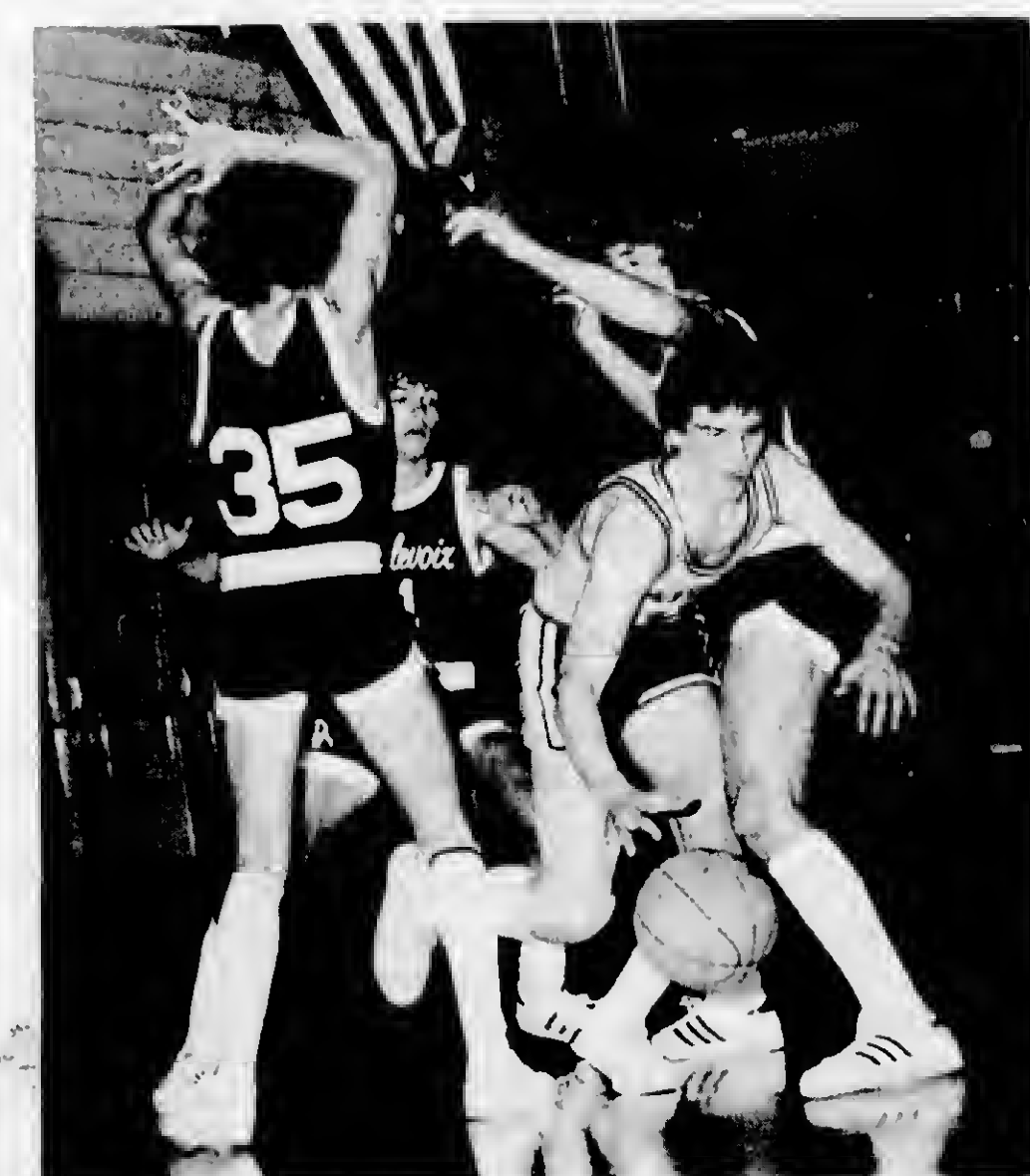
Gaylord bedevils Rayders



COACH DAVE MOYER has a heart to heart talk with his team during a time out. The Rayders played hard against the Blue Devils but the Gaylord team managed to squeak out a win 64-61 in the season opener last Tuesday.



SOMETIMES YOU'VE GOT TO play low to the ground in order to get anywhere. This Rayder player snuck away with the ball before the Blue Devils knew what was happening.



THE RAYDERS thought they had this Gaylord player surrounded, but he managed to sneak through the middle and down toward his own territory. The Blue Devils beat the Rayders 64-61 last Tuesday.



JOE LEFT (33) shows a Gaylord Blue Devil some fancy ball handling during the Charlevoix-Gaylord game last Tuesday. Gaylord managed to pull off the win 64-61.

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Rayders even up record, defeat Cheboygan

By BILL MERCER

Charlevoix's basketball team evened their record at one victory and one loss by defeating Cheboygan 47-45 last Friday evening.

Freshman basketball team drops two games last week

The Charlevoix Rayder freshman basketball team dropped two games to opponents last week.

In Thursday's play the Rayders lost to Cheboygan 54-30, and in Monday night's play the team lost to Gaylord 43-34.

In the game against Cheboygan turn overs were a

big problem for the young team, Coach Roger Gowell said.

"It's early in the season and the kids need game experience," Gowell explained.

Cheboygan took an early lead and the Rayders would close up the scoring gap only to lose it again. In the first

quarter Cheboygan scored 17 points and Charlevoix 5. But during the second quarter both teams added 10 points to make the score 27-15.

In the third quarter, Charlevoix could hit for only four points while Cheboygan dropped in 16 and then both teams added 11 points to their scores in the fourth quarter.

Alray, Tri-City, Wojan post wins in B League play

Alray Cottages, Tri-City Asphalt and Wojan Aluminum all posted wins as the Charlevoix Recreation Department B League basketball got back in action this week.

Alray Cottages defeated Medusa 51-44 in a close battle that saw Vince Left dump in the first quarter with the score at 24 points for Alray and Tom Left added another 10. Dick Putman had 15 points and Bob Holtzman had 12 for Medusa.

Alray started off with a small lead over Medusa in the first quarter, which it managed to keep for the entire game. In the first quarter Alray had 20 and Medusa scored 15 points. In the second quarter the score edged up to 31 points for Alray and 28 for Medusa.

In the third quarter, Medusa came within one

point of catching Alray with the score at 38-37, but Alray moved ahead to win the game in the final quarter.

In the second game of B League action last week, Tri-City ran over County State Bank 74-54. Tri-City took off to a substantial lead in the first quarter with the score at 23-10. By the second quarter, the team had moved their margin to 43-25.

By the end of the third quarter the point spread had been changed to 54-37 in favor of Tri-City and they clinched the game with a 74-54 score.

Tri-City had four players in double figures. Leading the pack was Dave Norton with 25 points. Butch Klooster, 16, Leroy Buchanan, 13 and Mike Crain, 10.

Jerry Skippengosh was the leading scorer for County

Kadens, Swanson, Townhouse take lead in A League

Kadens, Swansons and Townhouse came out in the winners circle as the Charlevoix Recreation Department A League resumed play last week.

In the first game of the evening, Kadens defeated Site Planning Development 78-60. It was a close game during the first half. Site Planning Development took off to an early lead 23-17 in the first quarter. But Kadens came back to take a small lead 37-33 in the second quarter.

During the second half, Kadens continued to widen their margin to 56-42 in the third quarter and 78-60 in the fourth quarter.

Kadens had four players in double figures with Chuck Stanek leading the pack at 25 points. Behind him were: Al Loeze, 14, Bob Simpson, 12, and Rob Spencer, 10.

Site Planning Development also had four players in double figures with Terry Blisset

taking the high scoring honors at 13 points. Bob Vratnina with 12, Kragg Lieberman, 11, and Dennis Dominic, 10.

In the second game of the evening Swansons buried Bob's Sunco 66-40. Swansons took the lead in the first quarter 14-8 and held onto it throughout the game jumping to 27-18 in the second period, 46-30 in the third quarter and 66-40 in the final quarter.

Bruce Meggison was the high point man for Swansons with 22 points. Dave Moyer made 17 points. For Bob's Sunco, Joel Donaldson had 16 points.

In the final game of the evening the Townhouse poured over Foam Corps 82-54.

Townhouse had four players in double figures with Dan McKenzie leading the way with 19 points.

Spock Coleman had 17, and Ike Boss and Steve Smith both had 10 points.

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Moyer's players have yet to smooth out the early season rough edges. Turnovers and fouls were plentiful for both the Rayders and their opponents.

In Tuesday's encounter against Gaylord, Charlevoix fans saw Jim Elzinga and Pat Schmidt both fouled out late in the fourth quarter. Schmidt kept the Rayders in the game

with 22 points, but they could not overcome a cold shooting, four-point first quarter.

Kip Cinnamon contributed 18 points and Elzinga added 10 in the losing effort.

Friday night, Coach Moyer was more successful, according to the coach, "The fellows dominated the rebounding, especially Joe Left and that's what kept us in the game."

Charlevoix held a 42-30 edge in team rebounds in the victory.

Cheboygan employed a full court press throughout most of the game. This gave the Rayders trouble early, but they were able to overcome the defensive maneuver.

Even with the victory, Moyer felt turnovers and fouls were an important aspect of the game.

"We had 11 turnovers in the first quarter and 32 fouls in the game," Moyer pointed out.

"Elzinga, Cinnamon and Steve Schuch fouled out with two more players collecting four fouls."

Scoring was again led by Schmidt, this time he tallied 16 points. Cinnamon helped out with 9 points and Neil Datedale collected 6.

Charlevoix hit 15 field goals and 17 of 23 free throws. "It was a good victory, but we need to smooth out our game," Moyer said.

This week Charlevoix travels to Grayling on Tuesday and entertains Rogers City at home on Friday. Perhaps the Rayders can straighten out their mistakes in these two conference games.

play," Coach Moyer said. "We have four tough games coming up against Rogers City, Harbor Springs, St. Ignace and Petoskey and we need to be ready."

GAME STATISTICS
Quarter Scores
Charlevoix 1 2 3 4 Final
Gaylord 10 19 25 10 64

Scoring
Schmidt 22
Cinnamon 16
Elzinga 10
Left 6
Schuch 5
Plumm 2

Quarter Scores
Charlevoix 1 2 3 4 Final
Cheboygan 12 6 12 13 45

Scoring
Schmidt 16
Cinnamon 9
Dzedzie 6
Drost 4
Left 4
Plumm 4
Schuch 4

In Monday's game Hoffman was also the top scorer with 14 points and Ben Shores had 13 points.

Paul Hoffman was the top scorer for Charlevoix with 16 points. Jeff Daylong had 6 points and Frank Hoffman was good on the rebounds.

Coach Gowell said.

Girls lose tough one in tourney

Charlevoix Rayders lost a tough game to the Elk Rapids girls in their opening appearance in the Class C District Tournament at Elk Rapids last week.

The Elks beat the Rayders 80-55.

"I was proud of the team, they played well," Coach Toni Felter said. "They played good offense and defense and they didn't let it fall apart. They had a good game."

"But the Elk Rapids team was fast and they had good outside shooting."

Coach Felter said the Elks capitalized on some Rayder errors, but the opponents' strength was their shooting.

The Elks also had some height in the Class C District Tournament at Elk Rapids last week.

The Elks got off to a good start taking the lead in the first quarter 19-6. The Rayders came back to add 20 points to their score in the second quarter, but the Elks were there with another 22 points. At the half the score was 41-26.

In the third quarter the Rayders narrowed the lead by adding 17 points to their score and the Elks hit for only 18 points bringing the Rayders

See Girls on page 14.

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Lena M. Cotton Funeral services for Mrs. Carl (Lena M.) Cotton, 82, who died Nov. 27, at McLaren General Hospital in Flint, were held Thursday, Dec. 1, at Sunset Chapel of the Reile Funeral Home in Flint. The Rev. Bruce W. Pearson of the Faith Missionary Church officiated. Interment was in Graceland Cemetery.

Born at Brynner, Mo., Dec. 9, 1894, the former Lena Mae Louise was to Michigan with her parents as a girl of 15 years. She lived at Hart, Mich., where she met and married William Bradford on April 5, 1915. They resided at Ellsworth for several years before going to Flint where Mr. Bradford preceded her to death in March 1949. In 1964 she was married to Mr. Cotton. She was a member of the Dartmouth Missionary Church and had been a Sunday School teacher.

Besides her husband, she is survived by six daughters, Mrs. Ruth Vount of Hamletta, Mrs. Mildred Fournier of Flushing, Mrs. JoAnn Bourdeau of Davison, Mrs. Lillian Muma, Mrs. Shirley Allison and Mrs. Betty Venable, all of Flint; five sons, Gerald Bradford of Millington, William Jr., at Bradenton, Fla., Jack of Mt. Morris, Harold and Carl of Flint; 47 grandchildren; 46 great-grandchildren; a sister, Mrs. Louis DuChene of Kewadin and five brothers, William J. of Weidman, Niley A., Rev. Ted L., Paul F. and Thomas W., all of Charlevoix.

Combined choirs to present cantata

A special Christmas cantata will be presented by the combined choirs of the Atwood Reformed Church, the Charlevoix Church of God and the Charlevoix Community Reformed Church.

The John W. Peterson cantata "Night of Miracles" will be presented at 7:30 p.m. Sunday and on Christmas night in the Community Reformed Church of Charlevoix.

Cindy Hansen will direct the choirs and Gianna Leonardson and Ken Boss will be featured soloists. Francis Boss and Terry Vanderslick will accompany the three choirs and Nathan Boss will be the narrator.

Written in 1958, Peterson's "Night of Miracles" attempts to portray the truth of the birth of Christ in a new and original way.

Searching through the Gospels of Matthew and Luke, Peterson began to weave the thread of the miraculous way in which the prophecy was fulfilled, the way in which the message was given to the shepherds and the way God chose to reveal himself on that first Christmas.

Peterson writes that in within 8 points of their opponents, but in the final quarter the laymen managed to his only another 15 points while the Elks added 23 points to their score.

High scorer for the Rayders was Melinda Klooster, who was brought up from the junior varsity team for the tournaments along with Melanie Kerridge and Theresa Noiro. Melinda had 22 points for a shooting average of 73 percent. She also had five interceptions during the game.

Sherrie Sellisen followed Melinda with 12 points and Chris Lehman had 8.

Top point maker for the Elks was Karen Norton with 20 points followed by Barb Lunday, 15 and Kelly Sanford, 14.

The Elks went on to play Boyne City and Traverse City St. Francis in the district tournament.

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Court News

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix District Court during the week ending December 2 by Judge David W. Frazier:

Brian W. Spenski, 17, Boyne City, 11, unsworn and publishing. Examination waived, bound over to Circuit Court. (2) receiving and concealing stolen property over \$100. Examination waived, bound over to Circuit Court.

Christopher J. Engels, 19, Grosse Pointe Farms, speeding. Plead guilty. \$25 fine and costs.

Robert D. Stauffer, 38, Boyne City, speeding. Plead guilty. \$30 fine and costs.

Shirley E. Bell, 34, East Jordan, violating probation. Plead guilty. Ten days in jail, suspended, restitution to injured party, and probation revoked.

Thomas Kuituk, 20, Wixom, reckless operation of boat. Plead guilty. 185 line and costs.

James R. LaBelle, 25, Gaylord, speeding. \$25.

Carl D. Capo Biano, 36, Mattson, Illinois, speeding. \$25.

Mrs. F. Elinger, 58, Fort Wayne, Indiana, speeding. \$25.

Lawrence E. Sileston, 21, Bloomfield Hills, speeding. \$25.

John J. Legi, 30, Petoskey, speeding. \$30.

In Charlevoix and Boyne City, during the week ending December 2 by Magistrate Marilyn Blumstein and Howard Tabory:

Cindy K. Gufford, 28, Charlevoix, speeding. \$23.

Douglas M. Ellis, 34, Petoskey, speeding. \$36.

Arthur A. Wojan, 48, Charlevoix, failing to yield. \$25.

Larry D. Mohr, 21, East Jordan, speeding. \$31.

John E. Blahus, 34, Charlevoix, carrying unsecured firearm in vehicle. \$25.

David P. Reinhardt, 35, Hazel Peik, speeding. \$40.

Kenneth D. Kruse, 20, Eastport, speeding. \$39.

Dennis R. LaBelle, 25, Gaylord, speeding. \$25.

Carl D. Capo Biano, 36, Mattson, Illinois, speeding. \$25.

Mrs. F. Elinger, 58, Fort Wayne, Indiana, speeding. \$25.

Lawrence E. Sileston, 21, Bloomfield Hills, speeding. \$25.

John J. Legi, 30, Petoskey, speeding. \$30.

Verdicts, speeding. \$30.

James E. Thompson, 29, Maple City, speeding. \$32.

Jack E. Moyer, 23, Petoskey, careless driving. \$85.

Dennis L. Goche, 46, East Jordan, no hunting license. \$25.

Debra J. Jenkins, 22, Gaylord, speeding. \$30.

Leonard A. Trooper, 25, Gaylord, attempting to take fish with illegal device. \$45.

Cavie J. McDowell, 19, East Jordan, speeding. \$36.

Edward S. Petrowsky, 64, Petoskey, transporting loaded rifle in auto. \$45.

Mary E. Teasdale, 28, Walloon Lake, failing to stop at red light. \$25.

Brandon M. Sanders, 25, Gaylord, speeding. \$30.

Thomas C. Bordine, 31, Charlevoix, speeding. \$25.

Stephen E. Fortin, 19, Traverse City, speeding. \$30.

James A. Lutell, 41, Harbor Springs, speeding. \$33.

James L. McWalters, 28, Petoskey, speeding. \$37.

George W. Stewart, 44, Saginaw, speeding. \$25.

John A. Vandegriff, 57, Battle Creek, speeding. \$25.

Peter P. Skop, 48, Boyne Falls, no hunting license. \$25.

Kathleen M. Heister, 33, Wyoming, speeding. \$40.

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'Atlas of Michigan' nearing sell out

"Atlas of Michigan," the first complete atlas of the state in more than 100 years, is nearing a sell-out of its first printing of 12,500 copies.

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"We wanted to produce a book that would invite the general reader to take it home and would also be used by professionals in their offices," says Dr. Lawrence M. Sommers, editor of the atlas. "I think we succeeded."

There are still some atlases left in book stores in the area.

Charlevoix from there in June 1968.

At the conclusion of his four year enlistment he left the service, re-enlisting in January 1960. At that time he returned to the CGC Sandew for two years and then was stationed at Duluth, Minn.; Bayfield, Wis., where he was Officer in Charge of the Lifeboat Station there; Two Harbor, Minn.; Light Station as Officer in Charge; USCG Recruiting Office Duluth from 1967-72; CGC Woodrush in Duluth, Alaska, for one year, and in June 1975, returned to the Sandew here.

He and his wife, the former Noreen Cross, and their children, Rich and Sherrie, will remain at their home on M-66.

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Shop Charlevoix this Christmas



ABOUT 43 percent of the voters turned out to express their opinion on the proposed new charter during a special election Monday. Here election workers close up shop and compare the vote tally with their registration sheets. Voters defeated the charter 571 to 511.

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Hotline lets others know what you think. Tell us your opinion on anything by calling 547-6559 anytime after 4 p.m. No need to give your name. Selected opinions will appear each week.

About a lot of things
I think there should be a sign at the traffic light in the center of Charlevoix as you approach from the north, saying "No Left Turn", as this holds back a great deal of traffic. Also, there are too many accidents on the highways today because of these double length trucks. They go too fast in the first place, they'll pass a person who's going 55 or 60 mph. There was a traffic accident just today, where the driver said his gas pedal stuck. Well, those big trucks ought to have better maintenance. Can you imagine what the man who was driving a car in front of that truck how he felt when he looked into the rear mirror and saw that truck coming down on him and then passing him up? Then, I think that there should be a law to prohibit these double trucks, no matter what kind of merchandise they transport, whether it's gasoline or other kinds of freight. I am also getting sick and tired of the word "sex". From teaching it in schools, in college down to the first graders. We're getting more and more like the people of Sodom and Gomorrah in Bible times. Sex is so sinful. It's sickening how people continue the use of the word and all it pertains to in discussions and in articles. And Ann Landers answers the most ridiculous questions. It's high time she quit using the word "sex" and talk about something else.

Christmas is Seeing
Thoughts that generate good feelings were meant to be shared. The following is entitled, "Christmas is Seeing." During the Holy Season, when the love and truth of Jesus is most desired and perceived, our minds are open and our hearts are excited and warmed. The living goodness experienced enables us to look at and see one another in a new and warm light. Cards and heartfelt greetings are exchanged, because, in seeing more clearly, we remember persons as good neighbors and friends. Thank you.

P.S.



Jeff Drenth
betcha' never thought you'd make the front page!

WEATHER

The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewer Disposal Plant.

Date	High	Low	Snowfall
December 3	42	30	5 inches
December 4	40	28	5 inches
December 5	32	28	Trace
December 6	31	27	Trace
December 7	28	20	5 inches
December 8	25	22	5 inches
December 9	30	28	7 inches

Voters turn thumbs down on charter a second time

By PAULA HOLMES
Charlevoix voters turned down a proposed new charter for the city for the second time during a special election Monday.

The proposed charter, prepared by an elected commission of city residents, would have changed the community to a home rule city from a fourth class city.

Election workers cast 475 votes in favor of the new document and 571 votes against it with the absentee ballots casting the decisive lot in the election.

Seventeen fewer people voted in Monday's election than in the July 11 election when the vote was 553 no, 510 yes. Approximately 43 percent of the voters participated in each election. There are 2,481 registered voters in the city.

The charter question was carried in the machine vote Monday with residents casting 401 yes votes and 368 no votes at the polls. However, of the 279 absentee ballots cast on the issue, only 74 were in favor of the charter while 205 opposed it.

In the last election, 194 absentee ballots were cast consisting of 53 yes votes and 140 no votes.

As in the last election, only one ward completely supported the charter.

Residents of the first ward cast 184 yes votes and 89 no votes at the polls and 41 yes votes and 22 no votes by absentee ballot.

In the July 11 election, first ward residents cast 193 votes in favor of the new document and 77 no votes.

Second ward residents cast 88 yes votes at the polls and 20 yes votes by absentee ballot Monday and 165 no votes at the polls and 97 by absentee ballot. In the first election, second ward voters opposed the new document 186 to 119.

Third ward residents cast 129 votes in favor of the charter at the polls Monday and 13 by absentee ballot while 132 no votes were cast at the polls and 86 by absentee ballot. In the first election, third ward opposed the new charter by a narrow 150-145 margin.

"We're sadly disappointed over the outcome of the election," John Michael, charter commission member, said. "I would have been satisfied if we had just brought out more voters, but we didn't even do that."

Mayor Edward Hansen, a strong opponent of the proposed new charter, said he felt vindicated by the outcome of the election.

"I think the result of the election shows support for what we have and for what we've done with it," Mayor Hansen said. "And I think the more people find out about the real issues in this thing, the more support will build for the electorate process."

"I think the real issue is that the voters want people responsible for the city that have to answer at the polls."

"If the people want a city manager, they can have that, too. All they have to do is pass an ordinance. We have the prerogative under the present charter to make out guidelines for a city manager or any other office that might be needed to operate the city."

The mayor said he was also glad to see the proposed charter defeated because of the merger situation with Charlevoix Township.

"Under the present charter, if it becomes advisable and expedient to change the borders of the city, it can be done locally through the county board of commissioners," Hansen explained.

"If the new charter had been adopted that authority would have been transferred to the state boundary commission."

The last investigation that group there were four mergers being considered and they had been in committee for four years.

Hansen said he did think there was room for improvement in city government and he said he would like to see more participation in decision making by the common council members.

"You can only improve government by having more people working at it," the mayor said. "There are other things that we could change and improve in city government, but that's not going to come out of an effort by people who are trying to change things because they were defeated or quit their office when they couldn't get their way at the council table."

Hansen said he hoped the charter issue was dead now because of the turnout it has created in the city. "It's time to free this council and let it get back to work," Hansen said. "Because of the political intrigue going on at the council table with them vying for position because of the charter effort we have lost opportunities in the areas of recreation, housing, and grant applications."

The charter commission has the option to hold one more election on the proposed new charter before the commission is dissolved in April. Commission Chairman Richard Fochtman said the commission would be meeting later this week to decide what steps to take.

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Council receives more petitions

A petition signed by 10 Bridge Street merchants opposing the proposed planting of trees in the sidewalk along the street was presented to Charlevoix Common Council Monday night.

The petition, signed by businessmen from Bergsons, Fays, Staley Hardware, Barber Shop, Topside Lounge, Sears, Bill's Fishing Hole, Cass Supply and Literary News Center, said

the merchants were very much against the planting of trees through the sidewalks downtown.

"I almost wonder if some action isn't necessary to ease these people's minds," Alderman Ivan Whitley said.

Alderman Jeannine Wallace, who is also a member of the Charlevoix Shade Tree Commission, said the petition situation was getting out of hand.

Santa's coming to town at 1 p.m. Saturday

Santa Claus will make his annual appearance in Charlevoix on Saturday. He will arrive at the parking lot of the First State Bank at 1 p.m., ready to entertain the boys and girls.

Santa's visit is sponsored by the Charlevoix Fire Department.



Get with the holiday spirit, join us at Dec. 22 Carol-In

It's time to get with the Christmas spirit. There's only 11 days left until Christmas and that doesn't leave you with much time to get filled with holiday cheer.

So why don't you plan on joining the Charlevoix Courier and WVOY Radio for their fourth annual "Carol-In."

All area residents are invited to join in a community evening of singing beginning at 8 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 22, in East Park in downtown Charlevoix.

Marina LaBlanc, Charlevoix Elementary School music teacher, once again will lead the singing and Santa Claus himself may even make a special

guest appearance at the celebration. Refreshments will be provided following the "Carol-In" and a drawing will be held for a family gift compliments of the Courier and WVOY.

In order to be eligible to win the prize, which will be announced next week, area residents should mail or bring in Christmas cards to the Charlevoix Courier, 301 Michigan Ave., Charlevoix, or to WVOY, 211 Bridge St., Charlevoix, by 6 p.m. Dec. 22.

The cards should contain the sender's name and address. Winners must be present at the "Carol-In" in order to claim their prize.

"Jacquie Merta of the chamber called and said petitions in favor of the trees were being turned in at the chamber for presentation here, too," Mrs. Wallace pointed out.

"Well, I'd like to see theirs," Whitley said. "I've seen plenty of signatures against it and I think action should be taken."

Mrs. Wallace explained that she had met with Billie Smith, and Ken and Roberta Whitley, leaders of the petition drive seeking a moratorium on the tree program, and that she had sent out specs for bids to all the nurseries in Northern Michigan to see if the city could get a better price, at the group's request.

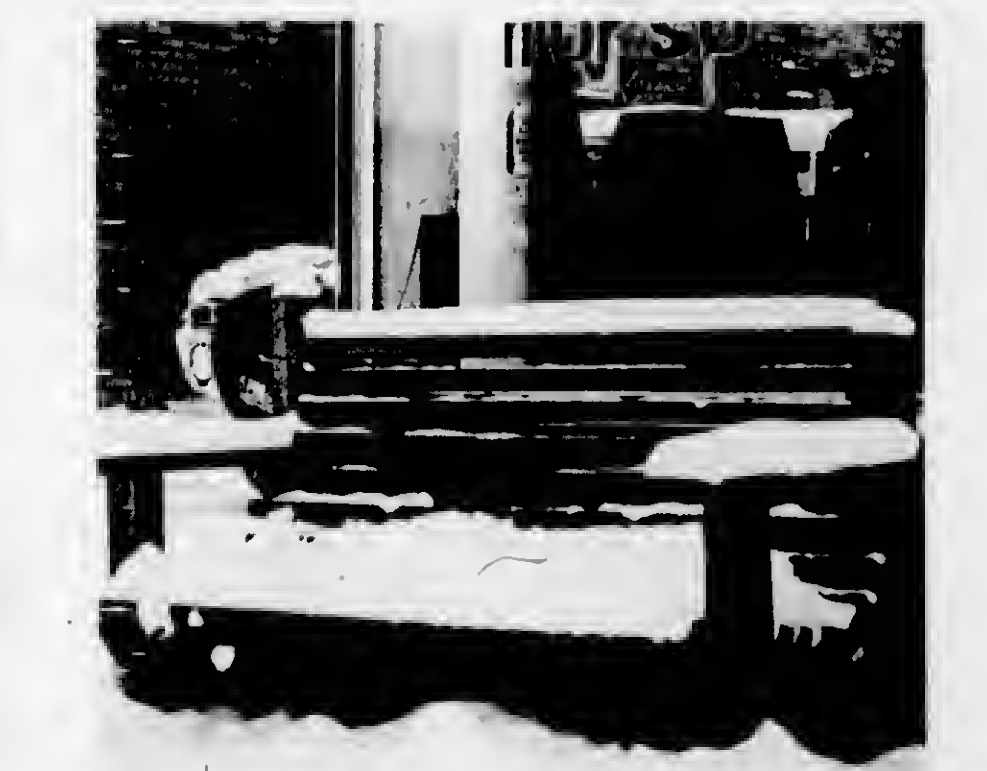
In other action, the council discussed the Charlevoix Housing Commission's request to approve Richard Wiggins as

the developer for the proposed senior citizen complex. Mayor Edward Hansen suggested the council or the housing commission investigate Wiggins thoroughly before naming him as the developer.

"I'm uncomfortable without checking him out," the mayor said.

Alderman George Plumm, the liaison between council and the housing commission, agreed that Wiggins should be investigated, but he urged that it be done as soon as possible. "I feel we should pursue this avenue so we can get this thing going," Plumm said.

The council also extended the deadline for truck bids to Dec. 19 and approved a petty cash policy for city employees and a site plan for Midwest Division of Ron Pair.



THIS SNOW covered bench in front of the Heartwood Alternative on Mason Street says it all about the weekend weather. Charlevoix was socked in by heavy snow storms that closed school Friday, cancelled the basketball game and in general slowed the pace down to a crawl.

Community Calendar

Tuesday, Dec. 13
Basketball: Harbor Springs here; JV: 8:30 p.m.; Varsity: 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Garden Club will meet with Mrs. Homer Brady, North Point, 1 p.m. Program: "Unusual gifts for gardeners" by Mrs. Robert O'Leary with members participating; Co-hostesses: Mrs. Paul Stephen and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson.
Charlevoix Rebekah Lodge will meet at American Legion post home 8 p.m.
Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors will meet at Grey Gables Inn 8 p.m.
Men's Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Community Church of God.
V.F.W. will meet at post home 8 p.m. Note change of day.
Wednesday, Dec. 14
Charlevoix Board of Commissioners will meet at the county building annex.

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Mary Burns Circle will meet with Mrs. James Hiller for 8:30 p.m. potluck dinner and gift exchange.
Margaret Parker Circle will meet with Mrs. Arnold Copeland 1:30 p.m. Co-hostess: Mrs. Floyd Chamberlain.
TOPS will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal church for weigh-in at 6 p.m.; business meeting: 6:30 p.m. Parents without Partners will meet at the Native American Recovery Center, 205 Bridge St. for 8:30 p.m. potluck supper and business meeting. Bring a dish to pass and own table service. All eligible persons are invited to attend. Call 547-4434 during the day and 547-2400 after 5 p.m. for additional information.
Pilgrim circle will meet with Mrs. David Fowler, E. Dixon ave. 1:30 p.m. Co-hostess: Mrs. Richard Schaefer.
Mary Brewster Circle will meet with Mrs. Edward K. Shanahan 1:30 p.m.; Co-hostess: Mrs. E.J. Edwards; Devotions: Mrs. Charles Bellinger; Program: Miss Edith Harris: Christmas: "Together in Love".

Charlevoix Senior Citizens 8 p.m. potluck supper at the high school cafeteria. Middle School choir will sing under the direction of Steve Stargardt. Ron Putnam will also play his guitar and sing. Bring a dish to pass and own table service.
Big Brothers-Big Sisters of Charlevoix County will meet at the Community Room, Charlevoix City hall, 7:30 p.m. Charlevoix Middle School 7th and 8th grade band and the Middle School Chorus will present its annual Christmas concert at the Middle School gymnasium 7:30 p.m. Public is invited.
Friday, Dec. 16
Basketball: Charlevoix at St. Ignace, JV game: 8:30 p.m.; Varsity, 8 p.m.
Maple Grove Grange will meet at the Grange Hall 8 p.m. Ah-Anons Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal Church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers: For further information call 547-2145.
Saturday, Dec. 17
Annual Holiday Wrestling Tournament at the Charlevoix High School beginning at 10:30 a.m. and continue through the day.
Petoskey Whirls-Aways Western Square Dance Club will meet at the Lincoln School in Petoskey for annual Christmas party 8 until 10:30 p.m. Fräidenberg of Midland will call.
Sunday, Dec. 18
Christian Brotherhood Hour 7 a.m. Station WVOY sponsored by the Community Church of God.
Monday, Dec. 19
Charlevoix Band Boosters will meet at the high school cafeteria 7:30 p.m.

Charlevoix Board of Education will meet at the high school study hall 7:30 p.m.
Freshman Basketball: Charlevoix at Boyne City 7 p.m.
Charlevoix High School Symphony and Concert bands and the choir will present their annual Christmas concert at the high school gymnasium 7 p.m. Note the earlier time.
Tuesday, Dec. 20
Basketball: Boyne City here, JV game: 8:30 p.m. Varsity: 8 p.m.
American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m.
Men's Prayer meeting 7 a.m. Community Church of God.
Wednesday, Dec. 21
Charlevoix Chapter No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet at the Masonic Temple 8 p.m.
Thursday, Dec. 22
Charlevoix Public Schools and St. Mary's Parochial School will close at the usual hours for the annual Christmas recess. Classes will resume at the usual hours on Jan. 3.

Christmas bazaar offers something for everyone Sunday



MIKE ROEBUCK, a fifth grade student at the Charlevoix Elementary School, shows off a door decoration that he made for the Christmas Bazaar that the Parents Council is sponsoring Sunday from 2 to 5 p.m. at the school.

It promises to be a fun afternoon for the entire family. The Charlevoix Elementary School Parents Council is sponsoring a Christmas Bazaar from 2 to 5 p.m. Sunday at the school.
The bazaar will feature an old fashioned cake walk, a visit from Santa Claus and Sesame Street's Big Bird, jolly clowns and the usual bazaar items.
In addition, families attending the bazaar will be able to purchase hot dogs, popcorn and cotton candy to munch on while they look at all of the items available.
Parents, grandparents and children have been working as hard as Santa's elves preparing items for the bazaar. Patty Muma, chairman of the Parents Council Social Committee, which is holding the bazaar, explained.
The students have been making candles, pine cone wreaths, door decorations and Christmas tree ornaments to sell at the bazaar while parents have been working on baked goods for the cake walk, dried flower arrangements, macramé and knitted items and ceramic pieces.
Anyone wishing to donate items to the bazaar can send them to the elementary school this week or on Saturday, Mrs. Muma said. The Parents Council will be setting up the bazaar in the elementary school gym Saturday afternoon. Funds raised at the bazaar will be used to purchase equipment for the school.
Members of the social committee who are working on the bazaar include: Debbie Bartram, Lynn Graves, Shirley Roloff, Donna McGary, Pat Gauthier, Swanne Alden, Marlene Creswell, Betty Coen, Judy LaFave, Anna Darrah, Joyce Frabis, Jean Seymour and Barbara Holmes.



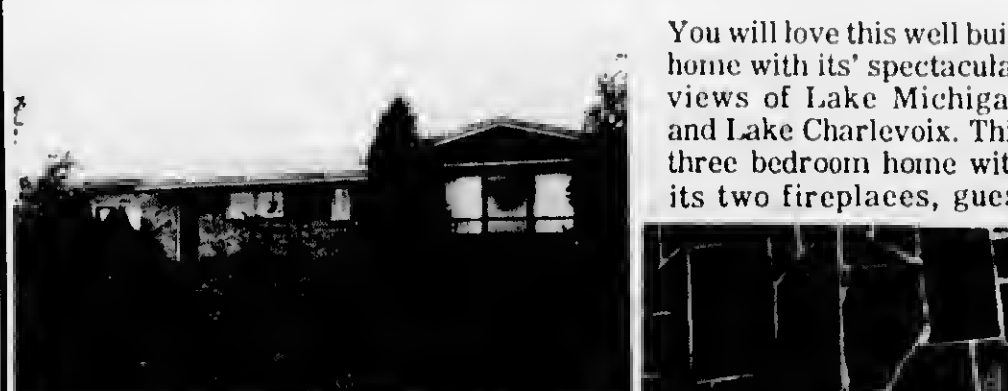
DOUG MAYHEW puts the finishing touches on a pine cone wreath he made for the Christmas Bazaar that will be held Sunday at the Charlevoix Elementary School. Doug and many other students made decorations to sell at the bazaar. Money raised at the event will be used to purchase equipment for the elementary school.

High school holiday concert slated for Monday in gym

The Charlevoix High School Music Department will present its annual Christmas Concert at 7 p.m. Monday, Dec. 19, in the high school gym.
In scheduling the concert at the earlier hour, Gary L. Stutzman said he was hopeful that families with school-age children will attend and enjoy the seasonal music.
Highlighting the concert will be a selection from Tchaikovsky "Nutcracker Suite" so much a part of the holiday scene and many of the standard Christmas selections including Leroy Anderson's "Sleigh Ride" and Irving Berlin's "White Christmas". The bands will appear under the direction of Mr. Stutzman. The concert is open to the public. Residents of the school district are invited to the concert that is ushering in the holiday season.
The high school choir, directed by Steven Stargardt, will present a program of traditional holiday music.
Dale Boss Jr., will manage the park for the second year. He will be assisted by Gary Sebe.
Boss went on to say that there is a good base on the hills which will be built up as the season progresses. The marks the first time the back hill was opened this early.
The park will be open from 6 until 10 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Thursday. This marks a change from Tuesday night. On the weekends the facility will be open from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. on Saturday and 1 until 6 p.m. on Sunday.
During the forthcoming holidays, however, the slopes will be open daily from 10 until 6 p.m. daily beginning Dec. 23 through Monday, Jan. 2 with the exception of Christmas Day when it will be closed all day and on New Year's Day when the hours will be from 1 until 6 p.m. The park has never remained open on Christmas Day.
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Calling snow days---serious business

As soon as that first snowflake hits the ground and winter sets in, students' minds turn to thoughts of their first "snow day."
Students in the Charlevoix Public School system got their first day off due to the weather last Friday when more than seven inches of the white stuff covered the ground and the road.
While students may find snow days full of fun, deciding whether to hold school or not is a serious business, according to Superintendent Gordon Van Wieren.
The decision making process begins at 4:30 a.m. each day when Vince Olach, school business manager, hops out of bed to check the weather. School buses leave the garage at 6:20 a.m. so the latest decision can be made to close school at 6:15 a.m.
If go by the weather report on the radio or television the night before," Olach explained. "If it says snow or blow, I set the alarm for 4:30 a.m."
When he gets up, he checks to see if it has done either. If it has snowed or drifted during the night, Olach gets ready to drive some key roads on the north and south sides of the school district to see if they are passable.
He uses a four-wheel drive vehicle, a large shovel and a CB radio while making the rounds of Boyne City, Skolt, Pincherry and adjoining roads on the north side and Barnard, Loeb, Marion Center and adjoining roads on the south side.
Van Wieren said the school district also checks with the sheriff's department and the road commission about the condition of the roads, but he believes the school district officials should also check the roads.
"I prefer to check the roads on our own if we can because that way we can be a little more responsible for the decision," the superintendent explained.
Van Wieren said many things go into making a decision about closing school for the day. In addition to a check of the roads, the wind velocity, visibility and the possibility of more snow during the day are also taken into consideration.
Van Wieren urged parents and students to wait for announcements about school cancellations to come over the radio. He said that calling school officials or the radio station only ties up the telephone lines and prevents them from getting information they need to make a decision whether or not to hold school.
The school officials said that school would probably never be held if the buses couldn't get out to pick up students.
"In order to get credit for holding school, 70 percent of the students must be in attendance," Olach explained. "We transport 1,282 out of 1,779 of our students or about 70 percent of the enrollment." After seven snow days, any other days of school missed due to the weather must be made up in the Charlevoix School District.

County Engineer-Director explains plowing policy

By PEG OHLE
Now that the snow season is upon us, there are many questions about the priorities of snow removal throughout the county.
Road Commission Engineer-Manager Irvin Starn answers those questions in the following statement:
"Snow removal and ice control activities will continue during normal working hours and on overtime, if necessary, until county primary roads and remaining school bus routes are passable."
"Snow removal and ice control activities on remaining county local roads will be confined to normal working hours unless otherwise authorized by the superintendent or engineer-director."
"Snow removal from shoulders and clean up of plow routes will be confined to normal working hours."
"When plow routes are clean, outside work will consist of brushing, trimming limbs on plow routes, cutting and disposing of dead elms and such minor maintenance and construction as may be authorized by the engineer-director."
"Trunkline maintenance will be in accordance with the existing Michigan Department of State Highways and Transportation policy."
Normal working hours begin at 7 a.m. for the road commission crews.

Money spent on prescriptions growing, passes 1/2 million in county

The amount of money being spent by Charlevoix County residents for drugs - the medicinal kind - is large and growing larger.
It is estimated that no less than \$39,000 is being spent annually in the local area for prescription drugs alone.
This is exclusive of such over-the-counter items as vitamins, cold remedies, nose drops, headache pills, sedatives and the like, which are sold without doctors' prescriptions. They add another third, approximately, to the overall drug bill.
The rising cost of prescription drugs, locally and in other parts of the country, is due to increased usage as well as to higher prices, according to a survey made by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare and just released.
In Charlevoix County's regional area, it shows, the average amount spent for prescription drugs, is \$28.20 per year per capita.
About 10 years ago, when a similar survey was made by the Public Health Service, the annual cost per person was only \$15.00.
The increase in the period, 88 percent, compares with a national rise of 81 percent, as expenditures have gone from \$15.40 to \$27.84 per capita.
Throughout the country, nearly \$6 billion is being spent each year for prescription drugs alone, exclusive of those provided to patients in hospitals. That is about double the amount noted 10 years ago.
The increase is attributed to inflation, to the fact that there are more pharmaceutical products on the market today and to the fact that the per capita use of drugs has gone up.
In Charlevoix County's section of the country, prescriptions are being issued at the rate of 6.0 per person per year, total of close to 115,000. Their average price is \$4.70.
Back in 1966, there were 4.4 prescriptions per person at a unit price of \$3.41.
There is a wide variation, understandably, between the amount young people and old people spend for drugs. Those who are 65 or more have bills of \$61.40, on average, while those under 17 spend only \$9.10 per year.

Weekend snowfall provides enough for opening of Mt. McSaubia ski area

By FRANK MARTIN
The heavy snowfall late last week resulted in the opening of the Mt. McSaubia Ski slopes north of Charlevoix on Sunday.
Dwight Boss, City Recreation Director, has announced.
Boss said workers packing snow and getting the slopes in shape Saturday made it possible to open Sunday with 100 skiers on hand to enjoy the skiing. The hill was opened on the same date in 1976 Boss said.
Boss went on to say that there is a good base on the hills which will be built up as the season progresses. The marks the first time the back hill was opened this early.
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Charlie Brown Christmas
CHARLEVOIX COUNTY residents can celebrate a Charlie Brown Christmas if they visit the county building sometime during the holidays. County employees have painted up a storm decorating the building for the season with every Christmas symbol imaginable including the familiar Peanuts characters.
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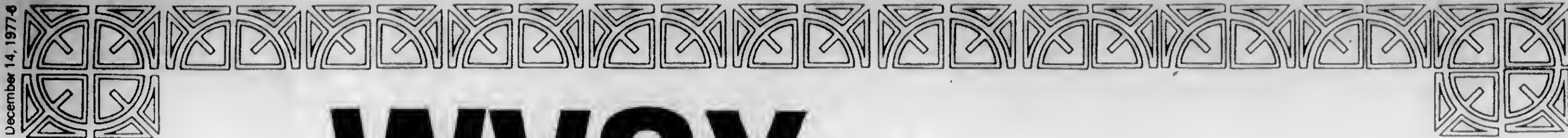
Charlevoix Yesterday

THIS PICTURE of Ironton was taken from the Sequoia Club sometime in the early 1900's. In the center background is the Ironton church, shown in its original location before being moved to Washington Street. The picture was given to Mrs. Ross Alexander of Ironton by Mrs. Beatrice Tuttle Taggart, whose father was a photographer in Charlevoix. Her husband's father, Reverend Taggart, was the minister of both the Charlevoix Congregational Church and the Ironton church. Mrs. Alexander reports that winter church services were held in the Grange Hall since the church had no shed in which to keep the horses away from the cold and accumulation of snow.

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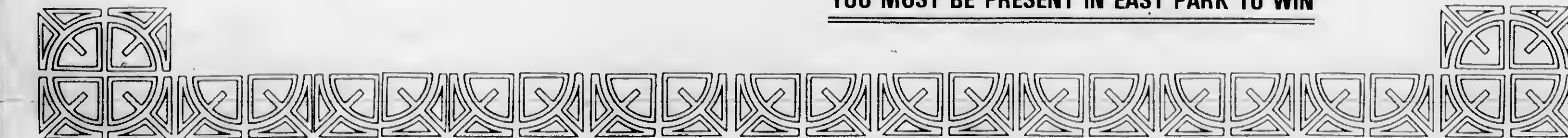
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Meet Charlevoix

...Glenn Rose, former sheriff

Glenn Rose is a long-time Charlevoix resident and a former sheriff of Charlevoix County. This week the Courier talks with him about memories through the years.

COURIER: Were you born in Charlevoix?

ROSE: No, I was born in Ora, Indiana and moved here with my family when I was 14. I finished grade school here.

COURIER: What was your first job?

ROSE: My dad bought a car and I drove it as a taxi. There was much more need for a taxi in those days because the summer resorters came on trains and needed a taxi to travel around town.

COURIER: Then what did you do?

ROSE: I had several different jobs, then got married and went to work on the Charlevoix police force. I was there 14 years, also serving as a special deputy sheriff part of the time.

COURIER: When were you elected sheriff?

ROSE: In 1954, and took office in 1955. I retired in 1966.

COURIER: How large was

the department when you were sheriff?

ROSE: My wife and I were it. If I needed somebody else, I went out and picked someone up and hired him for the job.

COURIER: Were you the only policeman in Charlevoix, Boyne City, and East Jordan as deputies?

COURIER: What was your biggest problem as sheriff?

ROSE: Home brew. We'd pick up a drunk and he would usually tell us where he was breaking and entering, and I don't believe we ever had a murder. One year we did find a suicide in an auto between Charlevoix and East Jordan. He had shot himself in the head.

COURIER: How many prisoners could the old county jail hold?

ROSE: Eighteen comfortably, but we had 30 numerous times, mostly for being drunk and disorderly. In those days, money wasn't so free so they would go to jail for 10 days instead of paying the fine. My first wife, Ida, was a matron of the jail and did the

cooking, etc. We lived there and were on duty 24 hours a day.

COURIER: How many patrol cars did you have?

ROSE: Just one. If we got a call from Chandler or some place like that they'd just have to wait for me. In later years we did have an under-sheriff and one deputy to help out.

COURIER: Did you ever have many women in the jail?

ROSE: Very few, and most of those were with booze and home brew. Crime was at a low ebb in those days, but there were neighbors arguing over property lines.

COURIER: Do you remember any interesting cases you had?

ROSE: Well, one night we got a call from the Weatherlane. Three young fellows from Ann Arbor were in town and stopped there for a few drinks. On their way out, they decided to take the cash register. It was an all night chase but we got the register back and put the three in jail. The next morning, a man came to the jail and asked to

talk to one of them. It turned out he was a state policeman and a brother of the one he wanted to talk to. I never heard anyone get a bawling out like that kid did from his brother.

COURIER: What do you do these days?

ROSE: I have a small cottage patrol business. The cottages are all fairly close together and I check them regularly. Mrs. Rose goes with me when the snow isn't too deep.

COURIER: What are your

hobbies?

ROSE: We like to travel around the north country. We had a travel trailer but sold it this year. We built a little camp in the Upper Peninsula. I like to hunt and have been hunting with the same man for 27 years. I met my present wife on a hunting trip in the Upper Peninsula. She lived in Foster City, about half way between Escanaba and Iron Mountain. The town is about the size of Horton Bay.

COURIER: Do you have any other hobbies?

ROSE: Just fishin'.

COURIER: Tell us about your family.

ROSE: My wife, the former Jennie Krita, and I have been married three years. I have three children, six grandchildren and four step grandchildren. Daughter Donna lives in Ann Arbor and works for Michigan Bell. She has four step children. Daughter Patsy works for a bank in Ann Arbor. Son Charles manages a chain store at Whitmore Lake.

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Glenn Rose

Charlevoix County joins joint junk study group

Charlevoix County Planner John Hess is working with the planning departments of Emmet and Cheboygan Counties in an effort to secure funds for a feasibility study on recycling waste in the three-county area.

The grant is being sought from the Michigan Energy Administration and would amount to between \$11,000 and \$12,000 if approved. Only four such grants will be awarded in the state, and the three county planners hope that the uniqueness of their approach will result in approval of their request for funds.

If the grant is approved, the actual feasibility study would be made by the University of Michigan Biological Station staff. It would be an effort to determine if the recycling of such products as glass, aluminum, iron, and paper in

Charlevoix, Emmet and Cheboygan Counties would be economically feasible.

The application for funds must be approved by the three county boards of commissioners before being presented to the Energy Commission. The only responsibility of the counties is furnishing the planners' time to work up the application.

Hearing set on C & C plans to abandon railway lines

Once again the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad is seeking to abandon service from Manistee to Petoskey, as well as lines from Bates to Elk Rapids and from Traverse City to Northport.

The Interstate Commerce Commission will hold a hearing on January 10 in Traverse City and continuing for several days to determine whether or not this service should be abandoned.

The Transportation Advisory Committee to the Northwest Regional Planning Commission has recommended to the Commission that they oppose the abandonment. They are also busy identifying the current needs of local shippers and coordinating their efforts. Tom Wieland of Charlevoix is a member of the Advisory Committee.

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John Hess is also busy advising local users of the railroad about the proposed abandonment and working with them in their efforts to prevent it.

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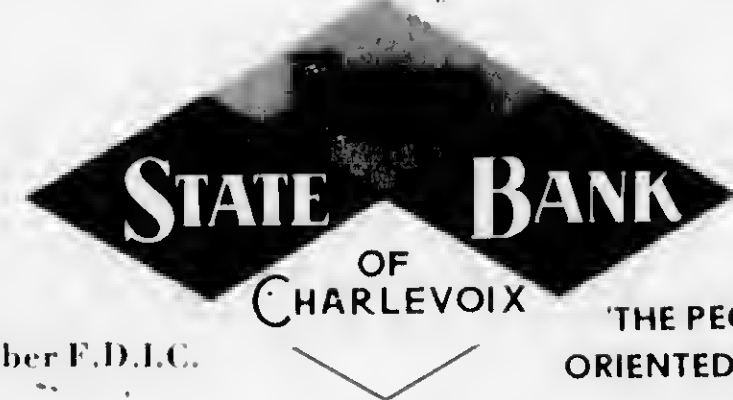
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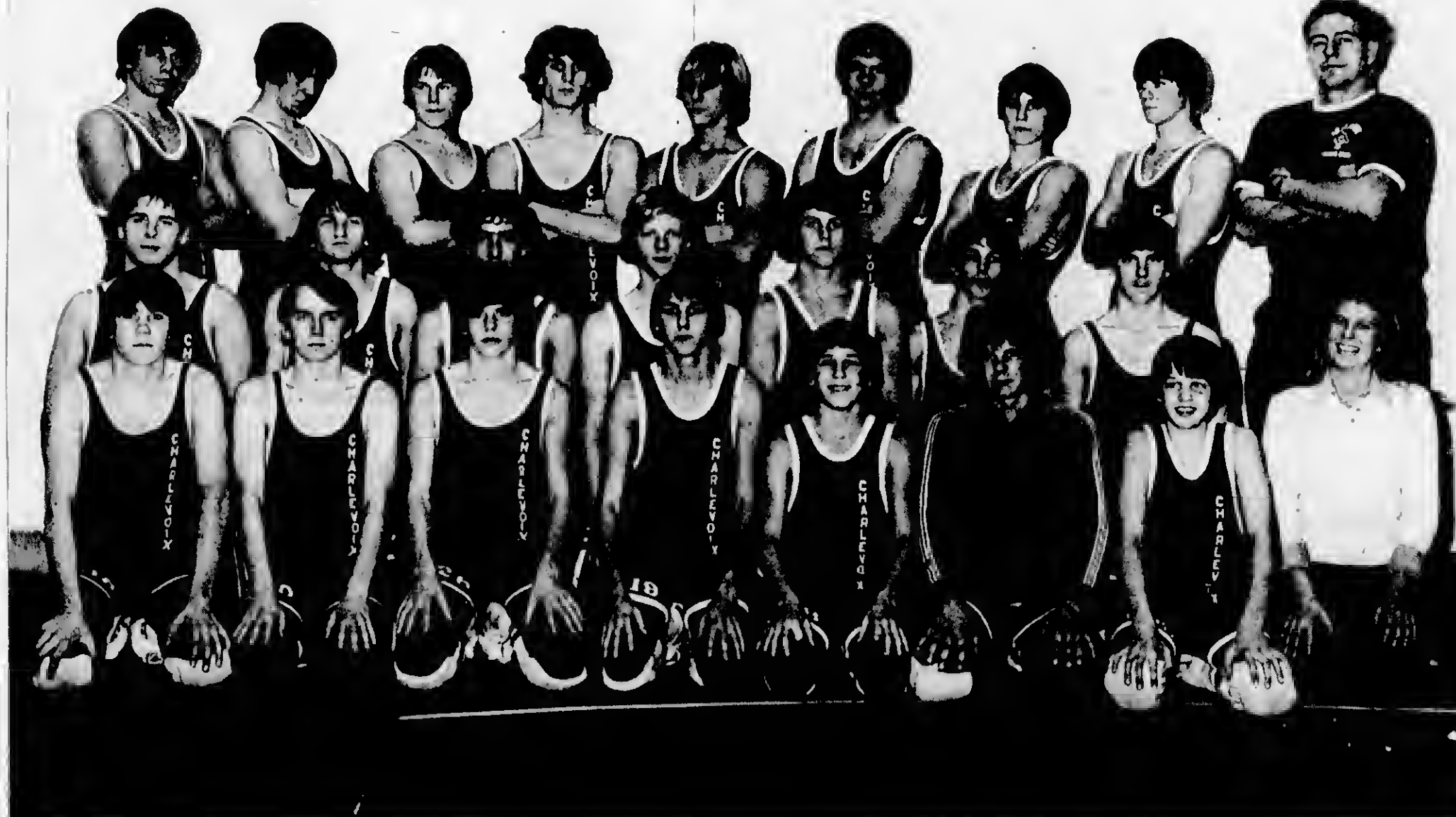
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IT HAS been an interesting first few days of the 1977 cage season for the Charlevoix Rayders. The 13 young men have a 2-1 record so far. Team members are: (kneeling left to right) Joe Left, Coach Dave Moyer and Jim Elzinga. In the

back row are: Gilbert Noirot, Kevin Kraft, Jim Aiger, Steve Schuch, Kip Cinnamon, Bob Drost, Bob Plumm, Neil Dziedzic, Todd Williams, Pat Schmidt and Doug Buday.

Meet the winter sports teams



THE 1977-78 RAYDER Wrestling squad is experienced and ready to roll. The members of this year's varsity squad are: (sitting, left to right) Scott Golovich, Lester Umlor, Lee DeMitchell, Bill Trost, Don Mol, Mike Kiteley, and Jeff Drenth. Kneeling are: Nick Anderson, Jeff Leitner, Herbert Scharenbroch, Brian

Wimmer, Jerry Kole, Ron Hilton, Mark Byard and statistician Danya Rothernberger. Standing are: Andre Keller, Greg Loper, Jerry Sladek, Brad Snizik, Dan Bruce, Dennis Whitley, Dave Golovich, Craig Golovich and Coach Norm Probert.



MEMBERS OF THE 1977 Rayder Ski Team are: (front row from left to right) Corinne Ranger, Bill Mosher, Kristen Lignell, Patrice Staley, Cindy Trimmer, Liz Morris, Karen Snizik, Kim Jones, Debby Fochtman. In the second row are: Coach Mike Bonello, Erik Lundteigen, Ed Engstrom, Mark Lignell, Dennis Martin,

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Rayders drop Grayling

By BILL MERCER

Charlevoix's Red Rayder basketball squad made its season debut with a 64-53 win last week over Grayling. The Rayder's Friday game was postponed due to weather conditions. School officials said they will try to reschedule the Rogers City contest sometime in February. Fouls, turnovers and good Rayder rebounding were the story of the Grayling contest. Once again, the Charlevoix team saw three of its players foul out, while three more picked up four fouls. Early season errors also were evident as both teams saw turnovers spoil scoring opportunities.

Coach Dave Moyer noted: "The play was still a little rough, but the fellows are

improving. We played tough and hit the boards real well."

A 17-point second quarter propelled the Rayders into an 8-point half time lead. Scoring by Pat Schmidt, Joe Left and Neil Dziedzic contributed to this margin. Schmidt once again led all scorers from Charlevoix as he hit for 22 points on nine field goals and for four of six free throws. Dziedzic was second for the night with 12 points in four field goals and four free throws. High scorer for the game was Geoff Stencil from Grayling with 23 points. This week Charlevoix takes on Harbor Springs and St. Ignace, both away games. The teams from Harbor are strong once again and it should be a tough test for the Rayders.

St. Ignace also has a good effect on the standings in the ball club this year and Michigan-Huron Shores Friday's contest will have an Conference.

Quarter scores
Charlevoix 11 17 18 20
Grayling 11 9 13 20

Player	STATISTICS				
	FG	FT	FA	PF	TP
Schmidt, Pat	9	4	6	5	22
Dziedzic, Neil	4	4	7	5	12
Left, Joe	5	—	1	4	10
Elzinga, Jim	2	3	6	4	7
pumm, Bob	2	3	3	5	7
Cinnamon, Kip	2	—	1	2	4
Schuch, Steve	—	2	4	4	2
Drost	—	—	—	1	—
Totals	24	16	28	30	64

Key for scoring statistics
FG — field goals
FT — free throws
FA — free throws attempted
PF — personal fouls
TP — total points

Site Planning, Kaden Swansons win in A League action last week

Site Planning, Swansons' and Kaden's all posted wins during A League action last week.

In the first game of the evening, Site Planning defeated Four Corps 70-64. Site Planning took an early lead that stayed with them throughout the game. In the first quarter Site Planning was ahead 13-4 and expanded its lead in the second period to 25-19. By the third quarter the score was 55-40 and in the final quarter it jumped to 70-64. Leading the scoring for Site Planning was Tim Carey with 18 points, Kraag Lieberman,

15 points and Paul Osterberg, 11. Mike Streeter was the top scorer for Four Corps with 21 points and Randy Holecheck had 20 points. In the second game of the night, Swansons' downed the Townhouse 57-51 in a close game. Like Site Planning, Swansons' took an early lead. In the first quarter, Swansons' was ahead 18-12 and they expanded their lead to 34-24 in the second quarter. In the third period Townhouse cut the lead to 42-40 but Swansons' surged ahead to take the game 57-51.

In the final game of the evening, Kaden's chalked up another win by defeating Bob's Sunoco in another close game. Top scorers for Swansons' were Mike Hildley with 18 points and Bruce Megglen with 15 points. For the Townhouse, both Dan McKenzie and Bernie Ward had 10 points. In the final game of the evening, Kaden's chalked up another win by defeating Bob's Sunoco in another close game. Bob's took the lead in the first half with scores of 18-12 and 32-30 for the first and second quarters. However, Kaden's came back in the third period to take the lead 48-43 and to keep it to win the game 57-41.

Chuck Stanke led the scoring for Kaden's and for the game with 24 points. Al Looze had 13 points for Kaden's. For Bob's Sunoco, three players had 12 points, Jack Danbert, Jim Danbert and Ken Derenzy. Chuck Pelham had 11 points.

Plans for ski race set by White Pine organizers

Plans are already being made for the second annual running of the state's longest cross country ski race, the White Pine Stampede. This year the stampede, a 50-kilometer or 32-mile race, will be held Feb. 4 and will begin near Hartwick Pine State Park north of Grayling. The race will also feature a shorter course of 20 kilometers or 12 miles. Contestants in both races will follow the same course. However, the longer race will continue through four counties and end in Manelona. Entrants will be divided into

Charlevoix Recreation Department	
Basketball Schedules	
Men's League	
Wednesday, Dec. 14	6:30 p.m. Tri-City Asphalt vs. Alray Cottages
7:30 p.m. Medusa vs. Wojan Aluminum	
8:30 p.m. First State Bank vs. County State Bank	
Men's A League	
Thursday, Dec. 15	6:30 p.m. Swansons' K D vs. Kaden's
7:30 p.m. Site Planning Development vs. Townhouse	
8:30 p.m. Four Corps vs. Bob's Sunoco	
(Action in both leagues will be suspended until Jan.)	
Volleyball	
Tuesday, Dec. 13	7:00 p.m. Bartlett's Decorative Center vs. Rugby Rogues
8:00 p.m. Odds n Ends vs. Swansons' K D	
9:00 p.m. Spikers vs. Village Car Care	
Tuesday, Dec. 20	7:00 p.m. Odds n Ends vs. The Blue Machine
8:00 p.m. Spikers vs. Rugby Rogues	
9:00 p.m. Village Car Care vs. Swansons' K D	
Mixed League	
Wednesday, Dec. 14	7:00 p.m. TFFopal vs. Righteous
8:00 p.m. Medusa vs. Dodgers	
9:00 p.m. The Hut vs. Freedman's	
Wednesday, Dec. 21	7:00 p.m. Quail of Site vs. Lions
8:00 p.m. Clothing Company vs. Ginn and Bear It	
9:00 p.m. Hawley's Raiders vs. LaBelakis	
Women's League	
Monday, Dec. 19	6:00 p.m. Oh Susannahs vs. Townhouse
7:00 p.m. Angels vs. Cards	
8:00 p.m. Medusa vs. Valley Belles	
9:00 p.m. Sunshine Girls vs. Topside	
(Action in these leagues will also be suspended for the holidays)	

First State, Alray, Tri-City victors in B League play

The lead in the Charlevoix Recreation Department B League changed hands again as First State Bank, Tri-City Asphalt and Alray Cottages all posted wins last week.

In the first game of the evening, First State Bank defeated Medusa 48-39 in a come from behind victory. During the first quarter Medusa took the lead 10-2 and then expanded it to 22-16 in the second quarter. Medusa held on in the third quarter with a four point lead to make the score 30-26 but First State Bank pulled it off in the final period of the game. Roger Gowell led the scoring attack of First State Bank with 16 points and Joe Beaudoin dropped in 10 points. Tom Morrison and Pat Kerr both had 6 points for Medusa. Roger Gowell led the scoring attack of First State Bank with 16 points and Joe Beaudoin dropped in 10 points. Vince Left with 19 points. Jerry Skippergosh had 29 points for the County State Bank and Larry Skippergosh had 18 points for the team.

NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACTION

(Under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1975, as amended and Act 165, P.A. 1972, as amended)

DESIGNATION OF TROUT LAKES FOR 1978

The Natural Resources Commission, on July 15, 1977, meeting under the authority of Act 230, P.A. 1975, as amended and Act 165, P.A. 1972, as amended, designated the following lakes as trout lakes and will continue fishing on certain lakes as indicated.

- Lakes shown in capital letters are new designations for 1978. Live minnows may not be used for bait on those lakes marked by an asterisk.
- ALCONA: Horseshoe* (126N, R51) and D. Brown lakes*
- ANTRIM: Green Lake*
- ALGER: Addis Lake and Pond, Cherry Grand Marsh, Mirror, Truman, Mike, Hawk, Rock, and Violet (Grass) lakes, Cole Creek and Kingston Ponds. The ponds on Sec. 15, 144N, R70W and Sec. 10, 144N, R70W, will have live minnows on certain lakes as indicated.
- CHARLEVOIX: Boyer Falls Pond*
- CHIBOGAN: Webster Lake*, Twin Lake #1*
- CHIPPEWA: Noontong Lake*, Trout Brook Pond (Sec. 22, 144N, R4W), Noontong and Rebury Ponds.
- CLINTON: Burke Lake (110 inch size limit on all trout, artificial lures only).
- CLINTON: Bright*, Glory*, Horseshoe*, Kirt*, and Shapoc* lakes.
- DELTA: Carr Ponds (Sec. 26, 143N, R18W), Lake 73, Square and Wintergreen Lakes, Zigzag Pond.
- GLADWIN: Haver* and Trout* lakes.
- GOSEWIC: Bestons Lake.
- GRAND TRAVELER: Sand Lake #2 (artificial lures only, 15 inch limit).
- IRON: Deacon's, Hoonah Webb, Killdeer, Madelyn, Skivine, and Spire Lakes.
- LAPORTE: Cedar Lake (110 inch size limit on all trout, artificial lures only).
- LUCI: Bannet Springs Lake, Brook and Buckles ponds, Dillingham, Holland (artificial lures with one single pointed hook only, limit of two trout over 15"), Jack, Lost, and Poplar lakes, Silver Creek, Spring Creek, and Third Creek ponds, Benny, Wagon, Trout, Ward, Little Wood, Waukena, and Youngs Lakes.
- MAKINAC: Makinac and Makinac Ponds.
- MARQUETTE: Argus, Badgering, Clear, Cliff, Corbinity, Grogans, Haywire, Hemmings (Flopper), Island, Jack, Kiley (Sec. 26, 143N, R20W), Lake 41, Long, and Muscon lakes, Section Fourteen, Section Twenty eight, Little Trout, Leavitt, and Big Trout lakes, Morgan Pond and all ponds on Spring Pond creek in Sec. 13, 143N, R20W.
- OAKLAND: Jackson Lake (112 inch size limit, 3 fish creel limit during June, July and August. No kill during remainder of trout season. artificial lures only).
- OSCEOLA: Center Lake*
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- SCHODONK: Clear Creek Pond, Ned's, Bear and Dutch Field lakes, Spring and King's Ponds.

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Hospital board keeps agency on course

"There is no other business like a hospital," said President of the Board of Directors of Charlevoix Area Hospital, Thomas Carey. That statement is vehemently agreed with by other members of the board who talked about their hopes and plans for the future as the board for 1977-78 took stock. Being businesslike while serving often unpredictable human needs is the Catch 22 of a hospital board's job. The board must see that a hospital remains financially sound while concentrating all considerations on how best to serve the health needs of the community, board members told an inquirer recently. "This is a community hospital. The job of the Board of Directors is to reflect what the people of our communities want," June Cross, who has served four years on the Charlevoix Area Hospital Board of Directors, said. New director Louis Hollow

added, "While the function of the board is to reflect the needs of the community it must help guide the hospital in a businesslike manner toward the satisfaction of medical care provided. The directors reflect both their communities — East Jordan, Boyne City and Charlevoix — and a range of talents. The eleven members of the board are bankers, businesspersons, salespersons, a former hospital employee, and a retired school official, and a physician representing the medical staff. Finances are a constant concern. Hospital department heads and doctors present lists of needed medical equipment and the board, working with the administration, doctors and department heads, sets priorities. When the administration determines a need for an increase in the wage structure the board of directors decides if it is feasible. But the uniqueness of the service of a hospital keeps financial considerations in perspective. "Because this is a community hospital, trying to provide what the people see as needs, we keep the Emergency Room open around the clock. This is not self-supporting. It is financially killing, but it is a service we must provide," Carey illustrated. Board member Max Novak added, "We must see the institution as a whole. We don't look at one department, which might be a loss. We try to balance that loss with a gain in another department." And despite the fact that the hospital is a not-for-profit organization, as June Cross said, "The hospital must realize a profit in order to buy and update equipment, to expand where needed and to

be in a financial position to attract and maintain its highly skilled employees. The board is tremendously proud of the medical staff. Several years ago the board and existing staff conducted a search which resulted in the addition of four physicians. To maintain the high quality of practice all physicians review each other and the board participates with the staff in that review. A current search is being conducted by the board and staff for a pediatrician. Hospital Administrator Richard Krueger commented, "The question of whether an excellent hospital attracts excellent physicians or if the physicians determine the excellence is like the chicken and egg question. They are inseparable." Because the board has ultimate responsibility for hospital affairs, its members also discuss such matters as how to continue the excellent safety record, which has meant lower workers compensation insurance; or whether to purchase a new computer for the business office. It also determines which pension plan is best for employees. Max Novak, who has served on the board since 1948, agreed with others who said increasing numbers of government regulations are always on the agenda. "But we must change with the times," Novak stated. "The hospital is twenty-five years old. When we built it we thought it would last a life time. In 1953 it met all government requirements.

Yet this past year all the doors on patient rooms had to be replaced by more fire resistant doors. That cost \$4,000." The board banned the expenditure on non-medical equipment, on one hand, yet, on the other, recognized that the new doors would contribute to maintaining the hospital's low fire rating, and thus keep those insurance costs down. "And most important, there is less danger to patients in case of fire," Novak said. The theme each board member emphasized was, as June Cross put it: "We want to maintain the special atmosphere of our community hospital—the care you get, the high quality of the staff and loyalty of employees. "If people care about the hospital, we want them to be involved," Mrs. Cross said. "And joining the Association is one way. Dues are \$3.00 a year or \$15 for lifetime membership. Members elect the board." The board's message to its public is that it is determined to keep Charlevoix the community hospital it is, with its special atmosphere of friendliness and caring, along with the constant improvement in the quality of medical care. "If people want to maintain our hospital and help it plan for the future, they should use it, support it and give time if they can," Max Novak concluded.



THE CHARLEVOIX Area Hospital Board of Directors is a busy group. Members of the board are: (clockwise from left around the table) Jack Gubugha, Louis Hollow, vice president; Dr. James Gels, chief of medical staff; Richard Krueger, hospital administrator; Thomas Carey, president; June Cross, William Sherman, and Elbert Kaiser. Missing from the picture are E. D. Hawley, secretary-treasurer; Glenn Kenney, Max Novak and Roy Brunell.

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Many different customs make up American celebrations

From Atlantic shores to Hawaiian coastlines, the world's Christmas joy and customs enrich the holiday season in the United States. In the Southwest, Mexican traditions create seasonal fiestas. To begin the Christmas season, a mariachi brass band sometimes plays at Roman Catholic Mass in Albuquerque, N.M. Near Las Cruces, N.M., American Indian dances mix with Spanish religious processions. Three centuries ago Canadian Frenchmen known as Acadians grew fond of a German cookie called Lebkuchen. They added a dash of this and that and made it their own. Acadians Save Cookies. In 1755 the Acadians were banished from Canada. They lost a homeland, but they saved precious traditions, including their German holiday cookie, which they continue to enjoy in Louisiana. In rural Alabama even county sheriffs break the law on Christmas Eve. Forbidden firecracker blasts rock the night. The ear-splitting custom reveals noisy Spanish and French celebrations during the rowdy early days of Dixie. A century and a half ago German immigrants brought a treasure trove of yuletide delights—Christmas trees, lights, bright tinsel decorations, fancy cookie cutters, spices, chocolates, mincepie, and dozens of other decorative and tasty holiday items. Among Scandinavia's contributions are dovelskatter, or "devil's cats." These special buns served by Swedes on candlelit St. Lucia day in mid-December recall an ancient belief that evil spirits roamed the earth about the first day of winter. A Christmas Eve lovefeast bridges the present and past in Old Salem, N.C. A tranquil fold of the past set in the heart of modern Winston-Salem, the restored town recaptures the sights and sounds known to hardy Moravians who built it on a wilderness hillside beginning in 1766. Decorated the Lawns. The Moravians who came to America from lands now forming part of Czechoslovakia introduced the custom of decorating their lawns and the outdoors of their churches and houses during the holiday season. The custom soon spread throughout the country. Santa Claus, or Saint Nicholas, arrived in the New World in the 1600s with Dutch settlers who called him Saint Nikolaas and Sinter Klass. Novelty scenes came from medieval Italy, but they can also be found today all over the United States, including Hawaii's Waikiki Beach.

Humane society plans open house Dec. 18

Animals in the County Animal Shelter will not be forgotten this Christmas season. The Humane Society will hold an Open House at the Shelter Sunday afternoon, December 18, from 1 to 5. There will be a decorated Christmas tree for animals and humans to enjoy and refreshments for both animals and humans. Vernice Smith, director of the Humane Society, is asking for donations of cat and dog food to supplement that usually supplied the animals. The food may be brought to the Shelter during the Open House, or any day before, during regular hours, 1 through 6 p.m. Monday through Friday.

Planner to attend special U-M seminar

John Hess, recently-appointed Charlevoix County Planner, will attend a four-day seminar in January at the University of Michigan. Hess has been granted permission by the Planning Commission to attend the meeting, which will stress "Program Budgeting," how to make rational allocations of resources. In citing the need for such a seminar, the University points out that public organizations are experiencing a greater demand for services and an increasing scarcity of resources. The seminar will provide public administrators with the tools necessary to implement program budgeting.

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STURGEON SPEARING SEASON—STATEWIDE

The Natural Resources Commission, under the authority of sections 1 and 3 of Act No. 230, P.A. 1925, it shall be unlawful to take or attempt to take sturgeon by means of spears from the inland waters of this State, except during the month of February of each year.

NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACTION

(under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended) ORDER TO RESTRICT SPEARING SEASON The Natural Resources Commission at its meeting on July 15, 1977, under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, orders that for a period of five years beginning January 1, 1978, it shall be unlawful during the month of April of each year to take any fish by spearing or bow and arrow north of Highway M-72 in the lower peninsula and from April 1 to April 14, inclusive, of each year between Highways M-46 and M-72 in the lower peninsula.

Patients at Grandvue facility need to be remembered for holiday

Patients at Grandvue Medical care Facility are looking forward to Christmas along with all the rest of us. They will appreciate a card, a note, or a visit from old friends and neighbors. The list of patients from throughout the county is printed below.

CHARLEVOIX: Mamie Allison, Emma Beckwith, Marian Bridge, Edward Greene, Louisa Hamer, Clair Hays, Rita Hebert, Walter Henley, Boyd Honeyette, Clarissa Knapp, Barbara Kysella, Eva Lutes, Peter Nelson, Anna O'Brien, Mary O'Leary, Marion Partridge, Mollie Prevost, William Schmidt, Lottie Seymour, Louisa Smith, Sam Straw, and Anna Struthers.

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BOYNE CITY: Charles Amesbury, Leah Bailey, Florence Bryan, Clyde Cadwell, Mary Cooper, Leo Davis, Beryl Dietze, Eva Ehrhardt, Mary Foss, Estella Gould, Lucy Gray, Lena Griffin, Lillian Hampton, Walter Houck, Dollie Kanipe, Sadie Dale Maurer, Jessie McCutcheon, Mildred McPherson, Idah Pierce, Ivy Robinson, Letta Sayles, Irene Sturgell, Pearl Thompson, Florence Watson, Ethel White, and Ethel Winkler.

BAY SHORE: Jessie Alexander.

BOYNE FALLS: Anna Cerkis.

WALLOON LAKE: Auer S. Hall.

ELLSWORTH: Pearl Staudenmeyer.

Charlevoix receives 2nd school payment

The Charlevoix school system recently received the second payment of State School Aid Funds for the 1977-78 fiscal year in the amount of \$23,065. School business manager Vince Olach says the school system receives state checks in varying amounts every two months to help defray the costs of special education, court-placed children, transportation, vocational education, and vocational education for the educationally disadvantaged. He estimates that state funds this year will amount to about \$123,100.

Middle school set to usher in Christmas season with Thurs. concert

The Charlevoix Middle School will usher in the Christmas season with a concert to be presented at the Middle School gymnasium at 7:30 p.m. Thursday. The seventh and eighth grade bands will present a program of traditional music with the former appearing under the direction of Steven Stargardt and the latter under David Riley, student teacher. The Middle School choir will also offer a number of seasonal selections including favorite carols. Mr. Stargardt will direct to group. The public is invited to attend the concert planned as an introduction to the holiday season.

Two area students graduate from Michigan State

Two Charlevoix County graduates were among 1,622 students receiving degrees from Michigan State University at commencement exercises last Saturday. Karen A. Hinds of Charlevoix received a master's degree in education. She was the principal speaker and presided over her final commencement exercises as president. Dr. Wharton was recently named chancellor-designate of the State University of New York and will leave MSU January 1 to assume that position. administration, with honors. Dr. Clifton R. Wharton, Jr., who has headed Michigan State University since 1970, was the principal speaker and presided over her final commencement exercises as president. Dr. Wharton was recently named chancellor-designate of the State University of New York and will leave MSU January 1 to assume that position.

Homemade gifts can stimulate the imagination and cut down on Christmas costs

These gifts appeal primarily to young children. Fill a "dress-up" box or old men's vests, dresses, purses, beads, scarves, feathers, and bits of old costumes. A crate useful for shipping a piano or refrigerator can become a house, puppet theatre, or hideaway. Big boxes can provide many hours of enjoyment for a child. For older children, put a real hammer and plenty of nails in a box for storage. Include with them an assortment of wood scraps of different sizes and shapes. Put some scraps of yarn, felt and cloth and paper bags in a grocery bag. Include a few samples of paper bag masks or puppets with the materials for making others. Take things that can be

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Michael Bartlett completes basic electronics course

Navy Seaman Apprentice Michael L. Bartlett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bartlett of Metz Road, East Jordan, Mich., has completed the Navy's Basic Electricity/Electronics Course. Four weeks of study at the Navy Service School Command, Great Lakes, Ill., included review of basic mathematics, fundamental

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Madden's Aluminum	18	40	

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NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACTION

(under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)

OPEN SEASONS AND CATCH LIMITS ON PIKE, WALLEYE, SAUGER AND MUSKELLUNGE

The Natural Resources Commission, at its meeting on August 12, 1977, under the authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, ordered that its subject order of August 15, 1975, remain effective through December 31, 1977, and that the following order become effective on January 1, 1978:

It shall be unlawful to take the following named species except within the open seasons and daily limits prescribed (statewide regulations apply unless otherwise restricted):

Statewide open seasons on all waters not otherwise closed to fishing shall be from May 15 through February on walleye, sauger, northern pike, and muskellunge (including tiger muskellunge). The daily catch limit shall be 5 single or in combination for largemouth and smallmouth bass, walleye, sauger, and northern pike; 1 for muskellunge (including tiger muskellunge).

The above regulations apply except that walleye and sauger may be taken at any time from the Detroit and St. Clair rivers, Lake St. Clair, and Lake Erie; and that muskellunge in Lake St. Clair, St. Clair and Detroit rivers may be taken only from the first Saturday in June through December 15 of each year.

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Rogers City puts hold on Rayders

The Rogers City Hurons defeated the Charlevoix Rayders 42-19 in a wrestling match in Charlevoix Thursday.

The middle and heavy weight wrestlers tried to pull off a win for Charlevoix, but the necessary points didn't come through. This makes the

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Merry Christmas to all



SANTA CLAUS gives a friendly pat and a box of candy to a Charlevoix youngster during the celebration of his arrival in town Saturday.

Christmas Spirit Lives

By PAULA HOLMES

A piece of the Christmas spirit is hiding in all of us.

I found that out this week when I tried to write a Christmas story for adults about a local man who has played Santa Claus to Charlevoix children for more than a decade.

I thought it was with insights about the trials and tribulations of being the jolly old elf might brighten the Charlevoix Courier Christmas issue. But, when I approached the man about the story, he politely refused to be interviewed.

Oh, he had plenty of stories to tell about what it's like to be St. Nick. And he explained how one year he was walking down the halls of the

Morris, Mrs. Roloff running, other wards still undecided

Two people have announced their candidacy for the upcoming Charlevoix mayoral and common council race while three more remain undecided.

Alderman Joseph Morris has announced he will seek reelection to his seat representing the Third Ward. Morris, a resident of the Belvedere, is just completing his first term on the common council.

Shirley Holoff, a Third Ward resident, has announced she also will be seeking election to that seat. Mrs. Roloff has been active as a volunteer for the Charlevoix County Department of Social Services.

She has also acted as a representative of senior citizens living in the Charlevoix Apartments on May Street in their attempts to seek relief from a 25 percent rent hike imposed on residents of the complex.

In the First Ward, Alderman Sue Erber said she is still undecided about seeking reelection as is Alderman Jeanne Wallace in the Second Ward. Mrs. Erber is just finishing her first term on the council while Mrs. Wallace is completing a second tour of duty.

Mayor Edward Hansen also said he was still undecided about seeking reelection.

"I haven't made that decision yet," Mayor Hansen said. "There are some things that I've been weighing before making my decision."

"There are a lot of jobs to be done. The city's got a lot of things hanging fire."

"I suppose the easiest thing to do would be to quit, but I feel it is incumbent upon the people in office to bring up something behind them to provide some continuity for city office."

Hansen is completing his sixth year at the helm of the city. He has also served six years as an alderman.

The offices of city clerk and city

treasurer are also up for reelection. City Clerk Judy Prybylski said she hadn't definitely made up her mind about running for reelection, but she thought she probably would.

Annette Cunningham, city treasurer, is vacationing in Florida and was unable to be contacted about her candidacy.

The primary election will be held on Feb. 20 with the general election set for April 3. The last date for registering to vote in the primary election is Jan. 23. Voters may register until 8 p.m. in the city clerk's office in Charlevoix City Hall on State Street.

Nominating petitions for either the mayoral or council seats may be obtained at the city clerk's office. The petitions are due back in the clerk's office by 4 p.m. Jan. 3.

People planning to run for a council seat in the First Ward on the Democratic ticket must collect between one and seven signatures on a nominating petition. In the Second Ward, between three and thirteen signatures are needed and between three and eleven signatures are needed in the Third Ward.

Candidates planning to run on the Republican ticket need between two and six signatures on a petition to have their names placed on the ballot in the First Ward. In the Second Ward, Republican candidates need between one and four signatures and in the Third Ward candidates need between one and four signatures.

A Democratic mayoral candidate needs between eight and 31 signatures to get on the ballot and a Republican mayoral candidate needs between four and 14 signatures.

Clerk and treasurer candidates also must gather this amount of signatures. The amount of signatures needed is based on the number of votes cast for the Secretary of State office in the last election.

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Reserves tied up in earmarked funds

City doesn't really have surplus

A lot has been said in recent months about the surplus of money in the City of Charlevoix coffers.

Figures as high as \$750,000 have been batted around as the estimated surplus in the city budget, but according to city officials, Charlevoix doesn't really have a surplus of money at all.

"We're comfortable, but we don't have so much money that we don't know what to do with it," Annabelle Cunningham, city treasurer, said.

"There's a lot of misunderstanding about what is being called a surplus. It's not a surplus at all. We have a retained balance or reserve of close to that."

William Schroeder, of Hill, Woodcock and Distel, the certified public accountants who performed the city's audit last year, explained that some of the confusion about the surplus may have been caused through the use of the accounting term surplus.

"Surplus is the addition of each account left over at the end of the year," Schroeder explained. "This becomes a part of the fund balance."

But the fund balance isn't made up of just cash; it also includes the value of assets such as land, buildings, the electrical distribution system and other

equipment belonging to the city.

"When all of this is totaled up, it equals about \$700,000," Schroeder said. "And that's the total fund balance, but it's not all cash."

This type of surplus figure can sometimes get cities into trouble, especially if they over value their assets and under value their liabilities, according to ex-city administrator Allen Sandberg.

"Frequently you find that a surplus doesn't get analyzed and it tends to take on importance for the tax rate. It's important to know the value of property that the city owns, but which doesn't have any value to anyone else," Sandberg said.

This can lead councils to spend the money they should be setting aside in order to run the city," Hansen said. "The city owns, but which doesn't have any value to anyone else," Sandberg said.

Although the mayor and council are using the electric and other utility funds to keep taxes down, Hansen doesn't consider the utility rates a hidden tax.

"These funds are not being used unfairly because we're not charging what the people would have to pay to Consumers Power if that were the alternative supplier of power," he pointed out.

Hansen said he and the council were working to determine what an adequate reserve should be for the city.

HOTLINE

Dial 547-6559

Hotline lets others know what you think. Tell us your opinion on anything by calling 547-6559 anytime after 6 p.m. No need to give your name. Selected opinions will appear each week.

Yen for Tom Duke

I have just read Tom Duke's letter. Thanks to the Courier for putting it in this last week. It was really enlightening. I wish that everyone would read that letter. Maybe we could have extras in our school systems like they do in Dearborn. Factories paid for many things in their school systems by paying their fair share of taxes. They have swimming pools, free hot lunch programs, all paid by the taxes of the Ford factories. That could be done here, too. There could be so much done with tax money. I really am thrilled by the letter from Tom Duke. At last, somebody sees and tells it like it is.

I'd like to report that, so far, Big Brothers-Big Sisters have lost 24 trees from the lot by theft. This is not only a financial loss to the organization, but deprives the youth of having benefits that we could not afford otherwise. Thank you, Bill Miller.

Charter Commission Should Give Up

Why is Francis Fichtman unable to accept that fact that elections are won by the majority of votes. The Charter Commission should also realize that even after their smear campaign that the statements sheets of the Board of Election Inspectors showed that the "no" votes cast on Dec. 12th were well over double than the "no" votes cast on July 12th.

WEATHER

The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant:

Date	High	Low	Precip.
December 10	20	17	.03 (.5" snow)
December 11	20	18	.20 (.5" snow)
December 12	39	21	.04 (.5" snow)
December 13	40	38	Trace
December 14	43	40	Trace
December 15	42	38	.0
December 16	38	37	.0

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Fun, prizes, music mark Carol-In Dec. 22

Prizes will be given away to two lucky families at the Charlevoix Courier-WVOY "Carol-In" at 8 p.m. Thursday in East Park.

A Weber Grill and steaks will be given to the name of the first Christmas card drawn from the collection received by the Courier and WVOY.

A Charlevoix plate, which this year depicts the Bridge Street bridge, will be given to the second family name drawn.

To be eligible for the drawing, families should send in or bring in Christmas cards to the Charlevoix Courier, 301 Michigan Ave., Charlevoix, or to WVOY, 211 Bridge St.

Refreshments will be provided following the "Carol-In."

Community Calendar

Tuesday, Dec. 20
Basketball: Boyne City here. JV game: 8:30 p.m. Varsity: 8 p.m.
American Legion will meet at post home 8 p.m.
Men's Prayer meeting 7 p.m. Community Church of God.

Wednesday, Dec. 21
Charlevoix Chapter No. 72, Order of the Eastern Star, will meet at the Masonic Temple 8 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 22
All Charlevoix Schools will close at the usual hours for the annual Christmas recess. Classes will resume at the usual hours on Jan. 3.
Wrestling: Boyne City here 8:30 p.m.
Al-Anon Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal Church at 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.

Friday, Dec. 23
Only two things in life are certain, the old saying goes—death and taxes.
Well, it's that time of year again—tax time. Most Charlevoix residents received their personal property and

Saturday, Dec. 24
Christmas Eve....
Sunday, Dec. 25
Christmas Day May the Star of Bethlehem shine down

Monday, Dec. 26
on you and your loved ones this Christmas 1977 and may you know all the blessings of this holy season.

Tuesday, Dec. 27
Legal holiday with all public offices including the Post Office and banking institutions closed for the day.

Wednesday, Dec. 28
Round Lake Lodge No. 293, Rebekah Lodge will meet at the American Legion post home 8 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 29
I.O.O.F. will meet at the American Legion post home 8 p.m.
Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at the county building annex 7:30 p.m.

Friday, Dec. 30
church 8 p.m. for weigh-in; business meeting at 8:30 p.m.
Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at the county building annex 7:30 p.m.

Old personal tax statement sheds new light on situation

property tax bill from the city sometime last week and a few have even paid it off already, according to Annabelle Cunningham, city treasurer. But probably very few people have ever seen a statement of personal property tax like the one found by R.B. Emmons of Charlevoix when he was looking through an old Bible recently.

The statement, from the County of Fond du Lac, Wisconsin, for the year 1973, was blank except for a list of 10 things for which any person could be charged personal property tax.

The list includes: horses of all ages, neat cattle of all ages, sheep and lambs, swine, wagons, carriages and sleighs, gold and silver watches, pianos and emeralds, merchants' and manufacturers' stock and shares of bank stock.

The statement also provided space for the owner to record the amount of each type of item he owned and his valuation of it. And there was

also space for the assessor's valuation and remarks.

Even 102 years ago taxes were a sure thing.



R.B. (BEN) EMMONS displays the 1873 personal property tax form he found while looking through an old family Bible. The form lists gold and silver watches, neat cattle and horses of all ages as taxable items.

Congregational Church plans several services

A series of special Christmas worship services will be held by the First Congregational Church of Charlevoix this week.

Beginning on Friday evening, the Sunday Church School will hold its Christmas program at 7 p.m. in the sanctuary. The junior choir will sing.

Saturday evening the traditional Christmas Eve carol, scripture and candle lighting worship service will be held at 11 p.m. The choir will provide many anthems during the service.

On Christmas morning, worship service will be held at 11 a.m. An informal format will be used. No Sunday school will be held and families are invited to sit together during the service.

The public is invited to all three events.

100 people join VFW at dinner

Members of Charlevoix Post No. 1153, Veterans of Foreign Wars, the Auxiliary and their families, numbering more than 100, gathered at the post home recently for a family potluck dinner.

Following the dinner those present sang Christmas carols. Later Santa Claus arrived to distribute gifts and candy to the children present. The adults also enjoyed a gift exchange.

Mrs. Albert Russell, Mrs. Bert Hazel and Mrs. Kenneth Staley were in charge of the event.

Mrs. Dale Meredith is president of the Auxiliary and Joseph Kortan commander of the post.

High school student joins sheriff in researching department history

A history of the Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department and its past sheriffs is in the process of being compiled.

Sheriff George Lasater said the department would like to collect as many pictures of past sheriffs as possible as well as any biographical information that can be found. The pictures will be placed in a wall display at the sheriff's department offices in Charlevoix along with plaques containing the name and date that each man served.

Lasater said the county clerk's office was assisting with the project by providing the names of the past holders of the sheriff's office. He said Henkel would also be taping interviews with the three living past sheriffs and the wife and children of two other sheriffs in the county.

Henkel will also be searching through old documents and newspapers for any additional information he can find about the past sheriffs. Lasater urged any county residents with information or pictures of past sheriffs to contact him at the sheriff's department, 547-4661 or to contact Henkel at his home, 547-9335.

Increased use of CB radios creates more interference

What do users of millions of new CB radios, garage door

openers, and other gadgets have in common? They're all

part of the new electronic explosion competing for space on the nation's airwaves. As a result, over 100,000 people may complain to the Federal Communications Commission this year about radio and television interference.

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Here's what might be under the Christmas tree

Only four shopping days are left until Christmas and that's why last minute rush to finish up holiday gift buying is on in Charlevoix stores.

But, many people have finished their shopping and their thoughts have turned from what they are going to buy for others to what they might receive.

To find out what Charlevoix residents can expect to find in their stockings and under their trees and to help those late shoppers with ideas, the Charlevoix Courier made a brief survey of some of the downtown stores.

At the Clothing Company in the Market Mall, crew neck sweaters and fashion boots seem to be the hottest selling items for women and flannel

shirts and corduroy slacks are selling the quickest for men. Jim Mabee, store owner, said ski gloves, cow neck sweaters and men's velvet shirts have also been big sellers for this Christmas.

Corduroy slacks are also selling quickly for both men and women at Lieberman's, another clothing store in Charlevoix.

"I get in a big order like this and it's gone in just a few days," Bob Lieberman, store owner, said pointing at a table piled high with corduroy jeans.

"It seems like everybody wants them."

At the Apple Tree, a local gift shop, a special good luck charm called a "Kitchen Witch" has been a popular item with Christmas shoppers. Mike Holmes, store owner, explained.



Mrs. Dale Meredith is president of the Auxiliary and Joseph Kortan commander of the post.

"It's a good luck charm so that food won't burn and things won't spill," he smiled. "We've sold an awful lot of them this year."

Other popular items with Christmas shoppers include: soft board backgammon sets, hand painted crocks and other hand made items.

At the Bridge Street Hardware, snow shoes seem to be

the hottest selling item. "We were sort of surprised when snowshoes turned out to be our biggest selling item," Bonnie Hand said. "Many people have been in to buy snowshoes for their wives, too."

Mrs. Hand said skate boards, hunting knives, rifles and hunting socks were also popular items with Christmas shoppers.

At Bailey's Hardware, snowshoes are also selling well along with many appliances, such as yogurt makers, hot dog cookers, crock pots and the "Screw Rail," a ratchet screw driver.

County may lend name to bonds for Medusa pollution equipment

By PEG OHLE
The Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners last week unanimously passed a "resolution of intent" to lend the County's name to a bond issue not exceeding \$10 million for the Medusa Cement Company.

The bond program would finance environmental control equipment at the Medusa plant. The new equipment is part of an overall estimated \$30 million building program.

In lending its name to the bond issue, the County assumes no financial responsibility either for the bonds or interest on them. The bonds would be issued in

accordance with provisions of Act No. 62, Public Acts of Michigan, 1963, as amended, which specifically states that the bonds would not be a general obligation of the County and would in no event be payable from any tax revenues or other general funds of the County.

Charles I. Burleigh, Jr., of the Detroit law firm of Miller, Canfield, Paddock and Stone explained the proposition to the commissioners and was questioned at length by several of them. Also present at the meeting were Thomas D. Poinier, Petuskey attorney representing Medusa;

Elbert Kaiser, Medusa plant manager; Roy Hayes, Charlevoix County prosecutor; and John Salan, Emmet County prosecutor; who told of his experiences in a similar matter with the Penn-Dixie Cement Company.

It was explained that the advantage to Medusa of having the County's name on the bond issue was that under Section 103 of the Internal Revenue Code tax-empt bonds could be issued at a savings of approximately 2.5 percent.

The notice of intent of the County to issue the bonds appears in this week's Courier.

Sheriff's department training nine men for new posse

By PEG OHLE
The Charlevoix County Sheriff's Department is now in the process of training nine men for its posse.

Sheriff George Lasater reported to the Board of Commissioners last week that he had selected them from a list of 46 applicants and was in the process of screening for a 10th man.

Those who will serve on the posse are Richard Mitchell, Charlevoix, a heavy equipment operator at Medusa; Henry Lentz of Boyne City, a high school teacher; Herman

Stemore of Charlevoix, a business man; Mark Emmons of Charlevoix, a college student; Jeff Alexander of Boyne Falls, a finance company employee with a degree in law enforcement; Greg Grubbaugh of Charlevoix, a college student; John Murray of Newwood Township, a printer; Thomas Duke of Charlevoix, an investor; and Ronald Moore of Charlevoix, a social psychologist.

Formation of the posse was approved by the Board of Commissioners recently to help the Sheriff's Department

carry out some of its day-to-day duties.

After completion of their training, posse members will be capable of assisting the department in several areas, Lasater says.

They will be able to assist security officers, communication officers, road patrol officers, marine officers, and snowmobile officers in performance of their duties. They will also be available to help with search and rescue efforts, direct traffic of rock festivals and other large gatherings, and

Head of state police department defines role of patrolmen for public

By PEG OHLE
So that citizens may be informed of the role of the Michigan State Police, Director Col. Gerald L. Hough has defined their duties and responsibilities.

According to Hough, the State Police will carry on work in the following fields:

They will place greater emphasis on patrolling in rural areas, they will continue to take proper action, as they are legally obligated to do.

They will continue to provide full support services, upon request, to all government agencies at all levels. This will include continuation of crime investigation, accident investigation, and all "back-up

services" now provided. Hough's definition of State Police duties were contained in a letter read to the County Board of Commissioners last week.

Charlevoix County has been attempting to get a Lein Terminal Computer since 1971. It will be used many ways in law enforcement. Within minutes the Sheriff's Department will be able to get information on such subjects as driver's licenses, driving records, outstanding criminal warrants, criminal history, data on stolen cars and other vehicles, data on stolen property, and registration information on vehicles and weapons. The checks can be made both statewide and nationwide.



Charlevoix Yesterday

LAST WEEK most of the snow in Charlevoix was melted during a thawing period. That was also probably the case on the day in the 1880's when this picture of the Chicago Club was taken. It makes a nice Christmas scene. (Photo courtesy of Charlevoix Historical Society)

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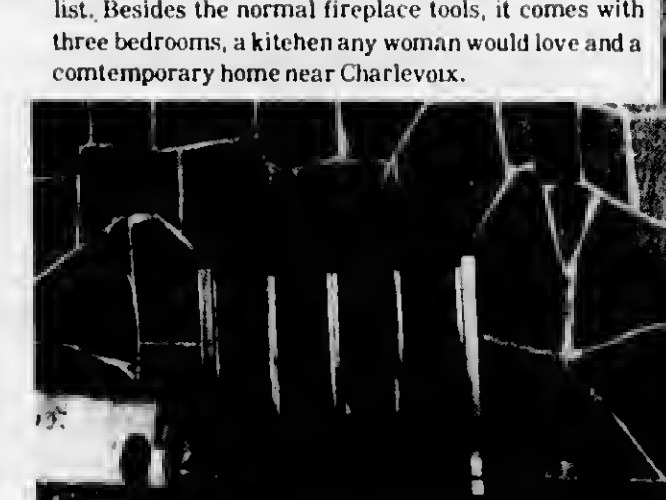
This lovely brick fireplace is available with a spacious (four bedroom) home surrounded by two decks on a natural wooded countryside setting.



This beautiful fireplace is a must for your Christmas list. Besides the normal fireplace tools, it comes with three bedrooms, a kitchen any woman would love and a contemporary home near Charlevoix.



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Editorials/Opinions

Help make spirit of Christmas felt year 'round in Charlevoix

Christmas is a wonderful time of the year. As the holiday season draws closer, smiles on the faces of Charlevoix residents seem to grow broader as the Christmas spirit grows in each person.

And the town takes on a festive appearance, too. The lights put up by the city street crews brighten the streets and East Park and the city Christmas tree makes the whole town look like it's celebrating Christmas.

The merchants seem to be in the spirit of things, too. Most of the windows artfully intertwine products and Christmas decorations marking the season. It turns the downtown area into a kind of wonderland.

Even the Charlevoix Courier and WVOY Radio get into the swing of things by sponsoring a "Carol-In" for area residents. This year it will be held at 8 p.m. Thursday in East Park.

And as Christmas approaches, almost every service group in town has special projects to help make Christmas a little brighter for those families less fortunate than others. These are well supplied through donations by Charlevoix residents with clothing, toys and food stuffs so that their Christmas will be merry, too.

It warms the heart to see how generous the city is to those in need at Christmas time. And city residents should be congratulated for their concern about the less fortunate people in the community.

But these people are not less fortunate just at Christmas time. They also need help throughout the rest of the year when there is no Christmas spirit to remind the rest of us that some people need help.

And there are many ways that area residents can help those less fortunate people at other times of the year. The Charlevoix County Department of Social Services has a volunteer program that always needs more recruits to work in its various programs.

Big Brothers, Big Sisters of Charlevoix County, the service clubs and many other organizations also need members and volunteers to help carry out year 'round programs that assist those in need.

And even if you aren't a joiner, you can help make life brighter for the needy person. Look around your neighborhood and see if there isn't an elderly person who would appreciate a phone call, an invitation to dinner or just some conversation from time to time.

Perhaps there is a young mother who can't afford a babysitter, but would like to have a free evening every now and then. How much effort would it take to be a babysitter once a month?

The opportunities for helping other people are endless if you just look around. This month let's make the Christmas spirit last all year in Charlevoix. Together we can do it.

Letters to the editor

Supports Tom Duke on Medusa stand

To the Editor: I found Tom Duke's letter in the December 14th Courier enlightening and disturbing. It seems he has certainly done his homework and presented many valid points on the Medusa expansion proposal.

I agree with his major points and feel that many other people of Charlevoix who will be directly affected in their pocket book would be also. I am wondering why we have not heard more or had a chance to give our opinion on the "subsidizing" of the Medusa expansion

to the tune of \$425,000 a year over the next 12 years?

In addition, it would appear vital that the air quality that affects our daily health and our crucial tourist trade be investigated.

I'm sure that everyone would appreciate the Courier's keeping the citizens of Charlevoix informed on this important matter.

Beverly Eby
125 Pine River Lane
Charlevoix

Friday, Dec. 16
At last someone has spoken out re: Medusa. Our thanks to Mr. Tom Duke. Before the plant was opened representatives came to the people of Charlevoix to gain our acceptance. Let

us not forget that that acceptance could have been denied despite their owning the property. We could have said, "No." We blew it. Now, are we going to blow it again?

Sincerely,
Mrs. Charles W. Distrow

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Clockwise

by Bob Clock

It's funny how a simple news story can turn back the clock a generation or more.

Take, for example, the obituary of the celebrated military aviator S.A. Marshall which appeared in Sunday's newspapers.

If you lived in Detroit during World War II, S.A. Marshall was a household word. Or one word and three initials, if you prefer.

Marshall was employed by the Detroit News to interpret the war to its readers and his word was gospel. When things were bad, Marshall made no bones about it. And when our GI's won a round, Marshall was always there to tell you how they did it.

As a military historian, Marshall had no equal and he was much in demand by civic and fraternal groups as an after-dinner speaker.

That is why I was jubilant when my father announced that none other than S.A. Marshall was to speak at the next dinner meeting of the Young Men's Bible Class at Scovel Memorial Presbyterian Church.

The name of the club was strictly a misnomer, because most of the young men were in service during World War II. The membership consisted largely of gentlemen on the rather side of 50, including one old fellow who used to entrance me with firsthand stories about the battle at Gettysburg.

Occasionally to swell the ranks, a few kids of my age were invited to attend Men's Bible Class functions. And Dad, knowing I was a fan of S.A. Marshall, invited me to join him for the Marshall speech.

As I recall, the speaker arrived in uniform, complete with medals and campaign ribbons. He also was tall, with magis showing the major battle theatres in Europe and the Pacific. I couldn't have been happier.

After disposing of Europe, Marshall turned to the worsening situation in Asia. At the time, the Japanese clearly had the upper hand. They had swallowed the Philippines and were

busily working their way up the Aleutian Islands toward Alaska.

And Marshall believed the situation was worse than grave; it was desperate.

He pointed out how the enemy undoubtedly would hopscotch up the entire chain of islands until they had secured an air base on the Alaskan mainland. From there it would be no trick to dispatch bombers to the industrial heartland of America, including Detroit.

Furthermore, time was running out. He projected that the first incendiary bombs would drop on city homes within weeks. He recommended that we all go home and put buckets of sand in our attics to extinguish the fires.

I don't have to tell you that I didn't sleep that night. And the next morning I begged my father about finding a supply of sand somewhere in the clankbans of Wayne County.

Dad, who worked for Ford Co., remembered seeing a sand pit on one of Mr. Ford's parcels of land in Dearborn, so we filled the car with scrub buckets, a coal scuttle and a superannated laundry boiler and headed for Mr. Ford's sand pit.

Before nightfall, a veritable mountain of sand was stashed away in our attic between rusty dress forms and dusty steamer trunks. I even took the garden spade from the basement and put it in the attic to be ready when the bombs fell.

But they didn't fall, even though I listened to Gabriel Hatt on the radio every night and hoped for the worst. I contemplated rooting for the Japanese, but somehow that didn't seem kosher, even though I wanted desperately to heap sand on an incendiary bomb.

Of course, Hirohito's troops never made it to Alaska and Detroit was never attacked by Japanese bombers. The day the war ended, my mother made me take the sand out of the attic and give it to the cat, who was forever grateful to S.A. Marshall.

Got An Opinion?

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If it Fitz

by Jim Fitzgerald

Dear Cousin Al: Thanks for sending me that newspaper clipping about the telephone poll that asked the loaded question: "Are you afraid to spend a night on the town in Detroit?"

I don't want to start a fight with you so near Christmas. Al, I know you're seeing you over the holidays, and our wives always get mad when we get into it. In fact, I really wanted to write you about the nice time I had at a Detroit Rotary Club meeting the other day. Pat Paulsen spoke, and I know you like to hear about celebrities.

So I won't say anything real bad about the results of that poll, which said almost 75 percent of the people who answered would be afraid to come to Detroit for a good time. These Lapeer people live only 65 miles from Detroit, but probably none of them have been here in 20 years, if ever. I suppose they're afraid they'll be mugged in front of the Renaissance Center, which is a lot of baloney. It's safe here, but I won't play that old time again. Stay in the barn and miss the fun. Our saloons are getting too crowded anyway.

However, Al, I did think it would be fair for me to take the flip side of that poll. As a 25-year resident, I certainly know as much as anyone about night life in Lapeer. So I described it to a fair sampling of Detroit residents and then asked them the same question that your newspaper asked Lapeer residents.

The description didn't take long. After dark in downtown Lapeer there is one thing to do — go to the Pix Theatre. As you know, there are movies at 7 p.m. and 9 p.m. but the most excitement is at the 9 o'clock show. That's because the agonizing suspense. You never know if the show will go on.

I know it's happened to you, Al, and it has certainly happened to me, dozens of times. You get dressed up, drive downtown for a good time, buy a ticket and sit down in the theater. But if enough other people don't also buy tickets, the manager will announce that he can't afford to show the film. He gives you your money back, and you go back home, exhausted from another wild evening in the city. 99 percent of the Detroit people polled said they'd be afraid to spend a night on the town in Lapeer. They were afraid

The jingle of sleigh bells, the smell of pine boughs and cookies baking, the glitter of colored lights and tinsel, the laughter of friends and family — these are the things that Christmas memories are made of.

Everyone has stored away in their minds memories of a Christmas that is more special than any other. It's a Christmas that marked a change in the approach taken to the holiday or even to life.

My fondest memories come not from a Christmas of my childhood, but from the first Christmas I spent as an adult. I had graduated from college just six months before and moved 200 miles north of my hometown, the farthest I had ever lived from my family.

I was looking forward to going home for a two-day holiday with them, especially since I hadn't been able to go home for Thanksgiving. That was the first holiday I had ever been away from my family and on that day I came to the sobering realization that it wouldn't be the last one I would miss.

Although I was excited about the upcoming holiday, I knew Christmas wouldn't be as happy that year because my grandmother had suffered a stroke and was recovering slowly in the hospital. But my mother phoned one day with the good news that grandmother would be allowed to come home for the holiday if she kept quiet and rested.

The only problem was that the day she would be home was a work day for me and even if I left early from work I might not be able to make it to grandmother's house in time to see her before she had to go back to the hospital.

Knowing how disappointed I was, mother made light of the fact that I might not make it, saying that I wouldn't be able to see grandmother a bit. Grandmother was a very practical person who didn't even allow ruffles on

her aprons because they didn't serve a purpose. She knew the importance of a job when compared to a mere family dinner.

But I was determined to make it to dinner on time even though it meant driving close to 300 miles straight, partly at night and on snow covered roads.

It was a long, emotional drive. It had been a long day at work and I was tired even before I started out on the journey. And the fear that I would miss everything kept knocking away at me as I drove on.

Finally, after what seemed to be years, I arrived at grandmother's house. Everything was just as I knew it would be. The decorations were in the windows and the tree was lit. The house was spread evenly with relatives, some working in the kitchen, some playing the piano and singing and some reading.

But I bypassed them all and rushed to grandmother's bedroom door. As I peeked in the room I saw she was still there. Her complexion was pale and her face drawn, but I could see a fierce love of life sparkling in her eyes as I threw myself down on the bed to hold her. Tears flowed freely down my cheeks.

"What's wrong," she queried gently patting my back.

"I thought I wouldn't make it, that I would miss you," I replied sobbing.

"Oh, I knew you would," she answered and then, whispered, "I love you."

It was the last Christmas I ever shared with her, but it was the best. And every year I remember Christmas warmed by what she shared with me that year.

Miles and even death may separate you from friends and family at Christmas time, but love will be there in their place. And after all, isn't that what Christmas is all about?



Erma Bombeck

You're called Capricorns.

You were born between Dec. 22 and Jan. 20.

A goodly number of you were born on Dec. 25.

Today is your birthday. Few will have cakes with candles. Few will have presents wrapped in birthday paper. Few will have the star on top of the cake. Happy Birthday, but it will sound like, "Merry Christmas."

What's it like to share your birthday with the most commercial holiday of the year? Most of you say it's less than a religious experience. It's a day of listening to "I Hopped your birthday and Christmas present together into one big gift."

Not so with this column. It is not a Christmas column. It's a Happy Birthday to all of you born on December 25. I envy you. How special it must be for you to sit and reflect why you were chosen to make your appearance into the world on the exact day of a small baby boy in Bethlehem nearly 2,000 years ago.

You guys raise money are quiet and unassuming and, because you are sensitive to disappointments, put up a good front.

You enjoy adoration and people who

will listen to you, but have difficulty and must put on a mask of self-confidence. You often succeed as great orators.

What an insight you must have of people who don't really know how to celebrate a simple birthday...who don't realize that a small, singular, personal gesture could bring such joy to your day.

The many times you must have reflected on the man's birthday you share and what he would have thought if someone had jammed a hair dryer in his hands and said, "So, you had the bad luck to be born on Christmas! Tough!"

We tend to forget Christmas birthdays. They get lost in a sea of Santa Claus arriving in a helicopter, mistletoe, dalgairis, dolls with bionic eyes, microwave ovens, and stores open on Christmas until 3 p.m.

If it is of any comfort, sometimes I imagine another Capricorn with large brown black/green/blue eyes, wearing a robe and sandals, being bumped and jostled in the traffic of the city, lamenting, "They forgot my birthday too."

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Teacher Feature

... Rebecca Berg

By PEG OHLE
"First grade is the nearest grade there is."

That's how Rebecca Berg feels about her assignment of teaching first graders in the Charlevoix Elementary School.

The enthusiastic young woman is a native of Charlevoix, a graduate of Charlevoix High School, class of 1970, and a graduate of Central Michigan University with a major in mathematics and a minor in elementary education.

Mrs. Berg has taught first grade for three years and served as an aide for a year before that. She has 23 students in her class this year. Right now they are busy with their Christmas play. There are two casts, one of which will appear before the kindergarten today and the other before the rest of the elementary school tomorrow.

The play is called "Santa's Surprises." The teacher explains. It has to do with a group of elves who find some Christmas packages and think

Santa has forgotten them, but it turns out that they were really surprise gifts for the elves. The children also made all the props and part of their costumes in which to show off their dramatic talents.

While the Christmas season is especially exciting for the first graders, other parts of the year are also filled with wondrous experiences. They learn to recognize numbers up to 100, they learn simple addition and subtraction (no borrowing or carrying), and they work on telling time (hour and half hour).

In the field of living things, they learn about woodland animals, sea animals, and farm animals. They learn about animals as pets and how to care for them. They are introduced to community helpers — to policemen, firemen, doctors, nurses, etc. All of this is done with the use of films, discussions, field trips, and stories and pictures by the children.

"First grade is a rewarding grade because most of the students who come in can't read and leave reading," Mrs.

Berg explains about the first grade reading program. She uses a system combining phonetics and word identification. Both reading and arithmetic are divided into groups based on student ability. There may be from three to five reading classes and two or three arithmetic classes.

Of all the accomplishments of first graders, Mrs. Berg believes the most important is the development of a positive self image. She tries to bring out the positive things her students do, but at the same time doesn't ignore the negative.

"Children try to live up to the expectations of their teachers," she says.

Mrs. Berg is one of a growing number of teachers who use newspapers in their classroom. She and her students cut out articles about children in the class and members of their families and put them in the bulletin board. She asks her students to cut out words beginning with the same letter from newspaper



Rebecca Berg

stories. Soon the students will be cutting out numbers from newspapers to use in their arithmetic lessons.

"What can parents do to help their first graders?"

"It is important for them to go over their children's papers with them every night," the teacher replies. They should praise them for the things they have done right, try to build the children's self-image.

"Reading to the children is important, as is letting them read to you." Finally, the teacher says, "Parents should attend school functions of all types." There are four first grade

classes at the Charlevoix Elementary School. "We have a close first grade unit. The teachers work well together," Mrs. Berg says of her school situation.

Mrs. Berg and her husband, Daniel, raise polled Hereford beef cattle on a farm in Hayes Township. They were classmates in high school and college and were married shortly after graduation.

When not teaching, Mrs. Berg sews, bakes, and helps with the farm work. In the summers she takes classes at North Central Michigan College. She is the former Rebecca Hansen.



Have a happy holiday season and remember that we are here to serve you.

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Letter to the editor

Mrs. Zalusky likes Courier

Dear Editor: Find enclosed a check to renew my subscription to the Charlevoix Courier. I can remember when my father got the Courier and the Sentinel. The Sentinel quit years ago. Sometimes I think I don't need the Courier. But I look for it every week. I

am 84 1/2 years old, so your paper is pretty old. Would miss it if I did not get it.

A Happy Holiday Season to all. Sincerely, Mrs. Fred Zalusky Ludington



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Family is important

Marsha Rice shares Christmas thoughts

By MARSHA CHASE-RICE
So it is with many of us that we leave our families and homes to begin our own lives.

The holidays and especially Christmas, tug at the heart for it seems that the past held warmth and joy felt love.

The never lost memories of Christmas preparations in the warm, country kitchen as my Mother set about making pies, lemon bread, and all the goodies taught to be by her own Mother. The humming of the all favorite Carnis as the fireplace glowed with bright colors and crackling glee. The snow lying each branch as it fell so perfectly and dressed for the celebration of Our

Lords birth. The real meaning of Christmas was the love shown each day.

Dad's favorite tug at us was trying to guess what special gift of love Mom brought. We'd try to give hints in the opposite direction. He caught on real fast. Daddy was like a big kid himself. The excitement grew as each day brought us closer to making a celebration of love.

Christmas was and is more than just getting things. Christmas is a joyful celebration of the birth of our Lord and Savior, and gift giving is an expression of love. Just as the wise men gave to Jesus, we give.

Christmas Eve, as I remember, started with Dad getting home from work early.

The tree stood tall and glistened with all its tinsel. Bright colored lights placed ever so carefully reminded me of the largest, most beautiful birthday candle I had ever seen. The aroma of kitchen smells and the freshness of piney never had changed, from year to year. There was a joy, a freshness, as the excitement grew. We as a family, went to Christmas Eve church services. The love was nearly bursting in everyone's eyes. The music, so powerful and exciting, as we would sing "JOY TO THE WORLD." We

would leave church and sing songs as we'd go and deliver gifts to family and friends.

Christmas morning, bright and early we all anxiously awakened to give our gifts

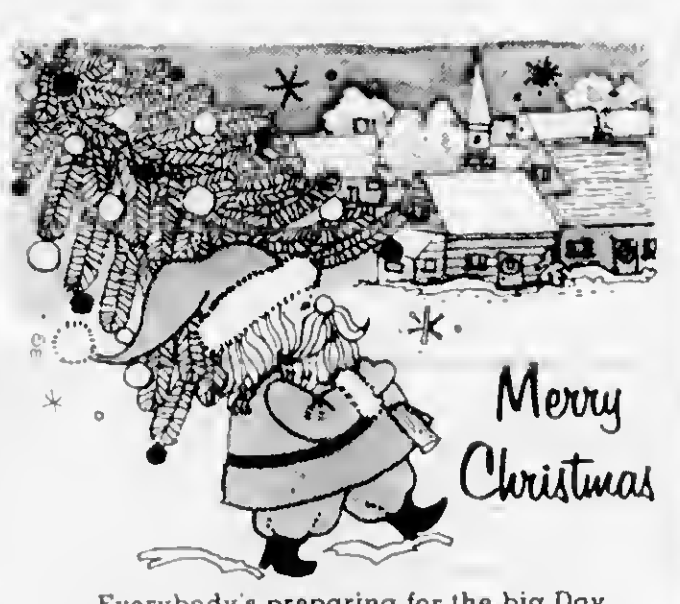
love to one another. The joy, the happiness, the warmth of family and friends gathering together, those are the reflections mirrored of Christmases past.

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TYING UP THE BALL with this St. Ignace player are Pat Schmidt (34) and Jim Alger (22). Schmidt posted 31 points for the game and Alger added another eight to the score.



KIP CINNAMON (54) moves in to help teammate Pat Schmidt (34) during the Rayders game against St. Ignace. The Rayders had an off week last week losing to both St. Ignace and Harbor Springs.

Rayders lose two tough games



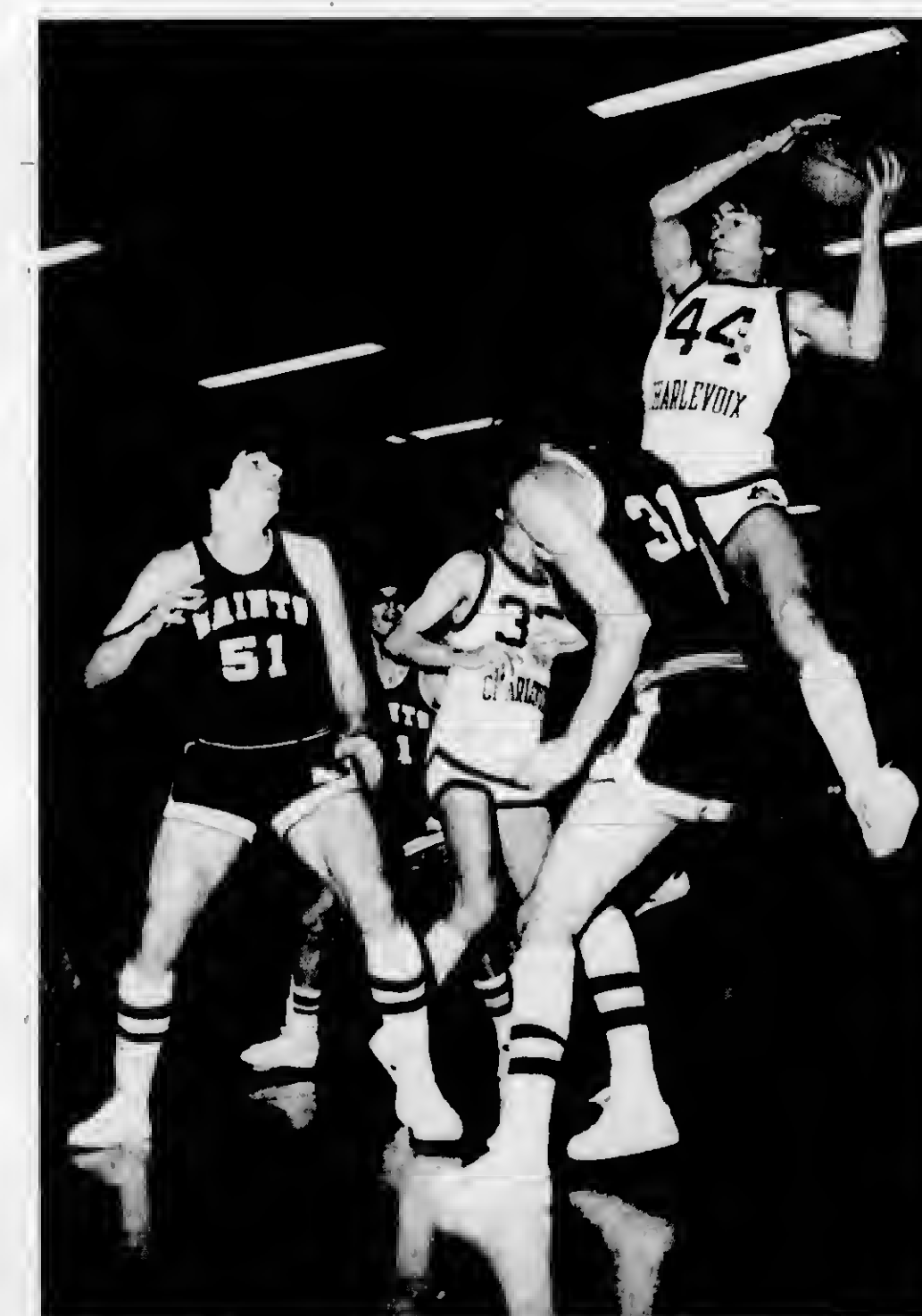
JOE LEFT (32) reaches above the head of this St. Ignace player to grab a rebound during Friday night's game. The Rayders lost to St. Ignace 85-67.



THAT ONE ARM stretch sure can come in handy. Here Joe Left demonstrates the technique during the St. Ignace-Charlevoix game. Left dumped in eight points during the game.



PAT SCHMIDT (34) tallied a total of 31 points during the Charlevoix-Rayder varsity volleyball team this year are (front row) Tina Klam, Tami Mann, Carole Osterberg, Karen Lamoreaux and Chris Lehman. In the back row are: Coach Mary Gungie, Sue Hodge, Bobbie Klooster, Sally Dishong and Barb Lamoreaux.



STEVE SCHUCH (44) was head and shoulders above the St. Ignace squad in this play. But even with Schuch's height combined with other members of the team, the Rayders dropped the game to the Saints.



JUNIOR KEVIN KRATT (20) sparked a small scoring rally during the final quarter of the Charlevoix-St. Ignace game Friday. Kratt added four points to the scoreboard to help narrow the lead held by the Saints.

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Rayder hoop record bent, but not broken

By BILL MERCER
Charlevoix's 1977-78 basketball season was bent, but not broken during the past week as the Rayders suffered defeat at the hands of always-tough Harbor Springs and surprising St. Ignace.

The losses, a close 74-70 count in Harbor Springs and a wider margin 85-67 defeat across the bridge bring the Rayders record to two wins and three defeats early in this year's basketball season. Charlevoix must defeat Boyne City on Tuesday to go into 1978 with an even record.

In the loss to the Saints, Charlevoix had difficulty putting the ball in the basket. The Rayders shot a meager 36 percent from the floor and a similar 36 percent mark from the free throw line.

St. Ignace was dropping its shots in at a 66 percent clip during play while shooting 61 percent from the charity stripe.

The 18 point margin was accounted for by the difference in free throws — Charlevoix made five, St. Ignace 23. Both teams tallied 31 field goals.

Part of the reason for the disparity in free throws made was the 29 personal fouls called on Rayder players. The Saints had only 14 fouls whistled against them.

Pat Schmidt was the leading scorer for the Rayders with 31 points, his high of the season. Schmidt made shots from numerous locations on the court and played an aggressive game for Coach Dave Moyer.

Neil Dziedzie, Jim Alger and Joe Left each pumped in eight points with Kevin Kratt and Bob Plumm scoring four points apiece.

Junior varsity drops two games

The Charlevoix Junior Varsity basketball squad dropped two games during action last week.

Tri-City, Wojan First State Win

Tri-City Asphalt, Wojan Aluminum and First State Bank were all winners in last week's Charlevoix Recreation Department B League action.

CHARLEVOIX COUNCIL MINUTES

DECEMBER 12, 1977

Freshmen split games

The Charlevoix Rayder Freshmen basketball squad split its games last week against Harbor Springs and St. Ignace.

Blanchard had 11 for Alray. In the second game of the evening, Wojan Aluminum dumped Medusa 61-41. Wojan also took the lead in the first quarter and held it until the end of the game.

Statistical Summary

CHARLEVOIX vs. ST. IGNACE

Scoring by Quarters

Individual Performances



MEMBERS RETURNING TO the Charlevoix Rayder varsity volleyball team this year are (front row) Tina Klam, Tami Mann, Carole Osterberg, Karen Lamoreaux and Chris Lehman. In the back row are: Coach Mary Gungie, Sue Hodge, Bobbie Klooster, Sally Dishong and Barb Lamoreaux.

CHARLEVOIX COUNCIL MINUTES

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The Common Council of the City of Charlevoix met on the above date and time with purpose of handling situations which warrant immediate action.

The Minutes of the November 28, 1977 regular meeting were approved as presented in the City Clerk's office.

Enter Alderman Wallace. Moved by Alderman Wallace and supported by Alderman Plumm to approve the site plan for the new truck for the Street Department.

RESOLUTION 77-114 WHEREAS it is in the best interest of the City of Charlevoix to write off certain non-collectible accounts receivables, the Common Council agreed to set Bridge Street was brought before Council.

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Rayder Wrestlers take tourney title again

Charlevoix High School grapplers took the Holiday Invitational Wrestling Tournament title for the third time over the weekend.

With a total score of 243 points, the Rayder wrestlers claimed the crown in the fifth annual tourney hosted by the high school and sponsored by the Charlevoix Police Department and the Charlevoix Wrestling Club. Charlevoix was the defending champion for the tourney title.

In second place of the Class C division was Grayling with 223.5 points. Duway was third with 131.5 points. The only other area school placing in the tourney was Boyne City in 10th place with 45 points.

Marion captured the Class D division title with 162.5 points. It was the third win for Marion at the tourney.

The meet, held in the Charlevoix High School gym, began at 10 a.m. Saturday with finals beginning at 6:30 p.m. A total of 332 bouts were held on five mats throughout the day with 196 boys competing in the meet.

Sam Matthews, 145 pounder from Kalkaska was named the most outstanding wrestler of the meet. Burt Partello, 105 pounder, from Grayling had the most pins in the least amount of time taking four pins in 4 minutes 34 seconds.

In second place was Pete Ashby, heavy weight from Marion, who had four pins in 7 minutes 25 seconds.

Fred Dempsey, 191 pounder from Onaway had the fastest pin with a record 12 seconds and Steve Bryce, 132 pounder from Grayling had the largest score recorded on a decision with a score of 27-2.

The two top winners in each weight class plus other area winners follow:

98 pound class: 1. Dave Hardy, Pine River; 2. Hector Zuniga, Frankfort; 4. Kerry Krusel, Boyne City; 7. Neil Mills, Mancelona; 8. Don Mol, Cx.

105: 1. Burt Partello, Gray; 2. Joe Marr, Marion; 7. Burt Dalton, Manc.

112: 1. Mike Kramer, Benzie Central; 2. Craig Golovich, Cx; 4. Ed Albright, Gray; 7. Jim Belonga, St. Ignace; 8. Joe Byard, Cx.

119: 1. Ron Hilton, Cx; 2. Gene Morrison, Cx; 6. Jim Jones, Gray.

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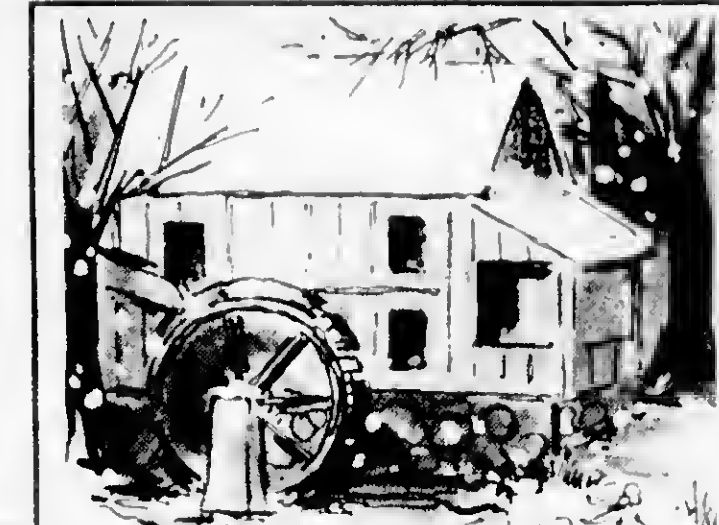
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ANDE KELLER fights to win this match during the recent Holiday Invitational Wrestling Tournament held at Charlevoix High School. Rayder Wrestlers captured the tourney title for the third time Saturday.



Christmas

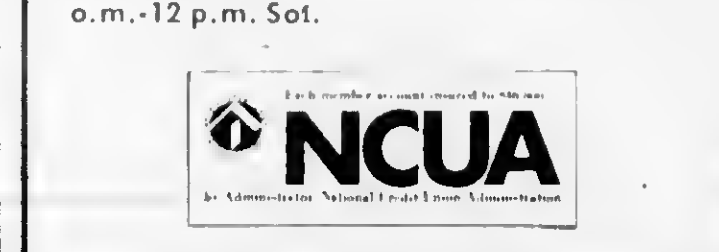
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Beginning Dec. 26, 1977 we will be open from 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Mon.-Fri. and 9 a.m.-12 p.m. Sat.



Crooked Tree gets art grant

The Crooked Tree Arts Council has received a \$2,500 Arts in Education grant from the Michigan Council for the Arts.

The grant will be used to bring arts experiences to students in ten school districts in Emmet and Charlevoix Counties and to expand the Headstart and Senior Citizens programs where area artists will visit classrooms and host studio trips which will be recorded audio-visually.

The project is designed to explore ways in which arts and artists can be integrated into the education process. Grants are made to organizations for projects involving people of all ages in arts activities which go beyond the traditional school arts curriculum.

The U.S. Air Force has promoted Nuala R. Gardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis P. Gardner of East Jordan, Mich., to the rank of technical sergeant.

Sergeant Gardner is serving at Randolph AFB, Tex., as an administrative specialist.

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County state bank names two new members to board

Two new directors have been named to the board of the Charlevoix County State Bank.

Gordon R. Wellman, bank president, announced the appointment of Russell C. Henderson and Anton Rizzardi.

Henderson is the chairman of the board of Yale Rubber Manufacturing Company of Sandusky, a company he has been affiliated with for more than 33 years. He has also been associated with several Detroit area banks and the Fisher Body Division of General Motors.

Henderson attended Wayne State University and graduated from Walsh Accounting Institute.

Rizzardi, a native of Iron Mountain, is president of Yale Rubber Manufacturing Company of Sandusky. He is a graduate of Michigan State University and served in the South Pacific during World War II with the U.S. Army.

Wellman said the appointments fill one vacancy on the bank board which had been in existence for some time and a second vacancy which was created by the resignation of E. Darrel Dinwiddie earlier this year.

Dinwiddie resigned due to a potential conflict of interest between his position on the bank board and CPA audits he performs for Charlevoix businesses.

Jean Van Wieren joins sales staff of Ski and Shore Charlevoix

A new sales person has joined the staff of Ski and Shore Charlevoix, Inc.

Jean Van Wieren became a part of the residential sales staff of the company last week. Mrs. Van Wieren, the wife of Charlevoix Public Schools Superintendent Gordon Van Wieren, is a former teacher and reading specialist. She worked with teachers and students in the reading field for 12 years.

Although Mrs. Van Wieren has been working as a teacher, she has also been involved in real estate field through the rental property she and her husband have owned and managed. Because of this involvement and interest, the new Ski and Shore sales person took a real estate class last spring to learn more about the topic.

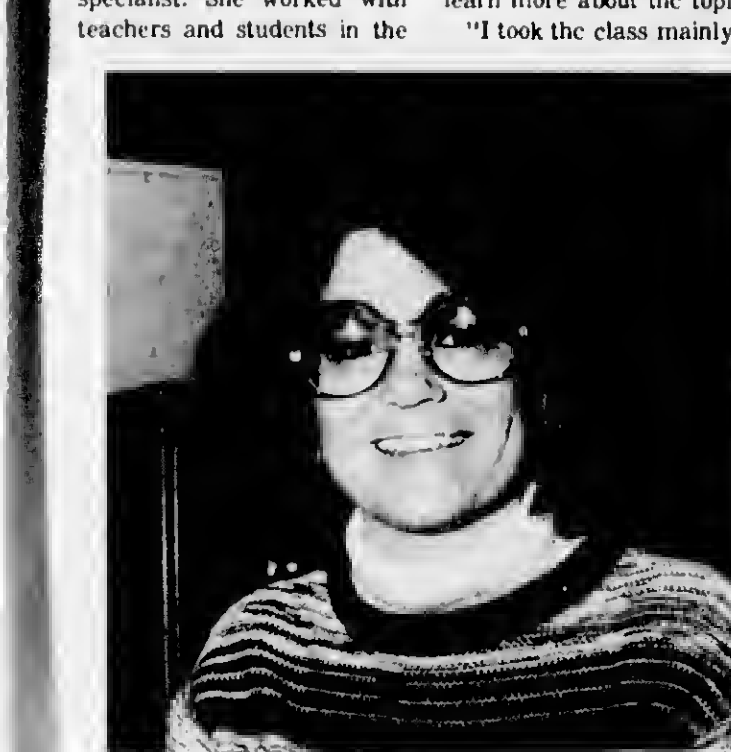
"I took the class mainly for my own information so that I would know what was going on at our own closings," she explained.

Then after moving to Charlevoix in August, she decided to try her hand at sales. She finds it a very exciting field.

"Buying a home is one of the most important things people do and it's exciting to be in on it," she said.

While Mrs. Van Wieren is new to Charlevoix, she did live in Indian River for several years, and she is originally from Cadillac. She feels this background has made her familiar with the types of property that are available in the area.

Mrs. Van Wieren and her husband have four children and reside on Pa-Ba-Shan Lane.



Linda Vonitvett

Social services hires new office manager

Linda Vonitvett has joined the Charlevoix County Department of Social Services as office manager of the business department.

Miss Vonitvett comes to Charlevoix from the Lapeer office of the Michigan Employment Security Commission. She is a career state employee, having started with MESC upon finishing school in 1966.

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Return bottles to the store, and take nonreturnable bottles and cans to the nearest recycling center. Take old newspapers to the recycling center, too.

Take used clothes and furniture to organizations that can reuse them.

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My heartfelt wishes to you and your family for a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

May God Bless each and every one of you.

Sincerely,
Santa Claus

Jean Wallace marries Robert A. Stebe here

Jean R. Wallace became bride of Robert A. Stebe during ceremonies at the First Congregational Church in Charlevoix Friday.

Parents of the couple are Mrs. Timothy W. Smith of Charlevoix and William H. Wallace of Baldwin and Mr. and Mrs. John Stebe, Jr., of Charlevoix.

Rev. Raymond Griffin officiated at the double ring ceremonies attended by more than 80 guests from Baldwin, Elk Rapids, Boyne City and Charlevoix. The bride was given in marriage by her father William Wallace.

For her wedding, the bride chose a floor length A-line gown of cerule blue with soft blue flowers made of

polyester. A chiffon cape collar and flounce at the hemline also decorated the gown.

The bride carried a nosegay bouquet of white and blue carnations, white roses and baby's breath. She wore a white picture hat trimmed with blue ribbons.

Dana McKenzie served as maid of honor. She wore a floor length yellow polyester knit gown with a high neck line and long tapered sleeves.

She carried a nosegay of white and yellow carnations with baby's breath.

Gary Stebe served his brother as best man and Jay Wallace, brother of the bride from Baldwin, and Kerry

Speer of Charlevoix were ushers. Mrs. David Sluiter was the organist. She played traditional musical selections and accompanied Vince Chew, who sang, "You Light Up My Life."

A reception given by the bride's mother and stepfather followed the wedding. A rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents at Ricard's.

Following a trip to Canada, the new couple will make their home in the Lake Terrace Trailer Park in Charlevoix.

The bride is a 1977 graduate of Charlevoix High School and is employed by the Charlevoix Enroute Intermediate School



Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Stebe

District. The groom is a high school student and is employed by Zupin Oil Company of Charlevoix.

High school students prepare for competition

By LAURAGLASS

"All the world's a stage, and all the men and women merely players."

The old masks of comedy and tragedy are showing their faces again at Charlevoix High School as practice for the one-act play competition has begun.

This year the play is "Lilies of the Field," a story about a group of nuns who through faith and will obtain their goal of a chapel. The tale also shows how other people are indirectly drawn to that same goal.

Tryouts for parts in the play were held last week and after a great deal of consideration and even further tryouts, the cast and crew were finally

chosen. Since there were limited parts available in the play, the competition was tough.

The following students were chosen for the cast: Geoff Nelson, Scott Swanson, Craig Boss, Ann Marie Watson, Matt Stangis, Chris Pulek, Louise Caldwell, Tammy Helms and Lauren Helms.

Sue Miller is lighting director, Wendell Wright is prop designer and Carla Sizemore and Kristy Mathews are costume designers. Laurie Dussal is stage manager.

The theme for play competition alternates each year between comedy and serious pieces. This year's theme is serious. Last year the play was a comedy, "The Mouse

That Roared," by Leonard Wilberly. Charlevoix students placed second at the district and several members of both the cast and the crew received individual awards for their parts in the production.

District competition this year will be Jan. 28. Charlevoix High School will host the competition at Petoskey High School. Six plays are scheduled for the competition from Elk Rapids, Gaylord, Gaylord St. Mary's, Manistee Catholic Central, Traverse City and Charlevoix High Schools.

But the cast and crew of Charlevoix's entry in the competition is looking beyond the districts to the state finals. See Students page 17

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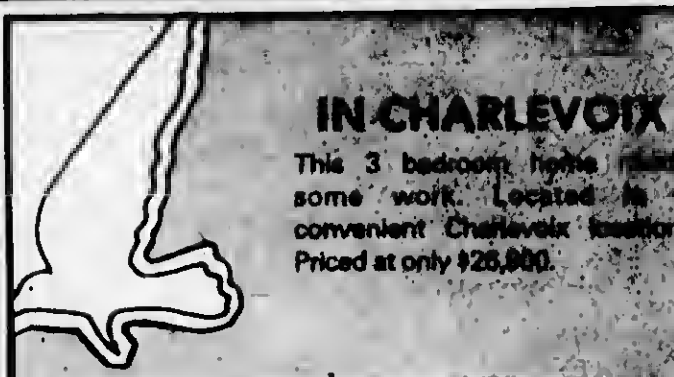
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LISA LaFAVE SHOWS OFF a cake she won at the Old Fashioned Cake Walk at the Parents Advisory Council Christmas Bazaar Sunday at the Charlevoix Elementary School. Inspecting the cake are a Christmas Tree, Santa Claus and Big Bird.

Elementary school bazaar provides fun for everyone

It was quite a sight to behold.

Much to the delight of children and adults alike, Santa Claus, Sesame Street's Big Bird, a clown and a walking, talking, Christmas tree were all at the Charlevoix Elementary School Parents' Advisory Council Christmas Bazaar Sunday.

The bazaar was packed with elementary school children

and parents and other community members as well from 2 to 5 p.m. "It was really, really great," Patli Muma, an organizer of the event, said. "The response was wonderful. I can't begin to tell you how many people were here, but the gym was packed."

Others estimated as many as 300 people attended the bazaar throughout the afternoon.

The newly formed Parents Council held the bazaar to raise funds to purchase equipment for the elementary school. Parents and students alike made items to sell at the bazaar along with cotton candy, hot dogs and pop.

The bazaar also featured an old fashioned cake walk that was quite a favorite of the students.

In all, the group raised

\$902.40 from the sale of various items.

In addition to the social committee of the Parent's Council, which organized the bazaar, Bob Frabis served as Santa Claus, Pinky Hebel as Big Bird, Debbie Bellinger as the clown, Mrs. Muma was the Christmas tree, and Rebecca Berg's first grade class dressed up as elves to help out.



Humane Society

THE CHARLEVOIX County Humane Society celebrated Christmas with an open house Sunday. Humane Society offices in Charlevoix are decorated for the holiday season complete with a tree trimmed with dog bones. Here Jennine Keeney, humane society member, shows the tree to a kitten.

OPINIONS?
Call The HOTLINE
547-6559
After 6 - All day weekends

STURGEON SPEARING SEASON - STATEWIDE

The Natural Resources Commission, under the authority of sections 1 and 3 of Act No. 230, P.A. 1925, it shall be unlawful to take or attempt to take sturgeon by means of spears from the inland waters of this State, except during the month of February of each year.

NOTICE

Ordinance No. 222, effective December 1, 1977 through April 1, 1978. Parking is prohibited on any public street between 2 a.m. and 6 a.m. for the purpose of snow plowing and snow removal.

Office of City Administration



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County celebrates Christmas following 15-year tradition

By PEG OHLE

People passing by the County Building recently have been treated to colorful Christmas decorations on the various office windows.

It's a tradition that goes back about 15 years to the days of George Hutchison in the Social Services Department. Present-day County employees say that Hutchison created beautiful window paintings for his department and employees of other departments began to follow suit.

The many windows of the Equalization Department are alive with paintings of Charlie Brown, Lucy, Snoopy, and Sesame Street characters. Carla Spencer and Lynette Webb shyly take credit for these works of art.

The County Clerk's office windows portray a snow scene complete with sleds and skis. Kathy Drewa was responsible for the artwork.

The manger scene in the Treasurer's office was created by Debbie Kimble and Joan Balch.

Steve Pond of the Register of Deeds' office was responsible for the cutouts and

pasteups on the office windows there.

A group of elves are shown cutting down a Christmas tree in the office of the Prosecutor and Friend of the Court. Mary Lee Towles and Nancy Wojan were the artists on this project.

A snowman graces the offices of Probate Court. Sally

Taber created it.

The windows of District Court are bright with Christmas tree ornaments and tinsel, put up by all the employees assisted by those from the Probation Department.

There is a Christmas tree in the office of the Planning Department and tinsel and cutouts on the door and

the decorator.

On Thursday of this week, the courtroom will be decorated for the County employees' annual Christmas party. There will be hot

dishes, soups, crackers, cheese, cookies, candy, and nuts for all to share during coffee breaks and lunch hour.



CARLA SPENCER directs Lynette Webb as the two women decorated the county Equalization Department windows with Sesame Street characters for Christmas time. The women were following a tradition started at the county building 15 years ago.

Grey Gables offers holiday dinner to area visitors

Holiday visitors to the Charlevoix area won't be left out in the cold if they are planning to eat out this Christmas.

The Grey Gables Inn on Belvedere Avenue will be holding a Christmas turkey buffet from 1 to 6 p.m. Sunday for those who prefer to eat

Christmas dinner in a restaurant. However, none of the other restaurants or grocery stores in town will be open on Christmas day. Charlevoix merchants said that Christmas is the one day of the year they feel their employees should be able to spend with

their families. Most businesses will be open on Saturday and after noon on Sunday.

Last year, visitors to the Charlevoix area were out of luck if they planned to eat out on Christmas day. Not one restaurant or grocery store was open.

George Heckendorn honored for sales by Daubert

A Charlevoix resident was recently honored by the Daubert Chemical Company. George Heckendorn, sales representative for the ECP Division of the Daubert Chemical Company, was named a member of the

"President's Club" at the company's national sales meeting. He was presented with an engraved silver trophy in honor of the occasion.

Robert Necks, national

sales manager, presented the award to Heckendorn for his outstanding sales achievement. Heckendorn, who has been a sales representative for Daubert for several years, was also the winner of a recent sales contest.

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT REVENUE BONDS BY THE COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX, MICHIGAN, AND RIGHTS OF REFERENDUM THEREON

TO ALL ELECTORS OF THE COUNTY OF CHARLEVOIX:

TAKE NOTICE that the County of Charlevoix intends to issue industrial development revenue bonds in the principal amount of not to exceed Ten Million (\$10,000,000.00) Dollars, extending for not more than forty (40) years and bearing interest at not more than 10% or such higher rate as may be permitted by law per annum, for the purpose of financing all or part of the cost of acquiring and installing air pollution control equipment (including buildings, structures, facilities, equipment and their appurtenances together with to the extent necessary lands or interests in lands thereon), as defined in Act No. 62, Public Acts of Michigan, 1963, as amended, and included as part of the aforesaid air pollution control equipment all portions of cement manufacturing facilities which qualify as air pollution control facilities under Section 103 (c) (4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1954, as amended, in or near, and for use in connection with the Charlevoix Plant of Medusa Corporation (including costs incidental to the issuance of said bonds). Said air pollution control equipment is to be sold under an installment sales contract or contracts to Medusa Corporation.

Said bonds are to be issued in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 62, Public Acts of Michigan, 1963, as amended (The Industrial Development Revenue Bond Act of 1963). Said proposed bonds may be issued by the County in one or more series.

SOURCE OF PAYMENT

Said bonds will be issued in accordance with the provisions of Act No. 62, Public Acts of Michigan, 1963, as amended. Said bonds and the interest thereon will not be a general obligation of the County of Charlevoix and will in no event be payable from any tax revenues or other general funds of the County of Charlevoix, but will be payable solely and only from revenues derived from payments to be received as purchase installments from Medusa Corporation.

RIGHT OF REFERENDUM

This notice is given to and for the benefit of the electors of the County of Charlevoix, in order to inform them that said bonds will be issued without submitting the question of their issuance to the electors of the County, unless within 45 days from the publication of this notice, a petition signed by not less than 5% of the registered electors of the County, requesting a referendum upon the question of the issuance of said bonds, is filed with the County Clerk of the County of Charlevoix, in which event the bonds will not be issued unless and until approved by a majority of the electors of the County voting thereon at a general or special election.

THIS NOTICE is given by order of the Board of Commissioners of the County of Charlevoix, Michigan, pursuant to the requirements of Section 12 of Act No. 62, Public Acts of Michigan, 1963, as amended. Further information with respect to the Project to be financed, the revenue bonds to be issued and the right of referendum may be obtained from the undersigned.

Clarence Rabach
County Clerk

New cross country ski trail opens in Jordan River Valley

So here you are, faced with 10 days of Christmas vacation and nothing to do.

Why not grab your cross country skis or your snow shoes and go on down to a section of the Jordan River Valley off of M-32 and try out the new Warner Creek Trail for cross country skiing and hiking.

The new trail was just opened last week, when the Forest Management Division of the Department of Natural Resources, put up a sign marking the beginning of the trail and published maps showing its location.

The trail was designed by William Mittig, area forester. "The problem with the Jordan River Valley is finding a place where a cross country trail can go in," Mittig said. "It's hard to find a place that is fairly flat."

Mittig described the Warner Creek Trail as a novice trail of about four miles in length. It winds down toward Warner Creek and O'Brien's pond. The trail is marked with blue dots and crosses to help guide the skier or snow shoe along.

The Warner Creek Trail is one of three cross country ski

and hiking trails designed by the Forest Management Division in this area.

The other two are located at Bells Bay just south of Charlevoix and at Springbrook in the Walloon Lake area.

"The Bells Bay trail was built about 15 years ago and used for a hiking trail," Mittig explained. "But it can be used for cross country skiing, too."

"The Springbrook trail was built about 10 years ago as a hiking trail, but it received very little use as that. When cross country skiing became more popular, it was used for that."

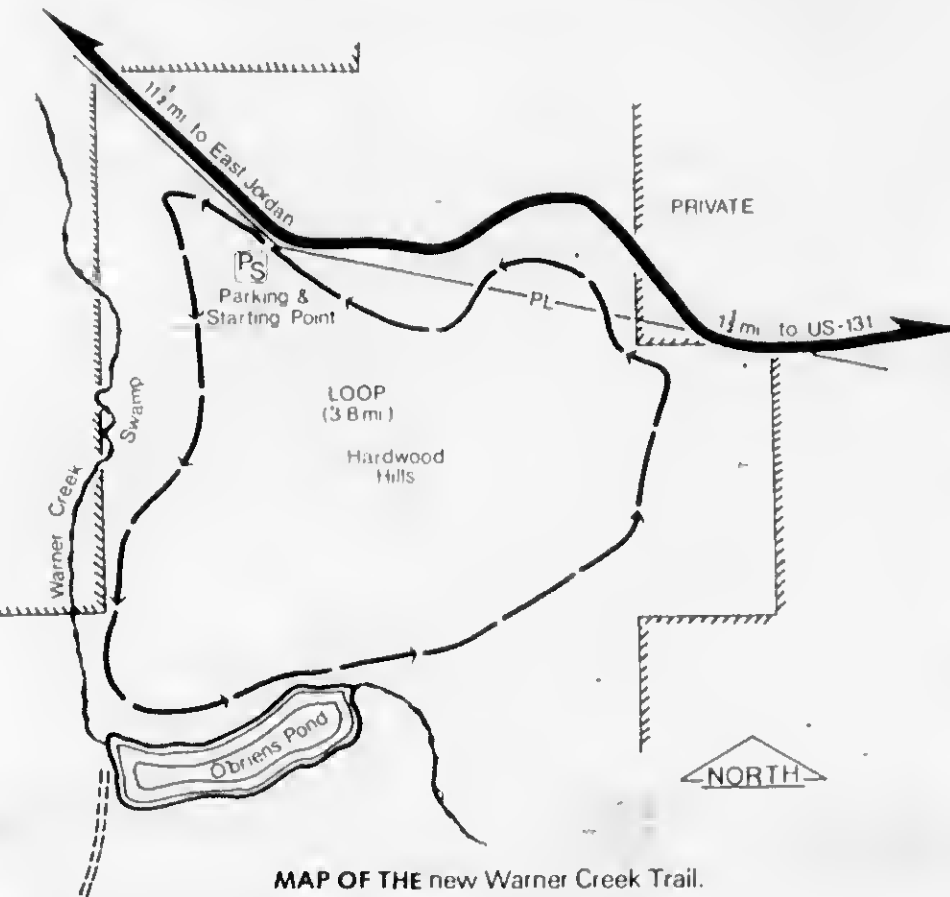
Of the three trails, Bells Bay is the easiest and Springbrook the hardest, Mittig said.

The forester said the trail was constructed this summer by CETA employees working for the DNR. He said the funds for the trail came out of the regular forestry budget.

"There was really very little cost in the construction of the trail," he explained. "All we had to do was clear some of the brush and mark the trails. And of course there was the cost of the sign and the maps." See Ski Trail continued on page 17.



BILL MITTIG TALKS with a cross country skier about the new Warner Creek Trail in the Jordan River Valley. The trail, a four-mile path wandering through the valley, opened last week to skiers and snowshoers.



MAP OF THE new Warner Creek Trail.

NOTICE

Charlevoix City Hall will be closed Friday, December 23, and Monday, December 26, 1977. Also, Monday, January 2, 1978. Due to Holiday Seasons.

OFFICE OF CITY ADMINISTRATOR

NATURAL RESOURCES COMMISSION ACTION

(under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended)

ORDER TO RESTRICT SPEARING SEASON

The Natural Resources Commission at its meeting on July 15, 1977, under authority of Act 230, P.A. 1925, as amended, orders that for a period of five years beginning January 1, 1978, it shall be unlawful during the month of April of each year to take any fish by spearing or bow and arrow north of Highway M-72 in the lower peninsula and from April 1 to April 14, inclusive, of each year between Highways M-46 and M-72 in the lower peninsula.

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Court News

'Tis the Season to be Jolly... Merry Christmas from me and Tali! Fran Martin

We will be closed Monday, December 26th and Monday, January 2nd, 1978 so that we can all enjoy our holidays with family and friends. Wishing you the brightest cheer, thank you.



SANTA CLAUS CAME to town Saturday riding on the back of a Charlevoix Fire Department truck. With the assistance of the volunteer fire department Santa handed out boxes of candy to all the good little girls and boys who came to see him Saturday.

Santa's in town



THE VOLUNTEER FIREMEN for the City of Charlevoix packaged more than 1,000 pounds of candy and peanuts for Santa Claus to give away to area children last weekend. Participating in the candy packing were: Dewey Bruce, Bob Geer, Jerry Meggison, Dan Geneit, Bob Hamilton, Bill Lusk, John Martin, Charles Bergmann, Karl Rothenberger, Doug Bergmann, Al Bergmann, Don Meggison, Hondo Geer, Barry Wood, Fire Chief John Curtis and Police Chief Jack Mol.

The following cases were heard in Charlevoix and Boyne City during the week ending December 16 by Magistrates Marilyn Blumman and Howard Talbot:

Sтивен M. Паловод, 17, Boyne City, entering without owner's permission. Plead guilty. Ten days in county jail, \$205 fine and costs, restitution to injured party, and one year's probation.

Clinton R. Blanchard, 22, Charlevoix, impaired driving. Plead guilty. \$165 fine and costs.

Richard Ulrich, 17, Boyne City, trespassing. Plead nolo contendere. Five days in county jail.

William E. Downey, Jr., 22, Kewadin, speeding. Found guilty by jury. \$45 fine and costs.

Julie Spence, 17, Boyne Falls, minor in possession of alcohol. \$65.

Russell Pirtlow, 17, Boyne Falls, minor in possession of alcohol. \$66.

David L. Pierson, 20, Charlevoix, open container of alcohol in vehicle. \$65.

Joe R. Moore, 20, Charlevoix, open container of alcohol in vehicle. \$65.

Michael J. Callahan, 23, Melvindale, open container of alcohol in vehicle. \$65.

Carl L. Cavich, 42, Charlevoix, transporting unlicensed gun. \$45.

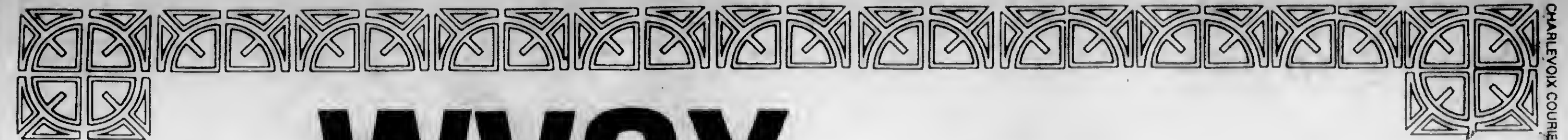
Athola A. Evans, 30, Vanderbilt, snaggling. \$45.

James L. Butterfield, Highland, hunting with rifle before season. \$25.



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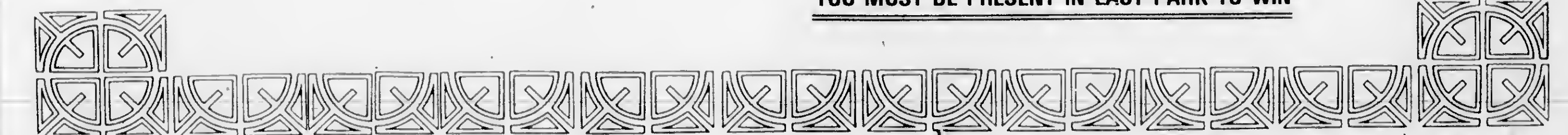
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a train, a snowmobile, a new
bike because it broke and
most of all I want a puppy.
Have a Merry Christmas!!
Love,
Ansel Merwin
Age 5
Charlevoix

Dear Santa,
I want, Barbie townhouse,
Baby this and that, Birthday
party baby, Benji and tiffany,
Snowcone Machine, I hope
that that's not to much.
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Charlevoix, MICH.
I Love you



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Christmas. For Christmas I
want a Sewing machine and I
would like a Weaving Loom.
Your truly,
Laura Anderson
Hi Santa

Dear Santa Claus,
How are you doing for
Christmas? I want a Kik and
go and some candy and a
Dolly-Baby come Back and a
Holly Hobbie umbrella to.
Love,
Melissa Anderson.

Dear Santa Claus,
I love you a thousand and a
billion huge lot!!!!!!
How are you and Mrs. Claus
and all your elves and all your
reindeer?
I want you to get me things
this Christmas! What ever you
get me I'll like!!!!!!
There is one thing I want more than
anything else in the world!!!
It is to see you and your
elves and all your reindeer. I'll help
water them!!!!!!
Please!!

You're Great!!!!
Love
Michelle Hamlin
P.S. Write back as soon as
you can.
I Love You!!!

Dear Santa,
I know I have sometimes
been a bad girl, but lately I
have started helping my
mommy and daddy. Like a
good girl. For Christmas I
would like a village and a doll.
My little brother Paul would
like almost anything.
I am 5 years old. He is not
quite one. My mommy is
helping me write this cause I
can't write yet. We love you
Santa.
Jennifer & Paul Sumner

Dear Santa,
I want you to bring me a-
1. Baby Needs You
2. Fuzzy Pumper Barber
Shop
3. Winny the Pooh Jack in
the box.
4. Mouse Power Ranch
5. Stroller for my baby
6. Dolly and Marie Osmond
Dolls
Please bring a new ball for
Pep (my dog) and bring him a
new coat. Bring my sister Kim
some Shaun Cassidy records,
new clothes, Charlies Angles
dolls. Bring my dad some
apples and some diet pop.
Bring my mom a pretty
pointsettia.
Thank you very much! I
love you!
Love
Valerie Russell

Dear Santa,
I would like a new
snowmobile. And I want some
new ice skates, and some
roller skates and I want a
skate board. And I would like
a tape recorder.
Santa, thank you for all the
things you gave me. And my
sister wants to thank you too.
Love,
Mario Hough
215 West Upright

Dear Santa,
I've been really good this
year. I hope you come to my
house. I will give you milk and
cookies. Here are all the
things I want your elves to
make me for Christmas:
1. Barbie doll
2. Skate board
3. Easy Bake oven
4. Stationary
5. Farrah doll
That's all I want. I love you.
XXXXXX
Love,
Bridget Nolot
318 W. Garfield

Dear Santa,
I love you. I want to take a
picture of you when you come
to my house for Christmas.
I want a Tonka truck and a
stretch-armstrong and a
million hundred dollars for
Christmas. Thank you.
Love,
Dougy Dreth
P.S. I have been a good boy
all year!

Dear Santa,
I feel everyone has spent a
lot of money on me and now
I've got almost everything I
need. So, I thought I would
give you a list of the things I
don't need.
I have a small Christmas
tree made up of an out rigger
canoe, thirty six wish bones,
and a television set. If I could
ask for anything more which I
can and I will I would ask for
a cabin near the sea and a free
trip to Los Angeles guaran-
teed no refund.

Dear Santa,
I would like a stereo with a
tape player and with some
tapes and records. And then I
would like a new pair of ski
poles so I can go skiing this
year. Then I would like a new
sled so I can go sledding with
my friends. I would also like a
new pair of pants and shirt
and belt. I would wear them to
school and to restaurants.
Then I would like a new
basketball so I could play
basketball.
Yours truly,
Jim Morridge
98 Oak St.

Dear Santa,
I want a football, a set of
drums a bike a snowmobile, a
tool set to build a fort and a
tape recorder. I would also
like a Shetland pony, football
suit a pool table, a pet ham-
ster, a pet mouse, a pet rat, a
pet dog and a pet cat.
And for my brother he wants
a shooting gallery a
typewriter, a football, and an
organ. My mom wants a
toaster and refrigerator. My
dad wants a knife.
Yours truly,
Jeff Heim
Clark Road

Dear Santa,
I would like to have a
raccoon, a football suit,
a dog, and some chameleon.
I would like to have a
microscope so I could look at
things.
I would like a spaghetti
dinner when we go to
Cleveland, Ohio. And when we
go there I hope we can go to all
of our aunts, uncles, grand-
mas and grandpas.
Yours truly,
Jeff Engler
Squantola Road

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Nominating petitions for the February
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Tuesday, January 3, 1978
Judy Przybylski
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LEUTHEUSERS OF CHARLEVOIX

Merry Christmas to all our
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New Year's Eve - A special treat,
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Obituary

Maleon Dale
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Johnston
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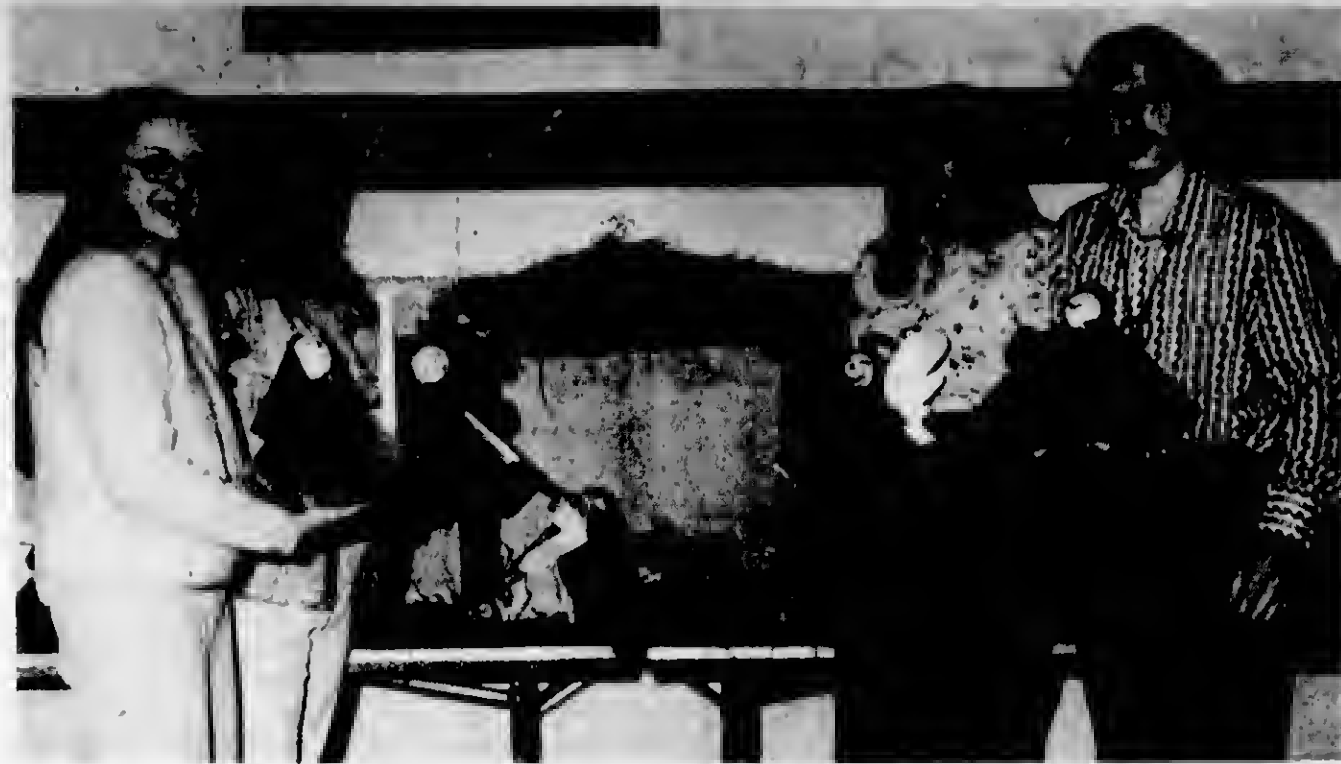
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A SPECIAL Christmas display decorates the Learning Center at Charlevoix High School. The students constructed a manger scene for their room complete with a manger made out of logs and cardboard and hay and figurines made out of Readers Digests and styrofoam balls. Hay covers the tables where the figurines stand and completes the manger scene. Some of the students who worked on the project were: (from left to right) Karen Klooster, Karen Bairidge, Cindy Elliot and Robert Kalmbach.

Rayder grapplers defeat St. Ignace, Manistique

The Charlevoix Rayder grapplers added two more victories to their record last week. The Rayders defeated St. Ignace and Manistique in a double dual meet at St. Ignace.

The Rayders record for dual meets now stands at five wins and two losses. St. Ignace is 2-4 for the season and Manistique is 2-2.

In the match against St. Ignace, Charlevoix won 47-21. Winners in that match were: 98 pounds: Don Mol by 1:35.

178 pounds: Mike Kiteley in 3:37. 138 pounds: Craig Golovich in 2:40. 155 pounds: Jerry Kele in 1:35.

145 pounds: Norbert Scharenbroch in a 6-6 decision. 168 pounds: Brian Wimmer in 2:14.

178 pounds: Ande Keller in a 12-6 decision. 191 pounds: Dennis Whitley in 34 seconds. Heavyweight: Greg Loper in 3:12.

Charlevoix defeated Manistique 43-19. Winners in that match were:

98 pounds: Don Mol in 5:15. 106 pounds: Jeff Drenth in 5:20.

119 pounds: Ron Hilton in 4:20.



May you and your family enjoy a happy holiday. We thank you warmly.

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ONE GALLON \$1.48

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Happy New Year to All



Hearing on tax break for Medusa slated Jan. 10

A hearing on a proposed property tax break for the Medusa Cement Company addition is expected to be held Jan. 10 at the Charlevoix Township Hall, according to Thomas Poirier, local attorney for the company, and Joanne Plamka, township clerk.

Under Public Act 198, governmental units are allowed to create an industrial development district which provides property tax exemptions for manufacturers proposing to expand or rehabilitate their plants.

The law was passed by the state Legislature in 1974 to encourage industry in Michigan to expand and to make it lucrative for the company to do so. The law is a means of combating the competitiveness of other states in attracting business away from Michigan.

Window Winner

BOGGS PASTRY SHOP on Bridge Street, was the winner of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce Christmas Window Contest this year. The window, which depicts elves decorating a Christmas tree, was painted by John Olach, an employee of the bakery. The pastry shop will receive the window contest trophy which they will be able to have on display for the entire year. Windows receiving honorable mention were Dapper Dick's Deli, Pouskey Avenue branch, Haggards Bath and Bed Shop, The Lodge, and Metters by the Bay. Judges for the contest were Jacques Merta, chamber director, Carol Stephan, Georgia Hufford and Lois Hordyson.

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HOTLINE

Dial 547-6559

Hotline lets others know what you think. Tell us your opinion on anything by calling 547-6559 anytime after 6 p.m. No need to give your name. Selected opinions will appear each week.

Worst Christmas Decorations

I want to say something about Charlevoix's Christmas decorations. We are the worst decorated town around the country. What is the matter with Charlevoix anyhow?

City-Township Merger

A Charlevoix Township leader recently came up with a plan to bring about an orderly merger, between the township and the town (or city). Among other things he wrote that both the city and the township each have three council men. The city with 4,000 people would have as much leverage as the township with 800 people. Evidently, the one man-one vote rule does not apply. It is contrary to the American precept of equal representation.

The winter has a much simpler solution for merging. It would be done in two phases.

Phase 1 - The northern part of the township would annex the First Ward of this consolidated unit would then be named "Stroudland."

Phase 2 - The second and third wards or our city would then annex the south portion of the township. Happily this newly created municipality would hence forth and forever be known as "Hansenville."

This ideal merger would be accomplished first by a special election. It is predicted that the citizens of our city would approve of this proposal by a majority of 20 votes. Estimated results would be as follows: No votes, 460 (23 percent), Yes votes 480 (24 percent), not voting, 1,180 (53 percent). The no votes include 70 absentee, the yes votes 280 AV.

Note: The 1,180 people not voting would stay home to watch television, etc.

Petitions favoring shade trees prepared for common council

The battle over the proposed planting of shade trees in downtown Charlevoix is well as throughout the city was expected to heat up this week as supporters of the project begin to show their colors.

Representatives of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, the Charlevoix Garden Club and the downtown merchants were expected to turn in the signatures of more than 150 people and downtown businessmen on petitions in favor of the proposed shade tree program to Mayor Edward Hansen and the Charlevoix Common Council Tuesday night.

This is the first time common council will receive petitions favoring the shade tree planting program. In the past six weeks, the council has received petitions containing the signatures of 88 city residents and nine downtown businessmen asking for a moratorium on the planting program and opposing the planting of trees in the downtown sidewalks.

Billie Smith, the organizer of the drive seeking the moratorium, said the group would like a complete evaluation of the cost of the program and would also like to see if the trees in the city nurseries and along the roadside are going to survive before any more trees are purchased for the program.

Supporters of the program feel it is important to keep planting the trees according to schedule in order to replace the dying trees and to put trees in areas of the city that have none. The supporters would also like to see trees planted in the downtown area as has been done in many surrounding communities.

Supporters feel the planting of trees in the downtown area will make it more attractive for residents and tourists.

Jacques Merta, director of the Charlevoix Chamber of Commerce, said she will be presenting council with the results of a poll conducted by the chamber directors.

In response to the question, "Do you support continued planting of trees in downtown Charlevoix?" 50 chamber members replied yes and 10 replied no.

Mrs. Merta said the questionnaire was sent only to dues paying voting members of the chamber.

"The ballot only went to people who are concerned about the community—at least concerned enough to belong to the chamber and to support the city through it," Mrs. Merta said.

In addition to the signatures of numerous city residents and property owners, the following businesses also signed a petition supporting the planting of trees in downtown Charlevoix: County Seal General Store,

Charlevoix Properties, Charlevoix Floral, Roseann's, Dapper Dick's Deli, Marty's, Tropical World, Aartvark Studio, Harper Barber, Reusch Jewelry and Capelli Salon.

Other businesses signing the petition included: Topside Lounge, Charlevoix Agency, Charlevoix County State Bank, Kentucky Fried Chicken, Leathbeuers, Colwell Real Estate, Murdie's Fudge, Wharfside Market, The Clothing Company, Treasure Chest and Muna's Suncos.

In addition the following businesses signed the petition: Models and Things, WWOY Radio, Metters by the Bay, Haggards Bath and Bed Shop, Shop of the Gulls, Ski and Shore Properties of Charlevoix, Iless Furniture, Finn Sports, Mardeous, Kadens, Family Federal Savings, Lieberman, Town House, Appletree, Stone Shoppe and Alee Jane Dows.

From Charlevoix area merchants First baby of new year greeted with gifts

The first baby to be born in 1978 at the Charlevoix Area Hospital will be welcomed by a stack of gifts furnished by local merchants participating in the Charlevoix Courier's First Baby of the Year Contest.

In addition, there will be several gifts for the parents.

To be eligible, the parents of the baby must submit a written statement from their attending physician noting the exact time of birth. The statement must be received by the Charlevoix Courier, 201 Michigan Ave., by January 9.

If there have been no births by that time, the contest will be extended until a baby arrives.

The first new baby of the year and his or her parents will receive a total of 20 gifts from Charlevoix area merchants.

For the baby there will be a silverware gift set from Housch Jewelry and a food warming dish from Staley Hardware. To go with the dishes is a case of Gerber baby food from Olesons Food Store.

To keep the new baby warm, the Chelsea Cloth Shoppe is offering a handmade quilted baby comforter and Olesons Family Center is supplying \$10 worth of Buster Brown Clothing and Russell Shoes is offering Buster Brown shoes.

Two \$25 savings bonds are being offered to the new baby by Thomas Real Estate and the Charlevoix Area Hospital and two \$10 gift certificates are being offered by Kit Carson

planter and the Appletree is supplying a cuddly teddy bear. The Radio Shack of Pictetco is offering an AM portable radio for the family's listening pleasure.

Aartvark Studio is offering a free 5 x 7 color portrait by Terry Salomonson and the Appletree is offering a lovely picture frame to go with the picture.

For the parents, Wharfside Market is supplying a bottle of champagne while Helene's Beauty Shoppe is offering a

free hair cut, set and wash for the new mother.

Hess Furniture is offering a \$25 gift certificate toward the purchase of a rocking chair for baby and mother. The certificate will be increased to \$50 if it's twins, \$75 if it's triplets and soon up to a limit of 10!

And for the entire family, The Charlevoix Courier is offering one year's subscription.

P.S.

Bud Barnes

betcha' never thought you'd make the front page!

WEATHER

The following weather information was furnished by the Charlevoix Coast Guard Station and the Charlevoix Sewage Disposal Plant

Date	High	Low	Precip. in inches
December 17	41	39	0
December 18	38	32	.25 rain
December 19	41	38	5 snow
December 20	40	36	5 snow
December 21	31	26	2 snow
December 22	30	25	2 snow
December 23	41	35	2 snow
December 24	37	26	2 snow
December 25	26	16	3 snow
December 26	24	16	2.5 snow



Carol-In

MANY CHARLEVOIX RESIDENTS gathered in East Park last week for the fourth annual Charlevoix Courier-WWOY Carol-In. Those attending the Carol-In were treated to several rousing carols and a visit from Santa Claus as well as good cheer for the Christmas holiday.

Community Calendar

Fran Martin
547-4433

Tuesday, Dec. 27
Rebekah Lodge will meet at the American Legion post home 8 p.m.
St. Mary's School Board will meet at the school at 8 p.m.

CB may be in buses by Jan. 1

The Charlevoix Public School District buses may have CB radios installed in them by Jan. 1 if all goes well with the Northwest React (Radio Emergency Associated Citizens Team) No. 343 fund drive.

Mrs. Gregory Seese, secretary of the organization, said REACT members had purchased 13 CB (citizens band) radios for the buses and is working to raise funds to purchase the antennas to go with the radios.

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Round Lake Lodge No. 293, I.O.O.F. will meet at the American Legion post home 8 p.m.
TOPS will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal church 8 p.m. for weigh-in; business meeting at 8:30 p.m.
Charlevoix County Board of Commissioners will meet at the county building annex 7:30 p.m.

Thursday, Dec. 29
Al-Anon Family Group will meet at the undercroft of Christ Episcopal Church 8 p.m. For family and friends of problem drinkers. For further information call 547-2145.
Saturday, Dec. 31
New Year's Eve party at the American Legion hall sponsored by the Leslie T. Shapiro post No. 226 with ship, lunch and favors furnished.
Sunday, January 1
Happy New Year... May all your dreams come true in 1978!
Monday, Jan. 2
Parades and football games... all day long!
Tuesday, Jan. 3
American Legion will meet at the Post Home 8 p.m.
Women of the Church of God will meet at Fellowship Hall 7:30 p.m. Hostess: Delores Richardson.
Men's Prayer meeting 7 a.m. Hostesses: Mrs. Clifford Biddick and Mrs. John LaRue; Devotions: Mrs. Chester Belfy; Program: Mrs. Harold Dutcher, "Grief".
Coast Guard wives Club will meet with Mrs. Charles Bell, Pine Point, 7:30 p.m.



STUDENTS FOR THE Learning Center at the Charlevoix Elementary School presented the school with a check for \$117. The students earned the money by selling pine cone wreaths they made. Here two students present the check to Principal Ralph Raymer.

Learning Center students give gift to K-5 school

Students from the Learning Center at Charlevoix Elementary School presented the school with a Christmas gift last week.

The Learning Center students presented Principal Ralph Raymer with a \$117 check. The students made more than \$200 from the sale of pine cone wreaths they had made as a class project and they split their earnings with the school.

The students made the wreaths to be sold at the Parents Advisory Council Christmas Bazaar, but most of the wreaths were sold before the bazaar was held. The remaining wreaths were purchased by visitors to the bazaar.

The check the students presented to Principal Raymer will be combined with the other funds raised at the bazaar to purchase equipment for the school. The Learning Center students will use their portion of the money to take a trip at the end of the school year, Pat Carland, Learning Center teacher, said.

The 16 students started working on the wreaths just after Thanksgiving when they began gathering the pine cones. Their search for pine

cones took them to the Brookside Cemetery in Charlevoix and the Winter Sports Park in Petoskey. In all the group made 19 wreaths. It has been a busy Christmas in the Learning Center at the elementary school. In addition to making the pine cone wreaths, the students' gifts have also been busy making gifts for their adopted grand- parents. Mrs. Carland said.

Last Christmas, the students adopted 15 elderly people in Charlevoix as grandparents. Throughout the year the students remembered their new grandparents on various holidays by making different things for them and this Christmas is no different.

Special session on financial aid set for Jan. 9

"It's going to cost how much to go to school?" is a phrase often heard in the homes of college bound high school students.

The cost of going to college has nearly doubled in the last decade bringing the price of a university education to an all time high. But help is available to deserving students.

The Charlevoix High School Counseling Staff will hold a program on applying for financial aid at 7 p.m. Jan. 9 in the high school study hall.

"The program will be devoted to assisting students and parents with the complex and often frustrating process of applying for financial aid for post-secondary education," Chuck Bentley, high school counselor, explained.

The counselors will discuss the types of financial aid available to students interested in a college education. Parents will also be given an opportunity to follow the step-by-step completion of a financial aid form and to estimate their expanded contribution to a student in college.

A question and answer period will follow the presentation.

Interested parents may contact Chuck Bentley at 547-2811 for additional information.

Bentley said the program was geared to seniors and their parents, but juniors and their parents are welcome to attend.

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We will be closed Monday, January 2nd, 1978 so that we can all enjoy our holidays with family and friends. Wishing you the brightest cheer, thank you.

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Charlevoix County 1977 Property Taxes

St. James Township \$40,000 house in Beaver Island Com. School Dist. is \$529.	Hudson Township \$40,000 house in Boyne Valley Dist. is \$606.20. In Vanderbilt Dist., \$696.20.	Evangeline Township \$40,000 house in Boyne City School Dist. is \$603.20.	Charlevoix Township \$40,000 house in Charlevoix School Dist. is \$775.00.
Marion Township \$40,000 house in Charlevoix School Dist. is \$735. In Ellsworth School Dist. \$889.	Wilson Township \$40,000 house in Boyne City School Dist. is \$733.20. In East Jordan School Dist. \$828.	Norwood Township \$40,000 house in Charlevoix School Dist. is \$735.	Pease Township \$40,000 house in Beaver Island Com. School Dist. is \$534.
Boyne City \$40,000 house in Boyne City School Dist. is \$1137.20.	Boyne Falls \$40,000 house in Boyne Valley School Dist. is \$240.	Charlevoix \$40,000 house in Charlevoix School Dist. is \$855.	East Jordan \$40,000 house in East Jordan School Dist. is \$1178.
Hayes Township \$40,000 house in Boyne City School Dist. is \$733.20. In Charlevoix School Dist. \$735. In Petoskey School Dist., \$740.50.	Melrose Township \$40,000 house in Boyne City School Dist. is \$733.20. In Charlevoix School Dist. \$740.50. In Boyne Valley School Dist. \$780.50.	Eveline Township \$40,000 house in Boyne City School Dist. is \$733.20. In Charlevoix School Dist. \$735. In East Jordan School Dist. \$823. In Ironston School Dist., \$723.	Boyne Valley \$40,000 house in Boyne City School Dist. is \$823.20. In Boyne Valley Dist. \$810.60.
Chandler Township \$40,000 house in Petoskey School Dist. is \$760.60. In Vanderbilt School Dist. \$696.20.	South Arm Township \$40,000 house in East Jordan School Dist. is \$828. In Ellsworth School Dist., \$889.	Bay Township \$40,000 house in Boyne City School Dist. is \$823.20.	

How does your tax bill compare?

Twp.	Sch. Dist.	Co. Tax	Twp. Tax	School Tax	Int. School	Total
Bay	Boyne City	5.70	2.50	31.76	1.20	41.16
Bay	Boyne Val.	5.70	2.50	31.76	1.20	41.16
Chandler	Boyne Falls	5.70	2.50	31.13	1.20	40.53
	Petoskey	5.70	2.00	29.13	1.20	38.03
Charlevoix	Vanderbilt	5.70	2.00	25.85	1.20	34.81
Evangeline	Charlevoix	5.70	2.00	28.85	1.20	38.75
Eveline	Boyne City	5.70	1.00	31.76	1.20	40.16
	Boyne City	5.70	1.00	31.76	1.20	39.66
	Charlevoix	5.70	1.00	28.85	1.20	36.75
	East Jordan	5.70	1.00	33.50	1.20	41.40
	Ironston	5.70	1.00	28.15	1.20	36.15
Hayes	Boyne City	5.70	1.00	31.76	1.20	39.66
	Charlevoix	5.70	1.00	28.85	1.20	37.75
Hudson	Petoskey	5.70	1.00	29.13	1.20	37.03
	Boyne Falls	5.70	1.00	31.13	1.20	40.03
	Vanderbilt	5.70	1.00	25.85	1.20	34.81
Marion	Charlevoix	5.70	1.00	28.85	1.20	37.75
	Ellsworth	5.70	1.00	26.55	1.20	34.45
Melrose	Boyne City	5.70	1.00	31.76	1.20	39.66
	Petoskey	5.70	1.00	29.13	1.20	37.03
	Boyne Falls	5.70	1.00	31.13	1.20	39.03
Norwood	Charlevoix	5.70	1.00	28.85	1.20	36.75
Pease	Heaver Is.	5.70	10.70	9.10	1.20	26.70
St. James	Heaver Is.	5.70	10.45	9.10	1.20	26.45
South Arm	East Jordan	5.70	1.00	33.50	1.20	41.40
	Ellsworth	5.70	1.00	36.55	1.20	44.45
Wilson	Boyne City	5.70	1.00	31.76	1.20	39.66
	East Jordan	5.70	1.00	33.50	1.20	41.40
City	Boyne City	5.70	18.20	31.76	1.20	56.86
Charlevoix	Charlevoix	5.70	7.00	28.85	1.20	42.75
East Jordan	East Jordan	5.70	18.50	33.50	1.20	58.90

NOTE: In computing taxes, the factor is 1.00 in all townships with the exception of Melrose, which is 1.070. The real factor in each unit

must be considered. The factor is 1.00 in Boyne City and 1.150 in Charlevoix and 1.095 in East Jordan.

Rep. Ruppe announces candidacy

U.S. Rep. Philip Ruppe, R-Houghton, has thrown his hat in the ring for the U.S. Senate seat being vacated by Robert Griffin, R-Traverse City.

In an unofficial announcement of his candidacy, Ruppe said that he would be making a formal announcement of his intentions in January. At that time he would also be outlining his initial platform.

"After looking over the race, Rep. Ruppe felt that he had a lot to offer the people of the State of Michigan and so he decided to run," the aide explained.

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County makes sizeable economic gain of 57% during last five years

Charlevoix County's economy made sizeable gains in the last five years, the latest figures show, notwithstanding the problems that plagued the nation as a whole.

The extent of that growth, since the beginning of 1972, is brought out in surveys made by the Standard Rate and Data Service.

They show that the volume of retail business in the local area, a principal indicator of business vitality, was relatively strong.

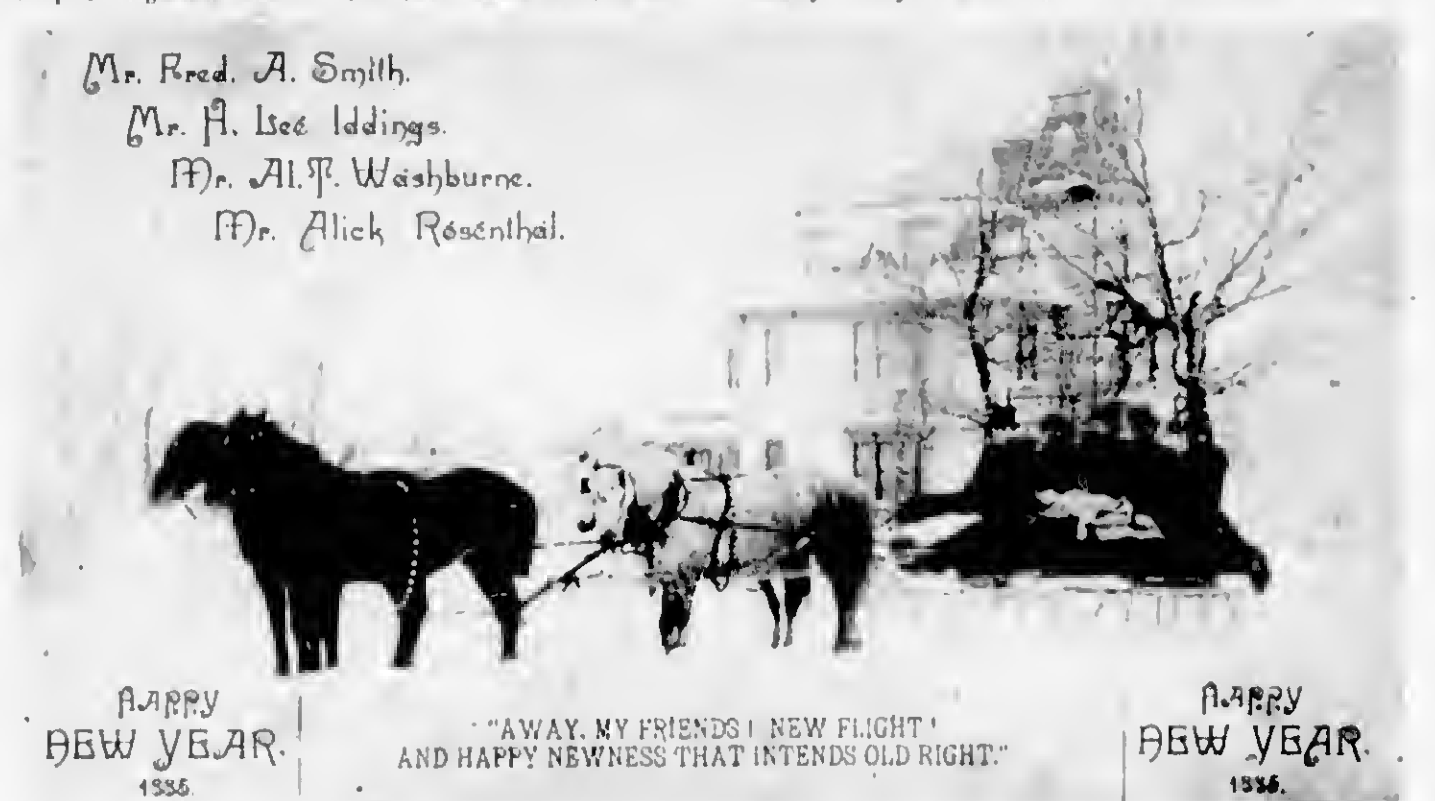
Despite the general concern regarding inflation, higher taxes, unemployment, crime conditions, political uncertainties and the like, consumer spending per family was at a better level than in many communities.

It reflects the fact that the majority of local families, with steadily rising incomes, had more money available and were willing to spend more.

As a result, the amount of business done by retail stores in Charlevoix County in the past year reached \$47,145,000.

The net earnings of the local population, after payment of taxes, hit a high in the past year of \$81,096,000, well above the amount available to them five years ago, \$52,183,000.

Just how long the economy will continue at its present level and how well it will perform in the year ahead are anyone's guess.



Mr. R. A. Smith, Mr. H. Lee Iddings, Mr. A. J. Washburne, Mr. Alick Rosenthal.

There was a time when New Year's cards were more popular than Christmas cards. Back in 1885, a group of Charlevoix business men sent the above message to their friends. The picture was taken at the intersection of Hubert and State Streets, with the old Upright home in the background. (Photo courtesy of Charlevoix Historical Society)

HOLIDAY FIXIN'S

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IGA TABLETTE SIRLOIN STEAK \$2.09 LB

IGA TABLETTE T-BONE STEAK \$2.19 LB

IGA TABLETTE BONELESS RUMROAST OR BONELESS ROAST from ROUND \$1.59 LB

IGA TABLETTE SLICED BACON 1PPKG \$1.19

IGA TABLETTE ROUND STEAK \$1.49 LB

IGA TABLETTE CAMPBELL'S TOMATO JUICE 46 OZ 59¢

IGA TABLETTE FARMER PEET SPARE RIBS 2 1/2-3 LB AVG. \$1.99 LB

IGA TABLETTE LEAN MEATY 2 1/2-3 LB AVG. \$1.99 LB

IGA TABLETTE DUNCAN HINES FAMILY BROWNIE MIX 23 OZ \$1.19

IGA TABLETTE JIF PEANUT BUTTER 18 OZ 59¢

IGA TABLETTE MAXWELL HOUSE INSTANT COFFEE 10 OZ 49¢

IGA TABLETTE POTATO CHIPS 10 OZ 49¢

IGA TABLETTE NABISCO MR. SALTY PRETZELS 10 OZ 49¢

IGA TABLETTE MR. SALTY STICKS 14 OZ 89¢

IGA TABLETTE KEEBLER ELFWICH ALKA-SELZER 36 CT \$1.19

IGA TABLETTE BAYER 36 CT CHILDRENS ASPIRIN 37¢

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Editorials/Opinions

Six major issues will face council, mayor in new year

Throughout the year the Charlevoix Courier has been urging the Charlevoix Common Council and Mayor Edward Hansen to take action on various issues within the city.

The Courier had asked council members to make the necessary studies, set up planning groups and to seek citizen input so that they could make the decisions pertaining to many issues. Some of these issues were resolved during the year and some were not.

As the new year approaches, there are six major issues—the proposed new charter, the proposed merger with Charlevoix Township, the proposed new zoning ordinance, downtown parking, the Beaver Island Boat Co. lease and the proposed shade tree plantings—which face the council and mayor and which should be resolved within the next year.

Perhaps the biggest issue still facing the council and city residents is the proposed new charter. Common council and the mayor should work with the Charlevoix Charter Commission to resolve the issue as soon as possible.

Mayor Hansen's observation that the charter has hindered progress on many projects is a sound one. By working with the charter commission to bring about the necessary changes in the charter to get it approved by the city voters, the council would be doing the city a great service.

The issue must be resolved before April 1 by law and setting it by an earlier date would be more beneficial to the community.

The council and mayor and the Charlevoix Township Board should also get together to work out a plan for a merger of the two units. Some proposals have been made and should be studied to make sure that both communities will be represented fairly.

A citizens advisory group made up of both township and city residents may be a helpful tool to the council and township board in working out a merger plan. But a merger plan should be worked out in 1978. It is an idea whose time has come.

The taxpayer can't afford to continue paying for the duplication of services now experienced in both the township and the city. Also the two units are so interdependent and interrelated that it only makes sense for the two to merge.

Adopting the proposed new zoning ordinance with the proposed marine zone classifications should also be accomplished by the common council this year. Council has dilly-dallied on the issue for far too long now.

The city is growing up around the council and an adequate zoning ordinance that can handle all of the types of development that are occurring is needed.

True the proposed ordinance is not perfect, but it has been thoroughly researched and would be a good starting point for the city.

Downtown parking still has not been addressed by the council. Some talk has been made about buying the Elmer Auto Co. for parking or swapping with the Beaver Island Boat Co. It is important to do some planning for parking.

Bridge Street is severely congested in the summer time and it is only a matter of time before the Department of State Highways and Transportation prohibits any parking on the thoroughfare.

The city would really be in a jam if that happened and no additional parking had been provided for. This problem might be resolved in conjunction with efforts by the downtown merchants.

Another issue which created quite an uproar in the City of Charlevoix this year was the proposed swap and then the proposed lease of land to the Beaver Island Boat Co. Common council should find out just what the limitations on long-term leases are under the Fourth Class Cities act and follow them.

It is not fair to either the Beaver Island Boat Co. or to city residents to leave the problem hanging fire indefinitely.

Lastly, the proposed planting of shade trees downtown and across the city has created questions in many people's minds. While the Courier supports the continued planting of trees throughout the city, it also urges the council to break down the costs and to show the people exactly what they are spending for the plantings.

The project should be completed in the most economical manner possible.

The Courier also urges citizens to plan for the future of Charlevoix and to support the tree program.

City residents should also vow to become more active and informed about governmental affairs this year so that the best things can be accomplished for Charlevoix.



Paula Holmes...

...Speaking Her Mind

I sat down to write my New Years resolutions the other day just as I do before the start of every new year. With pen and paper in hand, I plodded through the usual list, writing down each resolution with little or no enthusiasm.

When I finished, I surveyed the list to make sure I hadn't inadvertently left some important resolution out. Nope, I thought to myself, they're all there, all the good old standbys.

The list ran something like this: 1. Lose 20 pounds. 2. Keep better track of the budget and the checkbook. 3. Keep up with correspondence. And, 4. Keep up with my reading.

As I went over that dull, but necessary list of goals for 1978, I decided to add one more resolution. 5. Don't give up on keeping your resolutions until July 1.

But still the list did not seem complete and as I pondered it I was reminded of a woman I met a few years ago in Petoskey. I had met her in September and our friendship had grown closer so that we were pretty good friends by the end of the year.

Yet, when we talked, there were still those pauses in our conversations that needed to be filled up. So, during one of those pauses, I asked her what her New Years resolutions were, expecting to hear the same old thing that everyone always says.

"I really hadn't thought that much about it," I answered truthfully and mentally chucking my usual list of resolutions.

"But I really like your ideas and maybe I should try some of those resolutions myself."

I only stuck with all of the resolutions for a few weeks that year, but I think I'll give them a try again this year and maybe add a fourth resolution vowing not to give up for the rest of my life.

Want to Write to Your Men in Lansing or DC?

Want to write your man in Washington or Lansing? Here are the addresses of the two U.S. Senators and the U.S. Congressman from Michigan, the State Senator and the two State Representatives from the Charlevoix Courier's circulation area.

U.S. SENATORS—Donald Riegle (D), 438 Federal Bldg., 231 Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich. 48223; Robert Griffin (R), 1039 Federal Building, 231 Lafayette Blvd., Detroit, Mich. 48223. In Washington D.C., write to the U.S. Senate, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

U.S. CONGRESSMAN—Rep. Philip Ruppe (R), Woodland Road, Houghton, Mich. 49931, or the U.S. House of Representatives, Capitol Building, Washington, D.C. 20515.

STATE SENATOR—Robert Davis (R), 351 E. Fourth St., Gaylord, Mich. 49735; or State Senate Chambers, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich. 48901.

STATE REPRESENTATIVE—Jord District—Ralph Ostling, (R), Route 2, Box 478, Rosecon, Mich. 48653; 19th District—E. Dan Stevens, (R), Atlanta, Mich. 49709. The representatives may also be reached at the House of Representatives, State Capitol, Lansing, Mich. 48901.

We suggest you clip and save this for future references.



If it Fitz

by Jim Fitzgerald

Verily, there is something about warfare that prompts our brave leaders to say unadorned excrement when they mean pure crap.

I was reminded of this recently when the 1977 winner of the DoubleSpeak Award was announced. It went to the Pentagon for describing the neutron bomb as a "radiation enhancement" weapon.

Isn't that gorgeous? You remember the neutron bomb. It was in all the newspapers last summer when the Senate was debating how many millions of your dollars to spend manufacturing it. The neutron bomb is special, because its intense radiation kills people while doing minimal damage to buildings and vehicles.

This is of great strategic importance. It means victorious armies will not have to rebuild bombed cities. A neutron bomb dropped from afar will kill a youngster while leaving his tricycle unharmed, ready for immediate use by occupying forces.

The effects of the neutron bomb upon a person have been fleshy: "The body convulses, limbs shake, the nervous system fails so that all the automatic

body functions, even breathing, are affected. Death comes within 48 hours."

But the Russian tank factory will still be standing, untouched, ready to roll again as soon as the dead bodies are swept up.

Have you ever known radiation to be more richly enhanced?

The DoubleSpeak Award is given by the National Council of Teachers of English. The teachers scan newspapers and government documents, searching for the most deceptive euphemisms, the ones that conceal the most truth beneath the thickest veneer of baloney.

There is no denying that "radiation enhancement" deserved to win. The Pentagon used the euphemism when asking Congress for funds to develop the neutron bomb. Some congressmen probably supported the project under the impression that they were buying a defensive weapon that would make energy more enchanting to the taste.

As noted earlier, the most gorgeous euphemisms are created by military leaders who wouldn't say "kill" if they had a mouthful of blood. Through the

Clockwise

by Bob Clock

As a professional pessimist, the end of 1977 leaves me at loose ends because I can't recall another year in my lengthening lifespan when things generally have looked so bright.

Take the situation in the Middle East, for example. Although negotiations between the Arabs and Jews are still in delicate balance, the outlook for peace—eventually—is more real and alive than ever before. Much, of course, depends on the outcome of the holiday talks between Anwar Sadat and Menachem Begin, but at this point all signs indicate that a reconciliation of many of the major differences between Egypt and Israel may be at hand.

And if those two old enemies can come to terms, it can happen anywhere at any time to anyone.

The racial situation in South Africa and Rhodesia is not quite so encouraging, but there is hope in the very fact that things don't seem to be getting much worse. The practice of apartheid is abominable and it appears that the weight of world opinion may be having some effect on the hardliners who have held black Africans in spiritual, if not physical, bondage for generations.

At home, I believe the nation has survived the alternating hesitation and exuberance of the first year of the Jimmy Carter administration in fine shape. He has neither met our highest expectations or fulfilled our worst fears, but he has held us together and I think Americans think better of themselves for having put him in the White House.

Whenever a new chief executive takes over, I think most of us sort of hope for a miracle worker—a man who can achieve full employment without

accelerating inflation; a man who can stimulate the economy in a way that will not squander resources or harm the environment; a man who can keep peace at home and abroad without taking us to distraction or alienating our neighbors.

Carter has made progress on all these fronts, and although he still has a long way to go, he is moving in the right direction with all possible haste.

The general economy certainly looks better than it has for years, despite rising prices. The auto industry set 18-day and monthly sales records throughout most of the year and prophets in the Motor City see even more production next year.

The late G.E. Wilson, as secretary of defense, once drew no end of criticism when he opined that "What's good for General Motors is good for the nation."

Although the concept is still abhorrent, Mr. Wilson knew where he spoke. And if he had limited his observation to Michigan, he would have been even closer to the mark. When the auto industry does well, we all benefit.

The stock market's performance in the second half of 1977 has been disappointing, but seasoned observers don't appear particularly concerned. The general feeling seems to be prices are seeking a level that more accurately reflects their true value in relation to other segments of the economy. If this is so, our present market should become a lazy, friendly ball before too many weeks pass, registering solid and substantial growth.

In all, it looks like a Happy New Year.



Erma Bombeck

A woman in the neighborhood who has chosen to remain childless announced the other day that she and her husband had found a solution to their empty nest. "Since children are so expensive and make such demands on your time, we've decided to adopt a doll. After all, they do everything a baby does and you don't have all the responsibility."

We stared at her in disbelief. Is it possible someone could be so naive?

"Look, Kay," I said, "I don't know how to tell you but dolls today are not your dimpled, soft rubber, huggable cuties that you take off all their clothes and sling them under the bed. Dolls today move, and demand, and nag and nag and nag. There's Baby Comeback. When you turn her arms down, she walks away, but when the arms start going up she returns to you with arms outstretched and cries."

There's Baby Telephon. who yells, "Ma!" until you squeeze her to shut her up. There's Baby Won't-Let-Go that greets tablecloths, fingers, walls, toys, people—anything, when you turn her arms down, she walks away, but when the arms start going up she returns to you with arms outstretched and cries.

"Baby Alive eats and fills her diapers all day long. Her brother comes with all the parts and you'll have to worry about their playing doctor."

What did he say?

years I have collected many of these outrageous euphemisms, sticking them in a file folder labeled "Silly Syllables."

Last week's DoubleSpeak Award prompted me to reach into the file and pull out my favorite double-talker.

He is Melvin Laird, who was our defense secretary during part of Richard M. Nixon's administration.

One day in 1962 he explained the Vietnam situation to a Senate committee: "Our orientation seems to have been more on operations than on assisting the South Vietnamese to acquire the means to defend themselves."

Can you think of a daintier way of saying that the United States is doing the fighting while the South Vietnamese watch?

More from Laird: "It is apparent that successful infrastructure effort will thus require a substantially higher enemy rate of attrition than has yet been realized."

What the man meant is that we must kill the bad guys faster than they are being born.

Laird also said the United States had not yet achieved "the development of indigenous forces which would be

Meet Charlevoix

... Barbara Fels

Barbara Fels is secretary to the Charlevoix County Planning Department. This week the Courier talks with her about her job, her philosophy, and her family.

COURIER: How long have you worked for the Planning Department?

FELS: Since it was organized about six and a half years ago.

COURIER: What are your duties?

FELS: I work as assistant to the planner and attend township meetings, sometimes in the absence of the planner and sometimes with him. I attend meetings of the Northwest Regional Planning Commission. I do research for the Planning Commission as well as the County Board of Commissioners on various subjects.

FELS: Because without adequate planning, things happen that can be in effect for years and years. We can't always change them. With planning we can direct growth without changing the things we love in the area. Zoning is a tool of planning. We need it because not everybody is a good neighbor.

COURIER: Do you think the City of Charlevoix and Charlevoix Township should merge?

FELS: Absolutely, because of the duplication of services we now have to provide. It costs the taxpayers extra money. You can't tell where the city ends and the township starts. There is no room for the city to grow. As one unit they could provide better

units and state agencies. I make studies such as the county house numbering system for the Board of Commissioners and the area wage scale study for the county.

COURIER: Have you had any other jobs?

FELS: Just one. I worked at the central office of General Motors in Detroit after going to Central Michigan University for a semester.

COURIER: Why are zoning and planning necessary?

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recreational and other facilities, and utilities.

COURIER: How do you feel about a city charter?

FELS: I'm sorry it didn't pass. After at least four years of turmoil in the city, the charter would have helped to give definition and description of who does what in the city. We need a city manager, but under the present form of government he can't operate efficiently. The city also needs a planning commission because without one it is impossible to make sound long range plans for the city. It becomes a mess. The council doesn't have time to look at every building or zoning request, but a planning commission would. If decisions are made without looking at the overall picture, it isn't going to be "Charlevoix the Beautiful" too long.

COURIER: You like your job, don't you?

FELS: Yes, because of all the people I get to work with. Many of them have become my friends. I ran the office for three months between planners. I did everything the planners do. I received letters of appreciation from both the Planning Commission and the County Board of Commissioners.

COURIER: You have a



Barbara Fels

good-sized family, don't you?

FELS: My husband, Jack, and I have four children. I met Jack when he was going to General Motors Tech. He's an engineer at Courter's in Boyne City. Our oldest, Patty, is a freshman at the University of Michigan majoring in medicine. She was a candidate for Venetian Queen. Lori is in the 11th grade. She works at Dapper Dick's and wants to go into business. She's studying bookkeeping and shorthand but doesn't know where she wants to go to college. She likes cross country skiing. Billy is in the 10th grade and on the ski team. Mike is in the 7th grade and is a basketball player and skier. The boys

both ski at Mt. McSaubia and Boyne Mountain.

COURIER: How do you manage a responsible job and large family?

FELS: I didn't work until Michael, the youngest one, was in school. The house runs well because whoever is there at a particular time does the chores. The kids are responsible for keeping their own rooms clean and also picking up the house, vacuum, etc. They often do their own cooking.

COURIER: Do you have any hobbies?

FELS: I bow in a league and do a little skiing, but my family and my job take up most of the time I have.

Leo Berg \$5 a winner. Call 547-6558 before 1-4-77.

State police, DNR divers comb

Round Lake in training session

The shores of Round Lake at the end of Mason Street looked like a scene out of the old

television program "Sea Hunt" last week.

Five divers from the

Michigan State Police Department and from the State Department of Natural

Resources held a training session in Round Lake, and they also recovered some stolen articles for the Charlevoix Police Department.

The divers had been in Charlevoix for a training session in Lake Michigan last summer and they told Police Chief Jack Kousky that they would come back this fall and check out Round Lake.

"There were too many boats here last summer for us to dive in this area," one of the divers explained. "So we decided to come back this fall. While we do look for things for the city police department, this is mostly a training session."

Met said the divers like to come to Charlevoix to train because of the variety of places to dive. The divers can practice in the current in the Pine River Channel, in deep water in Lake Charlevoix and Lake Michigan, and in the shallower Round Lake.

"It's beneficial to us, too, because they usually recover things that we've been looking for," Met said.

In Tuesday's session, the divers found several stolen bicycles that had been pitched in Round Lake and they also recovered a cash register that had been stolen from Muma's Sunoco in 1974.

Last summer, the divers recovered some things that had been stolen from the county.

Pensioners must return forms to Veterans Affairs office by Jan. 1

given so it will arrive by Jan. 1, 1978" Geer pleaded.

Veterans Administration (VA) pensioners, that is spouses of men or women who served in the armed forces, who are receiving pensions, are advised to return the questionnaires they received recently by Jan. 1, 1978.

Ronald Geer, Veterans Counselor in Charlevoix County, who issued the warning said it was imperative that the questionnaires be returned in order that the pension will continue.

Failure to comply with the warning will result in automatic suspension of payment.

"This means a hardship on the pensioner because it takes months to complete the paperwork and return the name of the pensioner to the computer list," Geer continued.

Anyone having questions or needing help may contact or see Geer in his office at the county building.

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To the Editor:
Re-article on Medusa expansion, and restructuring of tax obligation. I would like to compliment Mr. Duke on a fine

article that deserves to be fully considered by all citizens in the Charlevoix School district, and in particular by the elected officials in the area.
Robert Wexstaff

Mrs. Muma Thanks helpers

Dear Editor:
We would like to express our appreciation to the students, parents and staff at the Charlevoix Elementary School and to all of those who worked so hard in making our first annual Fund Day-Christmas Bazaar a success. Special thanks to go the following businesses:

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Without the enthusiasm of all of those who participated in the event our efforts would have been in vain. On behalf of the children at Charlevoix Elementary School, we thank you.

Sincerely,
Patti Muma,
Chairman Social Committee
Parents Advisory Council

Big Brothers, say thanks

To the Editor:
On behalf of Big Brothers - Big Sisters we would like to express our appreciation for your help in making our Christmas Tree sale a success. Without your efforts this may not have been accomplished.

Wishing you a very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Sincerely,
Mrs. Nancy Wood,
Co-ordinator and Director
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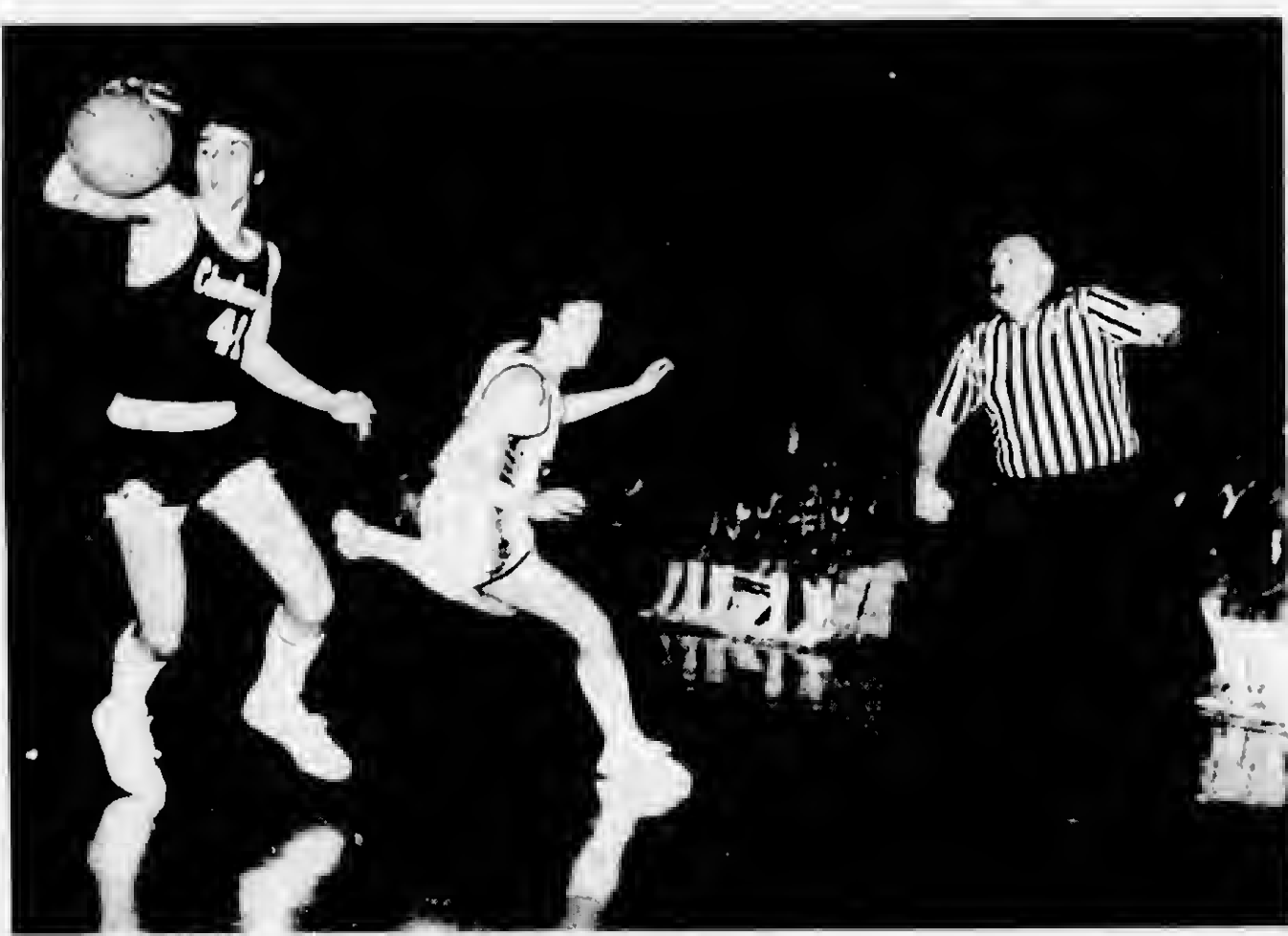


PAT SCHMIDT drops in two of his 27 points with this shot during the Boyne City-Charlevoix game last week. Hot on Schmidt's trail are Dale Tims (52) and Dan Schmitt (50).



BOYNE CITY PLAYER Tim Hartwick (24) ducks as Steve Schuch (45) reaches for a rebound during the Rayder-Rambler game last week. The Rayders came out fighting and ran over the Ramblers 82-60.

It's a Rayder Victory 82-60



TAKING ADVANTAGE of this misplaced Rambler pass is Rayder Bob Plumm (41). Plumm had a great game against the cross county rivals last week and the Rayders took the battle, 82-60.



BOB PLUMM helped spark the Rayder machine in the game against the Boyne City Ramblers last week. Plumm stole several passes, blocked many shots and dumped in 10 points.



RAY GREENE (5) of Boyne City jumps up to block this shot but he was unsuccessful. The Rayders ran over the Ramblers 82-60 in last week's Michigan-Huron Shores Conference action.



JIM ALGER (23) twists around Dan Schmitt (50) and Dale Tims (52) to get this shot off. Alger put in 10 points during the game along with Neil Dziedzic and Bob Plumm.



JOE LEFT lets loose with a shot despite the efforts of Dan Schmitt (50) of Boyne City. The Rayders beat the Ramblers 82-60 in last week's play. That evens up the Rayders record so far this season at 3-3.

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Rayders on victory trail, defeat Ramblers

By BILL MERCER
Charlevoix's basketball team evened its record for 1977 by downing cross county rival Boyne City 82-60 last Tuesday in Charlevoix.

The win marked the teams most decisive victory of the young season and served as a warning to other members of the Michigan-Huron Shores Conference that the Rayders can play high scoring basketball.

Coach Dave Meyer's squad looked dismal in the first quarter as Neil Dziedzic drew three quick fouls and his teammates managed to commit 13 turnovers in the early going.

After the first period ended, Charlevoix found itself trailing Boyne City 18-12.

From the beginning of the second stanza, however, the visiting Ramblers saw a different team. Led by Bob Plumm, in for Dziedzic after his third foul and Pat Schmidt, Assisting on the boards were Dziedzic and Senior jumper Joe Left. Coach Meyer noted after the game, that, "The

Rayders poured in 30 points to lead at the halfway point, 42-30.

Plumm not only blocked two Boyne City shots, but the Junior forward stole errant passes, setting up fastbreak opportunities for Schmidt and Jim Alger and went to the boards for key offensive and defensive rebounds.

From a defensive standpoint, the Rayders played man-to-man during most of the game. Coach Meyer switched to a zone late in the game after Boyne City began to locate avenue to the basket.

The Charlevoix hoopers also employed a full court zone press to start the second half. This confused the Ramblers and enabled the Rayders to score a quick eight unanswered points.

On the dark side of the victory, Charlevoix committed 37 turnovers. They also had one man foul out (Dziedzic) and carried five additional players with four personal fouls.

Reacting to this Coach Meyer pointed out, "The

hurl us as they have throughout the season. We will work on our turnovers and the foul situation over the holidays.

"Mostly what the fellows need is more playing time so we plan to scrimmage a lot before the Potoskey game."

Scoring for Charlevoix was led by Schmidt with 27 points, followed by Dan Schmitt (12), Tim Hartwick (8), and Dean Hicks (8).

Charlevoix's next opponent will be Potoskey. Currently the Northern share the conference lead with Gaylord, with Dziedzic, Plumm and Alger each tallying 10 points. The Rayders could edge closer to the top with a victory in Potoskey on Jan. 6.

Charlevoix vs. Boyne City

Team	1	2	3	4	Total
Charlevoix	12	20	26	14	82
Boyne City	18	12	20	10	60

Player	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total
Schmidt	10	7	10	3	32
Alger	3	4	5	4	16
Dziedzic	4	2	5	10	21
Plumm	4	2	5	10	21
Left	3	3	4	9	19
Flanze	4	0	1	4	9
Norral	2	0	1	4	7
Cunningham	0	2	0	2	4
Schuch	0	2	2	2	6
Kraut	0	0	0	4	4
Totals	33	22	59	31	82



Sherri Selissen named to all conference team

Sherrie Selissen, Charlevoix High School junior, was named to the first Michigan-Huron Shores All-Conference Girls Basketball team selected Monday night at a meeting of coaches and athletic directors held at Gaylord.

St. Ignace and Rogers City won three berths each on the honor squad.

Gaylord, Cheboygan and Boyne City two each and Potoskey one. Four other players, one each from St. Ignace, Cheboygan, Gaylord and Grayling received honorable mention.

Coach Tom Feller and Dale Burge, athletic director, represented Charlevoix at the meeting.

Rayder wrestlers ran over Rambler squad, 50-26

The Charlevoix Rayder wrestlers added another victory feather to their caps with a 50-26 defeat of Boyne City last week.

The Rayders met the Ramblers in Charlevoix for a dual meet Thursday. The Rayders season record in dual competition now moves to 6 wins and 2 losses.

The results of the match were:

98 pounds: Kerry Kruezel of Boyne City defeated Don Mol in 3:02.

106 pounds: Jeff Drenth of Charlevoix over Mike Abel in 3:22.

112 pounds: Charlevoix forfeited.

119 pounds: Ron Hilton won by forfeit.

126 pounds: Lee DeMittell of Charlevoix pinned Kevin Moore in 38 seconds.

132 pounds: Mike Kitley of Charlevoix defeated Kevin Fineout in 3:19.

138 pounds: Craig Golovich

CHARLEVOIX CITY RECREATION DEPARTMENT	Volunteer Schedule
Men's League	
Wednesday, January 4	
6:30 p.m. County State Bank vs. Wagon Aluminum	
7:30 p.m. First State Bank vs. Aray Cottages	
8:30 p.m. Tri-City Asphalt vs. Medusa	
Wednesday, January 11	
6:30 p.m. County State Bank vs. Medusa	
7:30 p.m. Tri-City Asphalt vs. First State Bank	
8:30 p.m. Wagon Aluminum vs. Aray Cottages	
Women's League	
Thursday, January 5	
7:30 p.m. Foam Corps vs. Kaden's Emporium	
8:30 p.m. Swanson's K & D vs. Site Planning Dev.	
Volleyball	
Men's League	
Tuesday, January 3	
7:00 p.m. Spikers vs. Barter's Decorator Center	
8:00 p.m. Village Car Care vs. Dads & Dads	
9:00 p.m. Swanson's K & D vs. Rugby Rogues	
Tuesday, January 10	
7:00 p.m. Village Car Care vs. Dads & Dads	
8:00 p.m. Swanson's K & D vs. Barter's	
9:00 p.m. Rugby Rogues vs. Blue Machine	
Mixed League	
Wednesday, January 4	
7:00 p.m. The Hut vs. Dodgers	
8:00 p.m. Clothing Company vs. Lanes	
9:00 p.m. Hawley's Raiders vs. Freedom Aircraft	
Thursday, January 5	
7:00 p.m. Labeles vs. Gnom and Bean II	
8:00 p.m. Fogalvs. Motors	
9:00 p.m. Out of Steve's Righteous	

Special cross country ski clinic set Friday for 6-13 year olds

A special Cross Country Ski Clinic for boys and girls between 6 and 13 years old will be held from 1 to 3 p.m. Friday at the Potoskey State Park.

A Bill Koch Cross Country Ski League is being set up by Gary Hice, youth activities coordinator. Students will learn how to cross country ski, games on skis and will have the opportunity to race during the clinic and through the league.

Students should bring their own equipment or they can rent them from area ski shops. Students should meet at the camper registration booth.

For more information contact Bill Koch at 547-4471 or 538-6388 or LeCycliste Enterprises at 347-2861.

A limited number of rental skis will be available at LeCycliste. Parents are welcome to the clinic, too. There will be no charge for the clinic.

CHARLEVOIX RECREATION DEPARTMENT	Standings
Basketball	
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Team	W L
Swanson's K & D	6 0
Townhouse	5 1
Kaden's Emporium	3 3
Bob's Sunoco	2 4
Foam Corps	1 5
Site Planning	1 5
B League	
Tri-City Asphalt	6 0
Wagon Aluminum	5 1
First State Bank	4 2
Aray Cottages	2 4
County State Bank	1 5
Medusa	0 6
Volleyball	
Women's League	
Carols	20 1
Angels	16 5
Townhouse	14 7
Medusa	13 8
Topside	9 12
Volley Belles	6 15
Oh Susannahs	4 17
Sunshine Girls	2 19
Men's League	
Spikers	20 1
Village Car Care	16 5
Blue Machine	15 6
Barlett's	7 11
Swanson's K & D	7 14
Olds & Ends	6 15
Rugby Rogues	1 20

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Bobs Sunoco, Swansons, Townhouse take games in A League action

Swansons, Townhouse and Bobs Sunoco all posted wins in the Charlevoix Recreation Department A League basketball action last week.

In the first game of the evening, Swansons dropped Kaden's 64-51. Kaden's took an early lead in the game 18-16 in the first quarter. But by the second quarter, Swansons was ahead 36-32.

The team kept the lead in the third period 44-41 and then surged ahead in the final quarter.

Top scorer for Swansons was Roger C. in with 18 points while Casey Culbertson and Dave Swanson both put in 12 points.

For Kaden's, Bob Spenser was the high point man with 14 points followed by Al Loom with 13 points and Tony Williams with 10.

In the second game of the evening Townhouse buried Site Planning 71-52. Townhouse took the lead in the first period and held it throughout the game. At the end of the first period the score was 21-16 and at the end of the second period it jumped to 38-26. By the third quarter it was 46-34.

High point man for Townhouse was the Boss with 24 points, followed by Clint Berlage with 16 points and Dan McKenzie with 12.

For Site Planning, Kraag Lieberman had 17 points and Dennis Dominie had 12.

Bobs Sunoco smothered Foam Corps 96-64 in the final game of the evening. It was the second win for Bobs.

The team took the lead in the first period 19-15 and held on for the rest of the evening. By the end of the second quarter the score was 46-31 and it jumped to 64-46 in the third period.

High point man for Bobs was Jim Danbert with 21 points. He was followed by four other players in double figures including: Rick VanStedum, 19; Chuck Pelham, 17; Ken Derenzy, 16; and John Nachazel, 15.

For Foam Corps, Mike Streeter had 24 points and Randy Holeciech had 21 points.

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"Create in me a clean heart, O God; and renew a right spirit within me."
— Psalms 51:10

I see not a step before me as I tread on another year.
But I've left the past in God's keeping... the future His mercy shall clear.
And what looks dark in the distance, may brighten as I draw near.
— Mary Gardiner Brainerd

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First graders entertain at K-5 school



MRS. BERG'S first grade class at the Charlevoix Elementary School entertained their school mates with a play during an assembly Thursday. Here some elves talk with Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus.



IN ADDITION TO the first grade class's presentation, the other students at the K-5 school also gave musical presentations. These students assisted the music teacher by announcing the various Christmas carols and other songs so that everyone could join in the fun.

School district tries energy experiment

An experiment in energy saving will soon be conducted at Charlevoix High School.

During Christmas vacation, representatives of Energy Reduction Systems of Exeter, N.H., will be installing energy reduction equipment on the high school furnace. The Charlevoix Board of Education approved the experiment at a recent board meeting.

The company guarantees at least a 10 per cent reduction in the amount of fuel used by the furnace, Vince Olach, business manager for the school district, explained. If the gadget doesn't save the school district 10 percent in fuel costs, the company will remove it at no cost to the school.

"It will take about 11 months for the device to pay for itself if it saves us only 10 percent," Olach explained. "But the device has been saving school districts between 15 and 25 percent in fuel use."

Olach said there were many other advantages to the

device, which acts like a catalytic converter for the furnace. It also reduces the soot buildup in the furnace and thus lowers the maintenance costs.

Olach said he had investigated four gadgets that would reduce fuel use, but settled on this particular model because it had a written guarantee and was the only one with a written guarantee.

Olach said the school district had budgeted about \$49,000 for fuel bills this year and that figure included a 10 percent increase in the cost based on last year's \$42,560 bill.

However, next month fuel prices are going up 15 percent instead of the expected 10 percent.

"So the new device won't put any money in our pockets," Olach said. "But it will help us keep at the same level."

Olach said if the energy experiment at the high school is successful, he hopes to install the gadgets called "Vapormid" in the middle and elementary school next fall.

Births

Kaczynski

A daughter was born to Dan and Gayle Kaczynski of Charlevoix Dec. 4 at Little Traverse Hospital.

Christina Suzanne weighed 7 pounds 11 ounces and was 20 1/4 inches long.

Smith

Mr. and Mrs. Paddy Patrick of Charlevoix are the proud new grandparents of a 9 pound 11 ounce granddaughter.

She was born Dec. 7 to RM 2 and Mrs. Michael Smith. Smith is in the U.S. Coast

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Hunt

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stutzman of Charlevoix are the proud new grandparents of a baby grandson, Brian Joseph.

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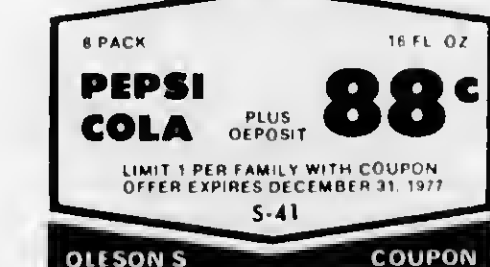
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8-PACK PEPSI COLA
16 FL. OZ. RTN. BTL.
PLUS DEPOSIT

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CANNED HAM
ANY 3 LB. OR LARGER

\$1 OFF

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POTATO SALAD OR BAKED BEANS
"YOUR CHOICE"

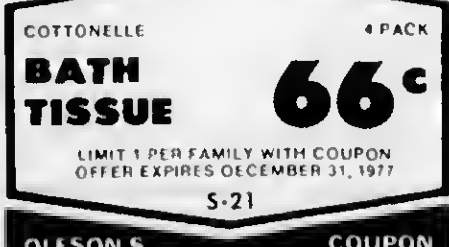
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SPARTAN DIPPIN' CHIPS
16 OZ. WT.

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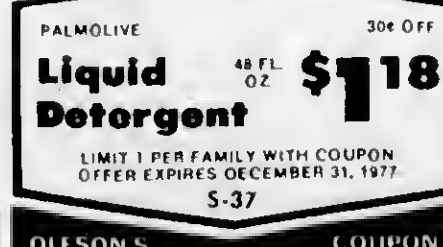
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COTTONELLE BATH TISSUE
4 PACK

66¢

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Liquid Detergent
48 FL. OZ.

\$1.18

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SPARTAN COLBY MIDGET

24 OZ. WT. **59¢**

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